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Are you new to our church? If so, thanks for coming! We hope you felt at home here. Please fill out your information below to be added to our email list/serve and place it in the prayer box in the back.

## Liturgy

A SONG FOR COMMUNION

### **Give Us Clean Hands**

by Charlie Hall

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*We join our voices in solidarity with our brothers and sisters who have prayed this prayer throughout space and time.*

**Our Father in heaven,**

**Hallowed be your name.**

**Your kingdom come, your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from the evil one.**

**For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory,  
forever and ever.**

**Amen.**

PARTAKING IN THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

SONG OF RESPONSE

*Let this song be a response to what God has spoken to you this morning.*

**All Must Be Well**

by Mary Bowley Peters, Matthew S. Smith

## Benediction

*A benediction is a "good word." As you go back out into the world, may you receive God's good word of blessing on you.*

Go now in the joy of knowing that you have been included.

Included at this table.

Included at His table.

Included in our common life.

Included in the Life of God;

in the Life of the Triune God;

in the Life shared by the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Go in the joy of knowing that you have been included  
in the inner life of the God Who is love.

Go, find joy in telling others that they too are included!

Go, find joy in bringing all God's people to His table!

"Do not be afraid, for your Father has chosen gladly  
to give you the kingdom."

You are included!

Amen.

**Darrell Johnson**

*Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.*



# CHRIST KALEIDOSCOPE

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 25, 2019

## Liturgy

**Emcee:** Andrew Tai

**Musicians:** Joseph Chen (lead), Vincent Kwok (keyboard), Hung-Hsin Yen (bass), Thomas Lee (various) David Liu (cajon)

## Call to Worship

*Take some time to to make yourself present to the God who makes himself present to us. You are free to sing or simply sit and allow the music to help you center yourself on God.*

**All Creatures of Our God and King**

by Brent Milligan, David Crowder, St. Francis of Assisi, William Henry Draper

**Psalm 146:1-10**

## Welcome

Throughout the season of Ordinary Time we have been going through the book of Acts, the sequel to Luke's Gospel. The book of Acts is largely considered a compact narrative detailing the life of the early church. It charts out the acts of the Apostles as they faithfully respond to the acts of the Holy Spirit.

## Praise through Song

**Our God Alone**

by David Gungor

**Our Great God**

by Fernando Ortega, Mac Powell

## Offering

*The discipline of offering helps loosen our grip on that which has the power to possess us, inviting us into the weekly practice of generosity, gratitude, and simplicity.*

*If you are a guest, please do not feel obliged to give.*

Checks can be made payable to **Kaleidoscope Church** or by texting "give" to (760) 978-6977.

A SONG OF OFFERING

**Made to Worship**

by Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash, Stephan Conley Sharp

A PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## Greeting

LEADER: The peace of Christ be with you.

PEOPLE: **And also with you.**

*Take a few minutes to greet one another in the peace of the Lord.*

## Announcements

### SERVICE OPPORTUNITY: SAT, SEP 21 FROM 8:30AM-11:30AM

Christ Kaleidoscope has signed up for a group shift to help work at Second Harvest Food Bank in Irvine. We will be helping sort food, either produce or non-perishable items. We can only take about 15 people and you will need to sign up. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Katie Heemstra (katie.heemstra@gmail.com).

### CAMBODIA TRIP: END OF THE YEAR (BETWEEN CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S)

John and Marty Harris are thinking of planning a trip to visit the children's home in Poipet, Cambodia between Christmas and the new year. Look for an email this week with a sign-up sheet to let us know if you might be interested in going. (If finances are tight, sign-up anyway).

## Hearing God's Word

*As we come to God's Word, may our hearts be fertile ground to receive what God has to say to us.*

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

*(in unison)*

**Dear God,**

**Send us your Holy Spirit,**

**that he may take your Word and write it in our hearts,**

**so that we grasp it, believe it,**

**and find our joy and comfort in it, forever.**

**Amen.**

Martin Luther

### Acts 14:8-20 (Read by Steven Horng)

READER: The Word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

### John 1:1-18 (Read by Katie Hu)

READER: The Gospel of our Lord.

**ALL: Praise to you, O Christ.**

### SERMON

#### The Centripetal Pull

Ken Hsu

### SILENCE

Take a moment to pause in silence and tend to God's still small voice.

*For God alone my soul waits in silence, for my hope is from him. Ps. 62:1.*

## Confession

*In the hands of grace, confession becomes for us a gift to help realign ourselves with God's good intentions for us.*

### A PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*(in unison)*

**Most merciful God,**

**we confess that we have sinned against you**

**in thought, word, and deed,**

**by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.**

**We have not loved you with our whole heart;**

**we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

[PAUSE FOR REFLECTION]

**We are truly sorry and we earnestly repent.**

**For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,**

**have mercy on us and forgive us;**

**that we may delight in your will,**

**and walk in your ways,**

**to the glory of your Name.**

**Amen.**

Book of Common Prayer

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

If, while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life!

**Romans 5:10**

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

## Eucharist

*The term Eucharist literally means "grateful." In gathering around the bread and the cup, we celebrate together a meal of thanksgiving.*

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. **(1 Cor. 11:23-26)**

### PRAYER FOR THE WORK OF THE SPIRIT

#### INVITATION TO THE TABLE

*We now invite all those who call Christ Lord to come and partake of his body and blood.*

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