

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP  
NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN KINGDOMTIDE  
September 30, 2018  
11:00 A.M.  
*Together in Christ, Reaching Beyond Our Doors.*

**GATHERING TO PRAISE**

PRELUDE

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, GETTING ACQUAINTED

*Please take a moment to fill out the Attendance Card as it is passed.*

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

KID'S HOPE

\*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*This is God's house – a place of peace where we befriend one another in the name of Christ. Greet those around you as a sign of God's peace and Christ's friendship.*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: O Truth behind all mystery, Way where there seems to be no way,  
Life within all living:

**ALL: We praise You.**

One: Salve for every soreness, Mender of every brokenness,  
Midwife of a better future:

**ALL: We praise You.**

One: Ground of all being, Judge of all nations,  
Conscience of the universe:

**ALL: We praise You.**

One: Maker, Redeemer, Companions, Inspirer:

**ALL: We praise You!**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

"God of Love and God of Power"

No. 578

A TIME TO CELEBRATE OUR CHILDREN

"Jesus' Hands Were Kind Hands" (sung processional)

***Jesus' hands were kind hands, doing good to all, Healing pain and sickness, blessing children small, Washing tired feet, and saving those who fall; Jesus' hands were kind hands, doing good to all.***

(sung recessional)

***Take my hands, Lord Jesus, let them work for you; Make them strong and gentle, kind in all I do. Let me watch you, Jesus, till I'm gentle too, Till my hands are kind hands, quick to work for you.***

**CONNECTING WITH GOD IN PRAYER**

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*Today we baptize Rome Smarsty, son of Chad and Sally Smarsty; and Joslyn Hunt, daughter of Freddy and Alex Hunt.*

**Congregational Response: With joy and thanksgiving we welcome Rome and Joslyn into**

**Christ's church, to share with us in his ministry, for we are all one in Christ.**

PRAYER OF APPROACH

One: Before we leave this place, a prayer for our own deepening –  
In faith, hope and love.  
In our life as a community of seeking souls,  
In our own walk with God ... (pause)  
God, in your mercy,

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

One: Before we leave this place, let us ask  
What God wants us to hear,  
To have or to do,  
And be open to receive it graciously ... (pause)  
God, in your mercy,

**ALL: Hear our prayer...**

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Ecumenical Version)

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.**

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

CHORAL ANTHEM

"I'm Runnin' On"

arr. Mack Wilberg

soloist: Larry Winegar, guest conductor: Claire Olinik

I'm runnin' on, I'm runnin' on, I done left this world behind, I done crossed the separatin' line, an' I've left this world behind. Ain't ya glad? Ain't ya glad?  
Done left this world behind. I done crossed the separatin' line, an' I've left this world behind. Pressin' on, pressin' on, I done left this world behind. I done  
crossed the separatin' line, an' I've left this world behind.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Romans 12: 9-18

(NT p. 162)

Leader: The Word of God. **All: For the People of God.** Leader: Thanks be to God.

*How Will You Measure Your Life?*

SERMON

Part 3: "By How You Live Ethically"

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

Rev. Devon Herrell, FSU Campus Pastor

**BRINGING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

OFFERTORY HYMN

"I Want to Walk as A Child of The Light

No. 206

\*DOXOLOGY

No. 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

\*PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

## **GOING OUT TO SERVE**

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT    “We’ve A Story to Tell the Nations”                      No. 569

\*BLESSING

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION            “Peace I Leave With You”                      Matthew Glandorf

\*POSTLUDE

*You are invited to remain seated for the postlude as part of your worship experience.  
(If you choose to exit the sanctuary during the postlude, please do so quietly. Thank you.)*

\*All who are comfortable standing are invited to stand.