

PRELUDE: "The Power of the Cross" arr. Mark Hayes

GATHERING SONG: "It Is Good to Praise the Lord" Williams/Drennan

It is good to praise the Lord.
Let us all sing hallelujah and praise His holy name!
He comforts those in need,
But brings the wicked down.
He speaks and it is done.
He counts the countless stars;
He gives each one a name.

The Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP Todd Erickson
Pastoral Executive

✦ No. 100 "Holy, Holy, Holy!" NICAEA

✦ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father,
by Whom all things were made;
Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven,
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary,
and was made man,
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
He suffered and was buried;
and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead;
Whose Kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets;
and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church;
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

✦ PRAYER OF ADORATION

WORSHIP OF GOD WITH THE GIFTS OF GOD

Worshippers at the end of a row should pass the collection bag to those in the row behind them.

HYMN OF FAITH: "By Faith" Keith Getty



1. By faith we see the hand of God In the light of cre-
2. By faith our fa - thers roamed the earth With the pow'r of His
3. By faith the pro - phets saw a day When the longed - for Mes-
4. By faith the church was called to go In the pow'r of the
5. By faith the moun - tain shall be moved And the pow'r of the



a - tion's grand de - sign In the lives of those who prove His
pro - mise in their hearts Of a ho - ly ci - ty built by
si - ah would ap - pear With the pow'r to break the chains of
Spi - rit to the lost To de - li - ver cap - tives and to
gos - pel shall pre - vail For we know in Christ all things are



faith - ful - ness Who walk by faith and not by sight.
God's own hand A place where peace and jus - tice reign. (to chorus)
sin and death And rise tri - um - phant from the grave.
preach good news In ev' - ry cor - ner of the earth. (to chorus)
pos - si - ble For all who call up - on His name. (to chorus)

Chorus (after vs. 2, 4, & 5)



We will stand as chil-dren of the pro - mise We will fix our eyes on



Him our soul's re - ward Till the race is fi - nished and the



work is done We'll walk by faith and not by sight

✦PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE READING..... Matthew 28:16-20
(page 835 in the church Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Vision 2015: The Main Thing

Sandy Willson
Senior Pastor

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP: No. 648 "My Jesus, I Love Thee" CARITAS

✦BENEDICTION

✦Indicates congregation standing License #252778

Vision Night Reception

Following the service, please join us for a reception with heavy hors d'oeuvres in the Fellowship Hall. See you there!