

SERVICE OF WORD AND PRAISE

The 5th Week after Epiphany

Gathering Music

stand if able

Welcome and Prayer

Songs

“Creation Sings the Father’s Song”

Keith and Kristyn Getty and Stuart Townend

Cre - a - tion sings the Fa - ther's song; He calls the sun to wake the dawn and
Cre - a - tion gazed up - on His face; The age - less One in time's em - brace, un -
Cre - a - tion longs for His re - turn, when Christ shall reign up - on the earth; The

5
run the course of day, till eve - ning falls in crim - son rays. His
veiled the Fa - ther's plan of birth pains of a God and man. A
bit - ter wars that rage are

10
fin - ger - prints in flakes of snow; His breath up - on this spin - ning globe; He
He re - news the land and sky, all heav'n will sing and earth re - ply with
sec - ond Ad - am walked the earth, whose blame - less life would break the curse, whose

14
charts the ea - gle's flight, com - mands the new - born ba - by's cry. Hal - le - lu -
death would set us free; The live with Him e - ter - nal - ly. King!

19
jah! Let all cre - a - tion stand and sing Hal - le - lu - jah! Fill the

24
earth with songs of wor - ship, tell the won - ders of cre - a - tion's King.

Here I am, send me
Your grace has set me free
I will go where You lead
be Your hands and feet

To the hurting and weak
To all of those in need
We will go where You lead
Be Your hands and feet

Jesus lead on, we are listenin'
Jesus lead on, we have heard.
Savior we'll follow where You're leadin'
to the ends of the earth

As we go, Lord lead
May Your path be at our feet
As we live, move and breathe
Spirit of God fall afresh on me.

Jesus lead on, we are listenin'
Jesus lead on, we have heard.
Savior we'll follow where You're leadin'
to the ends of the earth

Whom shall I fear, You are God yeah You are God,
so Whom shall I fear, You are God yeah You are God,
so Whom shall I fear?

Jesus lead on, we are listenin'
Jesus lead on, we have heard.
Savior we'll follow where You're leadin'
to the ends of the earth

Jesus lead on, we are listenin'
Jesus lead on, we have heard.
Savior we'll follow where You're leadin'
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Here I am, send me

Reading

Mark 6:1-13

Homily

stand if able

Communal Prayers

Communal prayers allow the opportunity for the entire seminary community individually, and yet as one, to intercede for the church, the world, and all those in need. The intercessor will begin the prayers with the first three bids on page 265 and then offer additional bids. Then the assembly is invited to offer bids aloud. Please speak as loudly as possible so that all may hear. The bids are offered in the following fashion:

Intercessor: For. . . let us pray to the Lord;

Assembly: Lord, have mercy.

Concluding Prayer

assembly prays together

Almighty God, who has promised to hear the petitions of those who ask in your Son's name: we implore you mercifully to incline your ear to us who have now made our prayers and petitions unto you; and grant that those things which we have asked faithfully according to your will, may be obtained essentially, to the relief of our necessity, and to the proclamation of your glory; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. (Concluding Collect of the Great Litany)

Benediction

Post-Service Music

SERVANTS OF THE WORD

Rev. Mark Hricko

Preacher

Professor Kent Burreson, Dean of the Chapel

Liturgist

Christian Jones, fourth-year seminarian

Music Leader

Pastor Mark Hricko, the Seminary's 2018-19 Campus Lord's Supper Host Pastor, was born in Johnstown, Pennsylvania. He is a graduate of The University of Pittsburgh and Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, Indiana. After serving as a resident chaplain at Riverside Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, Pastor Hricko's parish ministries have included Lutheran congregations in Baltimore, Laurel, and Silver Spring, Maryland, where he currently serves as pastor of The Lutheran Church of St. Andrew. In addition to his parish ministry, Pastor Hricko has served as a Vice President of the Southeastern District of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, chairman of the Washington Pastors Conference, president of the Laurel Clergy Association, District Pastoral Advisor for the Lutheran Laymen's League, and editor of the periodical *Serving Congregational Leaders*. He served on the Board of Directors of the Center for Asian Missions and Evangelism and is a recipient of the United States Department of Defense Seven Seals Award for his leadership in support of those who serve in the National Guard and Reserve. Pastor Hricko and his wife Patricia are the parents of three children. Andrea, 26, is a 2014 graduate of Concordia College-New York and is a teacher at a Lutheran school in Maryland. She is married to Joel Gast. Lauren, 23, is also a graduate of Concordia College, New York (BA 2017, MS 2018) and is teaching in Montgomery County, Maryland. David, 21, is a student at Shepherd University. The Hricko family resides in Columbia, Maryland.

HERE AM I! SEND ME

Concordia Seminary

Chapel of St. Timothy & St. Titus

9:35 am – 7 Februarys 2019

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