Ephraim Moravian Church Second Sunday after Pentecost/Communion

June 6, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

Order of Service

Welcome & Announcements

"Voluntary in G" – by Henry Heron

Call to Worship: "Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications! If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered. I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning. O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem." - Psalm 130: 1-7

Hymn #415: "I Come with Joy" (v. 1 & 3)

I come with joy to meet my Lord, forgiven, loved and free In awe and wonder to recall his life laid down for me His life laid down for me.

As Christ breaks bread, and bids us share, each proud division ends The love that made us makes us one, and strangers now are friends And strangers now are friends.

Prayers of the Church & The Lord's Prayer Congregational Sung Response (p. 96):

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Amen.

Scripture Readings: 2 Corinthians 4:13 - 5:1
Mark 3:20-35

"Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" - by Ken Medema & Joel Raney

Reflection

"Ronde No. 1 Pour Quoy" - by Tylman Susato (c.1515)

Meditation

The Lord's Supper

Breaking of the Bread

Hymn (p. 224): "Spirit of God"

Spirit of God, who dwells within my heart Wean it from sin, through all its pulses move Stoop to my weakness, mighty as you are And make me love you as I ought to love.

Teach me to love you as your angels love One holy passion filling all my frame The baptism of the heav'n descended dove My heart the altar, and your love the flame.

The Cup of Salvation

Hymn (p. 229): "For the Bread Which You Have Broken"

For the bread which you have broken, for the wine which you have poured For the words which you have spoken, now, we give you thanks, O Lord By this pledge that you do love us, by your gift of peace restored By your call to heav'n above us, hallow all our lives, O Lord.

With our sainted ones in glory seated at the heav'nly board May the church that's waiting for you keep love's tie unbroken, Lord In your service, Lord, defend us, in our hearts keep watch and ward In the world where you have sent us, let your kingdom come, O Lord.

Pastor: Whenever we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death Congregation: *Until He comes*!

Benediction

"March-Sortie" - by Théodore Dubois

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Reflection - by Rev. Cory Kemp

Who is your family?

A few years ago, two New Yorkers, out on a drive through the countryside, happened upon a beautiful old farm near a picturesque village. The farm called out to them, and on seeing the For Sale sign, they bought it. Soon after, they both lost their jobs. As the farm was all they had left, they had to figure out what they would do to keep it.

Then a letter came to them from, John, their next-door neighbor. He was losing his farm to foreclosure. Since they had an empty farm, would they be willing to take him in and his eighty goats? Yes, they would, and they did, which led to opening their business with sales of handcrafted goat milk soap. The line of products they offer has grown over the years. Among the body creams and shower gels have been added pottery, weavings, spring goat cheeses, jams and pastries, all made by the local artisans introduced to them by John.

What is now known as the Beekman 1802 company was founded on the beliefs that living with purpose and kindness matters. Their motto: Work hard, don't give up, help your neighbor and you will be successful. They call this both the most simple and hardest recipe for life.

Who is our family?

"Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'"

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Pastor	Dawn Volpe
Music Director	Colin Welford
Guest Singers Amana	da & Cana Mittermann
Lay Reader	Paul Flottman











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