The Rite of Confirmation May 21, 2023

Shayla and Mylo, you stand before God and this congregation to declare your faith in Christ and your promise to live a holy, Christian life with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth? *I do* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, God's son, who loved you and died for you? *I do* Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the forgiveness of sins, and eternal life? *I do*

Do you promise to live a life which is pleasing to our Lord Jesus? *I do* Are you ready, in the presence of God and of this congregation, to confirm the covenant into which you were baptized, relying on the Holy Spirit to strengthen and guide you into ever increasing maturity in your relationship with Christ and the church? *I am*

Prayer Hymn: JUST AS I AM

> Just as I am without one plea, But that thy blood was shed for me, And that thou bidd'st me come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come

Just as I am though tossed about with many a conflict, many a doubt Fightings and fears within, without, O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

Just as I am; thy love unknown has broken every barrier down; Now to be thine, yea thine alone, O Lamb of God I come, I come!

Prayer

Confirmation Text and Blessing (after each blessing the congregation will sing: *"In the Name of Jesus, Amen"*)

Charge to the Confirmands