

✠ ORDER OF WORSHIP ✠
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Sunday, May 28, 2017 – 8:00 & 9:30 a.m.
Monday, May 29, 2017 – 7:00 p.m.

PRELUDE

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

✠ DIVINE SERVICE ✠
Third Setting

OPENING HYMN # 492.....On Christ's Ascension I Now Build

(Please stand as you are able.)

INVOCATION, CONFESSION OF SINS AND ABSOLUTION.....Pages 184-185

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM (8:00)

THE APOSTLES' CREED (8:00).....Page 192

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HYMN OF PRAISE (Gloria in Excelsis).....Pages 187-189

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY.....Page 189

THE APOSTLES' CREED (9:30 & Monday).....Page 192

✠ OUR RESPONSE ✠

OUR GIFTS AND TITHES FOR GOD / REGISTRATION

OFFERTORY HYMN # 839.....O Christ, Our True and Only Light

OUR PRAYERS AND OUR LORD'S PRAYER.....Page 196

✠ **GOD'S WORD** ✠

FIRST NEW TESTAMENT READING.....**Acts 1:1-11**

SECOND NEW TESTAMENT READING.....**1 Peter 4:12-19; 5:6-11**

(Please stand as you are able.)

GOSPEL READING.....**John 17:1-11**

SERMON HYMN # 829.....**Christ the Eternal Lord (v. 1-3)**

SERMON.....**A Christian Response to Suffering**
Pastor Doug Warmann

(Please stand as you are able.)

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG.....**God Bless America**

God bless America, land that I love.
Stand beside her and guide her,
Through the night with the light from above.
From the mountain, to the prairie,
To the ocean, white with foam.
God bless America, my home sweet home.
God bless America, my home sweet home.

POSTLUDE

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