

Celebration of Worship

February 17, 2019

9:30 A.M.

We welcome you to worship. Nursery and Preschool care is available if you need it. The Young are welcomed to the front early on for a special time in the service. Please sign the Friendship Pads so that we can get to know you better, and join us for coffee in the Narthex after the service.

Thought for Reflection

“What is the commonality that unites the church?”

It is the shared experience of God’s grace.

Alistair Begg

God Invites Us to Worship

WELCOME

RINGING THE CHURCH BELL

PRELUDE

A MOMENT OF SILENCE

READING (responsively) *Psalm 1* p. 424
Leader – Odd numbered verses; Congregation – Even numbered verses

We Offer Praise

PRAISING GOD WITH HEART AND VOICE

This Is the Day the Lord Hath Made # 230

Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us # 129

Draw Us in the Spirit’s Tether # 504

Bind Us Together Insert

God Speaks through the Word with a Heart of Love

WORDS FOR THE YOUNG & THE YOUNG AT HEART

Message *“I am the church and you are the church”*
Children and Youth are dismissed for Sunday School.

A TIME OF PRAYER (petition, intercession, confession, thanksgiving & praise)

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *The Heavens Are Telling* Beethoven
Chancel Choir

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON *Acts 2:39-47*

SERMON *“Four Marks of a Healthy Church”*

1. The Church is Learning – *Acts 2:42*
2. The Church is Sharing – *Acts 4:32-35*
3. The Church is Worshipping – *Acts 2:42*
4. The Church is Growing - *Acts 2:37-42;*
Acts 4:11-12,
Matthew 28:19-20

Rev. Dr. Lawrence J. De Vuyst

We Respond in Faith

SONG *Gather Us In* Insert

God Sends Us Out to Serve

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE