

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. And he found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael, and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." Jesus saw Nathanael coming to him, and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile!" Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, I saw you under the fig tree, do you believe? You shall see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of man."

L: This is the word of the Lord; **P: Thanks be to God!**

SERMON	"The Call of God"	Rev. Frank Wyche
*HYMN OF RESPONSE	<i>Jesus Calls Us</i>	#592
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	<i>The Apostles' Creed</i>	Inside front cover of Hymnal
OFFERING AND OFFERTORY		
*DOXOLOGY		#815
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION		
JOYS AND CONCERNS		
MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER	<i>(...debts/debtors...)</i>	
*CLOSING HYMN	<i>I Am Thine, O Lord</i>	#552
*BENEDICTION		
*CHORAL RESPONSE	<i>Now Unto Him</i>	Chancel Choir
POSTLUDE		C. Ralph Mills, Organist

*Those who are able may stand.

BOLDFACE TYPE indicates words spoken or sung by the congregation.

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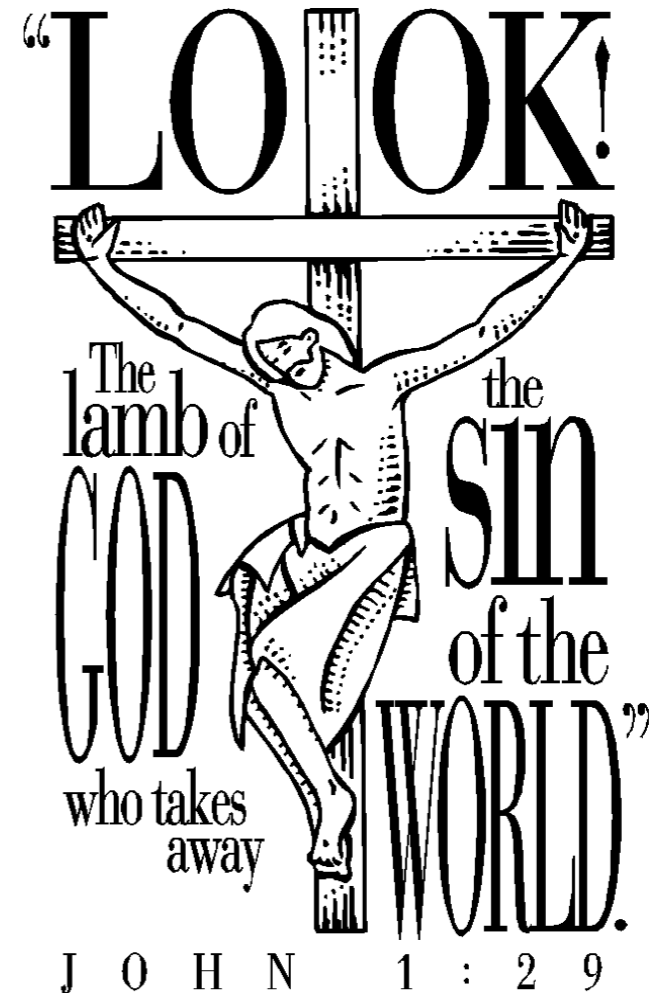
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PRELUDE

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

JoAnn Waller

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Sanctuary

Chancel Choir

***RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP** ~ Psalm 5: 2, 4-5, 7, 8a, 8c, 11-12a Áine Waller

L: Hearken to the sound of my cry, my King and my God, for to you do I pray.

P: You are not a God who delights in wickedness; evil never accompanies you.

The boastful may not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers.

L: But through the abundance of your steadfast love, I will enter your house. I will worship in your holy temple in awe of you.

P: Lead me, O LORD, in your righteousness; make your way straight before me.

L: Let all who take refuge in you rejoice, let them forever sing for joy.

P: Defend those who love your name, that they may exult in you, for you indeed bless the righteous.

***UNISON OPENING PRAYER** ~ From the Church of Scotland

Eternal Father, your Son and Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world. May your people, illuminated by your Word, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped and obeyed to the ends of the earth; who lives and reigns with you, and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen .

***OPENING HYMN**

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

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CALL TO CONFESSION

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION ~ From the Church of Scotland

We confess to you, Almighty God, that we have run after passing pleasures and forfeited the gift of real joy. At times we have withdrawn from participation in the common family life of the church without realizing that such life is shared with you. We have not always heard or obeyed Christ implicitly, preferring our own inclinations to his prompting through the Holy Spirit. And so our lives have become tasteless. We long for the royal wine of the kingdom, enjoyed in fellowship and obedience together. As we worship, may we know that we are forgiven; assure us of your continuing presence with us, and grant us joy and peace within.

(Silent prayer and personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

***GLORIA PATRI**

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ANTHEM

Be Thou My Vision

Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S LESSON

(Preschool through 2nd grade children may be led to Junior Church following the children's message. Older children's bulletins are in the vestibule.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON ~ 1 Samuel 3: 1-10 ~ Page 236 in the pew Bible

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the LORD under Eli. And the word of the LORD was rare in those days; there was no frequent vision. At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim, so that he could not see, was lying down in his own place; the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down within the temple of the LORD, where the ark of God was. Then the LORD called, "Samuel! Samuel!" and he said, "Here I am!" and ran to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call; lie down again." So he went and lay down. And the LORD called again, "Samuel!" And Samuel arose and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him. And the LORD called Samuel again the third time. And he arose and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." Then Eli perceived that the LORD was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, 'Speak, LORD, for your servant hears.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place. And the LORD came and stood forth, calling as at other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant hears."

GOSPEL LESSON ~ John 1: 29-51 ~ Page 922 in the pew Bible

The next day he [John the Baptist] saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks before me, for he was before me.' I myself did not know him; but for this I came baptizing with water, that he might be revealed to Israel." And John bore witness, "I saw the Spirit descend as a dove from heaven, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him; but he who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain, this is he who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' And I have seen and have borne witness that this is the Son of God." The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples; and he looked at Jesus as he walked, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!"

The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. Jesus turned, and saw them following, and said to them, "What do you seek?" And they said to him, "Rabbi" (which means Teacher), "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying; and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. One of the two who heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his brother Simon, and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ). He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him, and said, "So you are Simon the son of John? You shall be called Cephas" (which means Peter).