

For I am God and no mortal,  
the Holy One in your midst,  
and I will not come in wrath.

**Hosea 11:9**

For God satisfies the thirsty,  
and fills the hungry with good  
things.

**Psalms 107:9**

When Christ who is your life  
is revealed, then you also will  
be revealed with him in glory.

**Colossians 3:4**

And he said to them, "Take  
care! Be on your guard against  
all kinds of greed; for one's life  
does not consist in the abun-  
dant possession of things."

**Luke 12:15**

#### **Guest Reflections**

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#### **To Our Guests**

We are glad you are with  
us. Please sign the guest  
book by the front door and  
fill in a visitor's card from  
the pew pocket. After the  
service enjoy a cup of fair  
trade coffee with friends  
in the Fellowship Hall.

## **THE FONT OF IDENTITY**

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### **+Introit (2x)**

*Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness,  
and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!*

*Ask, and it shall be given unto you; seek, and you shall find;  
knock, and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!*

### **Proclamation**

In life and death we belong to God.  
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit,  
we trust in the one triune God,  
whom alone we worship and serve.

### **Prayer**

#### **\*+Hymn 450**

"Be Thou My Vision"

#### **Prayer For Wholeness**

Generous Giver,  
you pour forth your extravagant bounty  
without measure  
upon your whole creation.  
Teach us such generosity,  
that the fruits of our spirits  
and the works of our hands may be used  
for the building of your commonwealth of blessing.

#### **+Kyrie (2x)**

*Lord, have mercy upon us;  
Christ, have mercy upon us;  
Lord, have mercy upon us.*

#### **Declaration of Grace and Gratitude**

#### **\*+Alleluia (repeat 2x)**

*Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah.*

#### **Blessing the World**

Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania

#### **First Pew**

### **+Response**

*Angels we have heard on high, sweetly singing o'er the plains,  
and the mountains in reply echoing their joyous strains.*

*Gloria in excelsis Deo! Gloria in excelsis Deo!*

### **Welcome and Parish Life**

### **THE WORD OF HOPE**

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#### **Reading**

#### **Interlude**

#### **Lesson**

Luke 12:13-21

### **Reflections on Youth Mission Trip**

#### **\*+Response 351**

"All Who Love and Serve Your City"

### **THE BREAD OF LIFE**

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#### **Prayer for Others**

#### **Offering Our Gifts**

#### **Offertory**

#### **\*Acclamation**

With believers in every time and place  
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death  
can separate us from the love of God  
in Christ Jesus, our Lord

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#### **\*+Sending (2x)**

*Walk with me, I will walk with you,  
and build the land that God has planned  
where love shines through.*

#### **\*Benediction**

#### **Postlude**

Do not be wise in words - be  
wise in deeds.

**Jewish Proverb**

Think good thoughts, say nice  
things, do good for others.  
Everything comes back.

**Buddha**

Always aim at complete  
harmony of thought and word  
and deed.

**Gandhi**

There are many paths to  
enlightenment. Be sure to take  
the one with a heart.

**Lao Tzu**

*\*Please rise in body and spirit.*

#### **Lesson Translation**

New Revised  
Standard Version

#### **Flowers**

Provided by many  
generous donations from  
the congregation

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**Eighteenth Sunday**  
Ordinary Time

**July 31, 2022**  
11:00 a.m.

**Sunday, July 31 • Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

*Hosea 11:1–11; Psalm 107:1–9, 43; Colossians 3:1–11; Luke 12:13–21*

8:30 a.m. Early Service of Worship - Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. Service of Worship - Sanctuary and Facebook Live!  
Sunday Studio - Children ages 3-5th Grade (Classroom and Recorded)

**Friday, August 5**

9:00 a.m. Friday Painters - Fellowship Hall

**Sunday, August 7 • Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

*Isaiah 1:1, 10–20; Psalm 50:1–8, 22–23; Hebrews 11:1–3, 8–16; Luke 12:32–40*

8:30 a.m. Early Service of Worship and Communion - Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. Service of Worship and Communion - Sanctuary and Facebook Live!  
Sunday Studio - Children ages 3-5th Grade (Classroom and Recorded)  
5:00 p.m. Community Dinner - Zion Episcopal Church Social Center, 215 E. Washington St., Charles Town, WV 25414

**MUSIC IN WORSHIP:** The Introit is a meditative reflection on Scripture as a form of prayer. The Opening Hymn is based on a tenth century Irish monastic prayer. The Kyrie and Alleluia are 20th century versions of traditional liturgical texts. The First Pew Response invites us to receive the wisdom of our children as if they have been the voices of angels, using a beloved 18th century French Christmas Carol. The Sermon Hymn offers a 20th century contribution to the much-neglected genre of “urban hymns.” The Sending Hymn celebrates LGBTQIA+ vision and leadership throughout the church.

**WELCOME JILLIAN DILLOW, CHRISTA JOYCE AND SOPHIA TUZZIO** offering Guest Reflections on the Youth Mission Trip to The Center in Baltimore this month.

**GUNS TO GARDENS INFO SESSIONS.** Want to do something tangible and positive about gun violence in our community? The Social Justice Committee will be sponsoring several short “Guns To Gardens” (G2G) info sessions this summer. Come in person or on-line to learn about this transformative effort (sponsored by Presbyterian Peace Fellowship), and how you can help. Session options are: August 14 at 10am or August 24 at 7:30pm. Ses-

**Said Light to Darkness**

They think Beauty  
is something the world  
puts on instead of  
the other way around.

**John Berry**

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