

The Purpose and the Necessity of Lamentation

Prelude Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Arr. David Cherwien **Be Still, My Soul**Arr. R. Gary Deavel

Welcome

Responsive Call to Worship

<u>Leader:</u>

Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.

Congregation:

Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

<u>Leader:</u>

Lament and mourn and weep.

Let your laughter be turned into mourning and your joy into dejection.

All:

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

Hymn Holy Holy, Lord God Almighty!

Hymn Forgive Our Sins As We Forgive

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Gloria Patri

Pass The Peace of Christ

Announcements

Solo Be Thou Still

By Joann W. Franck Christie Jones

Scripture Reading Lamentations 1:1-5;18

Sermon The Purpose and the Necessity of Lamentations



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Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn If Thou But Trust In God To Guide Thee

Charge & Benediction

Postlude If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee

Arr. Georg Bohm

In Worship Today:

Rev. John Sowers Rev. Betsy Wynne Vocals: Christie Jones

Organ & Piano: Bonnie Robinson

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