**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**READINGS** [I](https://members.sundaysandseasons.com/Home/TextsAndResources/2020-8-2/2117) Kings 19:9-13

 [Romans 10:8-15](https://members.sundaysandseasons.com/Home/TextsAndResources/2020-8-2/2117)

**GOSPEL** [Matthew 14:22-33](https://members.sundaysandseasons.com/Home/TextsAndResources/2020-8-2/2117)

**SERMON**

**SERMON HYMN** ELW #763 *My Life Flows On in Endless Song*

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

P Lord, in your mercy,

  **C hear our prayer.**

**EXCHANGE OF PEACE**

*Offer to those present and those with you in spirit*

*a gesture of peace, saying, “The peace of Christ be with you.”*

**OFFERING**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**BLESSING**

**SENDING HYMN** *#400 God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind* vss. 3-4

**DISMISSAL**

P Go in peace. Christ is with you. **C Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE** *Variations on a Theme from R. Schumann: Theme C. Schumann*

**Worship Leaders**

Rev. Dr. Steven H. Shussett, Pastor

Ben D’Annibale, Music Director, Pianist, and Video Editor

Melissa Crotty and Heather Hafer, Singers

*Prayers for those with immediate concerns*

Diane Dinkelocker, Shirley Schaeffer, Patrick Pomian,

Gail Silverstein, Larry Galloway, Rachel Shussett,

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**TENTH SUNDAY IN PENTECOST AUGUST 9, 2020**

**SENTENCES OF SCRIPTURE** *2 Corinthians 4:16*

So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day.

**PRELUDE**

 *Theme and Variations in E-flat major for piano, WoO 24: Theme*

 R. Schumann

**OPENING**

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, whose steadfast love is everlasting,

 whose faithfulness endures from generation to generation.

**C Amen.**

P Reconciling God,

**C we deny your presence in our lives.**

**We confess that we do not trust your abundance,**

**and we fail to believe that you provide enough for all.**

**We place our hope in ourselves** **and rely on our own efforts.**

**We fear difference and do not welcome others** **as you have welcomed us.**

**We sin in thought, word, and deed.**

**By your grace, forgive us;** **through your love, renew us;**

**and in your Spirit, lead us;**

**so that we may live and serve you in newness of life. Amen.**

**KYRIE**

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

**WORDS OF FORGIVENESS**

**GATHERING HYMN**, ELW *#400 God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind* vss. 1-2

**GREETING**

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion

 of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C And also with you.**