

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost      July 11, 2021      9:30am

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Gathering and Welcome

\*Call to Worship

One: We gather together to worship, knowing that God is already here among us.

**All: Knowing that there is nothing that separates us from the presence of our Lord.**

One: Wherever we are, wherever we go,

**All: God is near.**

One: So, let us enter into this service of worship with confidence and hope.

**All: Knowing that God is already with us, and that He stands eager to meet us and bless us with His love.**

\*Opening Hymn      "Sing With All the Saints in Glory"      No. 702

\*Opening Prayer

**God the encourager; God, the compassionate; God, the merciful, holy blessed – disturb us. Rouse us from our sleep. Lift us into consciousness of your presence. Change us, move us, mold us for the better; so that, at the sound of your voice, at the call of our name, we will never be the same. May our worship do this and so much more, in the name of Jesus. Amen.**

Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Special Music

Scripture Reading      2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19

\*Hymn of Preparation      "The King of Glory Comes"      TFWS 2091

Scripture Reading      Mark 6:14-29

Sermon      The Perils of Dancing      Pastor Sam

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

\*Closing Hymn      "Blessed Assurance"      No. 369

Thank You

Blessing and Benediction

Postlude

**Large print bulletins and hymnals are available. If you would like one, please see an usher.**