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GERMAN UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH

East Ave. & Dillon St.

Sun. Sept. 24th

to

Sun. Oct. 1st, 1933



Frank W. Schaefer.....:Pastor

LeRoy Seiler
Organist

DEUTSCHER FESTGOTTESDIENST

Sunday, Sept. 24th, 10:30 Uhr

PRAELUDIUM.. "FESTPRAELUDIUM in G"-Mendelssohn

GLORIA PATRI..... "EHR SEI DEM VATER"

INTROITUS..... Psalm 100

Jauchzet dem Herrn, alle Welt; Dienet dem Herrn mit Freuden; Kommt vor sein Angesicht mit Frohlocken! Erkennet, dass der Herr Gott ist! Er hat uns gemacht, und nicht wir selbst, zu seinem Volk und zu Schafen seiner Weide. Gehet zu seinen Toren ein mit Danken, zu seinen Vorhoefen mit Loben; danket ihm, lobet seinen Namen! Denn der Herr ist freundlich, und seine Gnade waehret ewig, und seine Wahrheit fuer und fuer.

CHORAL

Nun danket alle Gott	Der ewig reiche Gott
Mit Herzen, Mund und	Woll uns bei unserm
Haenden,	Leben
Der grosse Dinge tut	Ein immer froehlich Herr
An uns und allen Enden,	Und edlen Frieden geben
Der uns von Mutterleib	Und uns in seiner Gnad
Und Kindesbeinen an	Erhalten fort und fort
Unzaehlich viel zu gut	Und uns aus aller Not
Und noch jetzund getan.	Erloesen hier und dort.

Lob, Ehr und Preis sei Gott,
Dem Vater und dem Sohne
Und dem, der beiden gleich,
Im hoechsten Himmelsthronen,
Dem dreimaleinen Gott,
Als er anfaenglich war
Und ist und bleiben wird
Jetzund und immerdar!

DIE HEILIGE SCHRIFT..... Psalm 111; Ephes. 4:3-16

RESPONSORIUM..... "JEHOVAH"

PASTORAL GEBET

GLAUBENSBEKENNTNISS

SOLO....."Der Weg zum Frieden"....D'Barnard
Herr Charles Johnson, Jr.

ANKUENDIGUNGEN

FEST-KOLLEKTE....."Andante".....Boelmann

CHORAL

Lobe den Herren, O meine Seele!
Ich will ihn loben biss zum Tod;
Weil ich noch Stunden auf Erden Zaehle,
Will ich lob singen meinem Gott.
Der Leib und Sell gegeben hat,
Werde gepriesen frueh und spat.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Selig, ja selig ist der zu nennen,
Des Hilfe der Gott Jakobs ist,
Welcher vom Glauben sich nichts laesst
trennen
Und Hofft getrost auf Jesum Christ.
Wer diesen Herrn zum Beistand hat,
Findet am besten Rat und Tat.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Ruehmet, ihr Menschen, den hohen Namen
Des, der so grosse Wunder tut.
Alles, was Odem hat, rufe Amen
Und bringe Lob mit frohem Mut.
Ihr Kinder Gottes, lobt und preist
Vater und Sohn und Heiligen Geist.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

FEST-PREDIGT.....Pastor Charles Enders

GEBET UND VATER UNSER

CHOR-GESANG "Der Herr Ist Gott"..Meyerbeer

SEGEN

AUSGANGSLIED

STILLES GEBET

POSTLUDIUM.."CONCERT POSTLUDE in D MINOR"....
.....Kramer

SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE

Sunday, Sept. 24th, 7:45 P. M.

PRELUDE... "Second Sonata, Part 1"... Mendelsschn

GLORIA PATRI

CALL TO WORSHIP..... Psalm 100

HYMN..... I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

I love Thy Kingdom, Lord,
The house of Thine abode,
The Church our blest Redeemer saved
With His own precious blood.

I love Thy Church, O God;
Her walls before Thee stand
Dear as the apple of Thine eye,
And graven on Thy hand.

For her my tears shall fall,
For her my prayers ascend;
To her my cares and toils be giv'n
Till toils and cares shall end.

Beyond my highest joy
I prize her heav'nly ways,
Her sweet communion, solemn vows,
Her hymns of love and praise.

SCRIPTURE READING..... Psalm 103

RESPONSE..... (In Unison)

Break Thou the Bread of life

Dear Lord to me,

As Thou didst break it once

Beside the sea;

Beyond the sacred page

I seek Thee, Lord;

My spirit pants for Thee

O living Word!

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE..... (In Unison)

THREE

Sweet hour of prayer; sweet hour of prayer,
That calls me from a world of care,
And bids me at my Father's throne
Make all my wants and wishes known;
In seasons of distress and grief
My soul has often found relief,
And oft escaped the tempter's share
By thy return, sweet hour of prayer.

APOSTLES CREED

CHOIR ANTHEM-"Behold There Shall be a Day"
Schnecker

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Milton Sahlman)

OFFERTORY-Solo-"Oh, Lord Remember Me"-Roma

CONSECRATION OF THE OFFERING...The Pastor

HYMN--Faith of our fathers living still
In spite of dungeon, fire and sword,
O how our hearts beat high with joy
When'er we hear that glorious word
Faith of our fathers, holy faith
We will be true to Thee till death.

Faith of our fathers, we will strive
To win all nations unto Thee;
And thro' the truth that comes from God
Mankind shall then indeed be free.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith
We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our Fathers; we will love
Both friend and foe in all our strife
And preach thee, too, as love knows how
By kindly deeds and virtuous life.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith
We will be true to thee till death.

SERMON..."Building the Church"-Rev. F. C. Rueggeberg

PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHOIR ANTHEM-"Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect
Peace." Lowden

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE..Grand Chucur Militare"...Grim

FOUR

SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE
Monday, Sept. 25th, 7:45 P.M.

PRELUDE....."Intermezzo".....Keller

GLORIA PATRI

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN

Glorious things of thee are spoken,
Zion, city of our God;
He whose word cannot be broken
Formed thee for His own abode:
On the Rock of Ages founded,
What can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
Thou may'st smile at all thy foes.

See the streams of living waters,
Springing from eternal Love,
Well supply thy sons and daughters,
And all fear of want remove:
Who can faint, when such a river
Ever flows their thirst to assuage;
Grace, which, like the Lord the Giver,
Never fails from age to age?

Saviour, if of Zion's city
I thro' grace a member am,
Let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in Thy name:
Fading is the worldling's pleasure,
All his boasted pomp and show;
Solid joys and lasting treasure
None but Zion's children know.

THE SCRIPTURE READING.....Col.1:9-20

RESPONSE....."Break Thou the Bread of Life"

ANNIVERSARY PRAYER.....The Pastor

CHOIR ANTHEM.."How Beautiful Upon the Mountains"..
.....Miles

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FIVE

OFFERTORY....."Saviour Divine".....Hershey
Male Quartet

CONSECRATION OF THE OFFERING.....The Pastor

HYMN

The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is His new creation
By water and the word;
From heav'n He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

Tho' with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore oppressed,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distressed;
Yet saints their watch are keeping,
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.
O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace, that we,
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with Thee.

SERMON....."The Challenge of the Present"....
.....Rev. Paul L. Schmidt

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

CHOIR ANTHEM.."I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes".Parks

ANNIVERSARY GREETINGS BY THE ORGANIZATIONS

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE....."Finale in B Flat".....Maxson

SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE

COMMUNITY NIGHT

Tuesday, Sept. 26th, 7:45P.M.

PRELUDE... "Andante Con Moto"... Mendelsschn

GLORIA PATRI

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN

Open now thy gates of beauty,
Zion, let me enter there,
Where my soul in joyful duty
Waits for Him who answers prayer:
O how blessed is this place,
Filled with solace, light, and grace!

Yes, my God, I come before Thee,
Come Thou also down to me;
Where we find Thee and adore Thee,
There a heav'n on earth must be:
To my heart O enter Thou,
Let it be Thy temple now.

Here Thy praise is gladly chanted,
Here Thy seed is duly sown;
Let my soul, where it is planted,
Bring forth precious sheaves alone;
So that all I hear may be
Fruitful unto life in me.

THE READING OF GOD'S WORD... Psalm 122... Col. 3:12-17

RESPONSE..... "Break Thou The Bread of Life"

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHOIR ANTHEM... "Lift Up Your Heads"... Ashford

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY--SOLO.."Come, Ye Blessed".....Scott
Mr. Milton Sahlman

CONSECRATION OF THE OFFERING.....The Pastor

HYMN

O where are kings and empires now
Of old that went and came?
But, Lord, Thy Church is praying yet,
A thousand years the same.

We mark her goodly battlements
And her foundations strong,
We hear within the solemn voice
Of her unending song.

For not like kingdoms of the world
Thy holy Church, O God!
Tho' earth-quake shocks are threat'ning her,
And tempests are abroad;

Unshaken as eternal hills,
Immovable she stands,
A mountain that shall fill the earth,
A house not made by hands.

SERMON.....Rev. Oscar F. Blackwelder, D. D.

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

CHOIR ANTHEM..."Hark, Hark My Soul"....Hamer

GREETINGS BY COMMUNITY PASTORS

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE....."Postlude in C".....Grim

DEUTSCHER FESTGOTTESDIENST

Sonntag Oct. 1, 10:30 Uhr

PRAELUDIUM....."Prayer.....Loret

GLORIA PATRI

INTROITUS.....Psalm 122

CHORAL

O dass ich tausend Zungen haette,
Und einen tausendfachen Mund
So stimmt' ich damit um die Wette,
Vom allertiefsten Herzensgrund,
Ein Loblied nach dem andern an,
Vom dem, was Gott an mir getan.

O dass doch meine Stimme schallte
Bis dahin, wo die Sonne steht!
O dass mein Blut mit Jauchzen wallte,
So lang es noch im Laufe geht!
Ach waer! ein jeder Puls ein Dank
Und jeder Odem ein Gesang.

Was schweigt ihr denn, ihr meine Kraefte?
Auf, auf, braucht allen euren Fleiss,
Und stehet munter im Geschaefte
Zu Gottes, meines Herren Preis.
Mein Leib und Seele, schicke dich,
Und lobe Gott herzinniglich.

DIE HEILIGE SCHRIFT.....Psalm 24; 1 Peter-2:21-25

JEHOVAH

CHOR-GESANG-"Jauchzet Dem Herrn"...Molitor

ANKUENDIGUNGEN

KOLLEKTE-SOLO--"Herr, Den Ich Tief Im Herzen
Trage"..Hiller

Frau Mary Trautner

CHORAL

Erhalt uns deine Lehre, Herr zu der letzten
Zeit; Erhalt dein Reich, und mehre Dein edle
Christenheit; Erhalte festen Glauben, Der
Hoffnung hellen Strahl, Lass uns dein Wort
nicht rauben, In diesem Jammerthal.

Erhalt was du gebauet Und durch dein Blut
erkauft, Was du dir selbst vertrauet, Und was
auf dich getauft. So viele Feinde stuermen Zu
deiner Kirche Fall; Du aber wollst sie schirmen
Als Hort und Felsenwall.

Erhalt uns Herr dein Erbe, Dein wertes
Heiligtum. Zerbrich, zerwirf, verderbe, was
wider deinen Ruhm. Lass dein Gesetz uns
fuehren, Goenn uns dein Himmelsbrot. Lass
Heiligkeit uns zieren, Uns treu sein bis zum
Tod.

PREDIGT

DAS VATER UNSER

SOLO....."Er Weidet Seine Herde".....Händel

Frau Anna Louise Schaefer

SEGEN

AUSGANGSLIED

STILLES GEBET

POSTLUDIUM....."March Romaine".....Gounod

SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE

Sunday Oct. 1st-7:45 P. M.

PRELUDE....KUNIHILD".....Kistler

GLORIA PATRI

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN

Rejoice, ye pure in heart,
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing;
Your festal banner wave on high,
The cross of Christ your King!
Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks and sing.

Bright youth and snow-crowned age,
Strong men and maidens meek,
Raise high your free, exulting song,
God's wondrous praises speak!
Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks and sing.

With all the angel choirs,
With all the saints on earth,
Pour out the strains of joy and bliss,
True rapture, noblest mirth!
Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks and sing.

Yes, on through life's long path,
Still chanting as you go,
From youth to age, by night, by day,
In gladness and in woe;
Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks and sing.

Still lift your standard high,
Still march in firm array,
As warriors through the darkness toil
Till dawns the golden day.
Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks and sing.

Then on, ye pure in heart,
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing;
Your glorious banner wave on high,
The cross of Christ your King!
Rejoice, rejoice, Rejoice, give thanks and sing.

THE SCRIPTURE READING...Psalm 121..Rom.12:1-6

RESPONSE - "Break Thou The Bread of Life"

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHOIR ANTHEM..."Bless The Lord".....Williams

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY-SOLO..."The Broken Pinion"..Johnson
Mr. Milton Sahlman

HYMN

Lead us, heav'nly Father, lead us
O'er the world's tempest'ous sea;
Guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,
For we have no help but Thee;
Yet in Thy divine and gracious blessing
All the wealth of heav'n and earth possessing.

Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us;
All our weakness Thou dost know;
Thou didst tread the earth before us,
Thou didst feel its keenest woe;
Be Thou with us in the journey dreary,
Sin and sorrow cannot make us weary.

Spirit of our God, descending,
Fill our hearts with heav'nly joy;
Love with ev'ry passion blending,
Pleasure that can never cloy;
By Thy Holy Spirit blest and guided,
Thus our ev'ry want shall be provided.

SERMON.....Rev. C. T. Schaefer

PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

CHOIR ANTHEM.."Our Light and Salvation"..Judson

CANDLE LIGHT SERVICE

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE...."ATHALIA OVERTURE"....Mendelssohn