

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

8:25 A.M. & 11:05 A.M. — TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

*Passing the Peace

L: The peace of the Lord be with all of you

P: And also with you.

Children's Sermon (11:05 a.m.)

Anthem "Kyrie" from *Mass in G* Schubert
Blair Doerge, soprano

*Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison, Kyrie eleison.
Lord, have mercy,
Christ, have mercy,
Lord, have mercy.*

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

Old Testament Reading Psalm 103 (*Responsively*) (Page 899)

***Hymn #284** *Rock of Ages* TOPLADY

New Testament Reading 1 Peter 1: 3-9 (Page 1805)

L. This is the word of the Lord

P. Thanks be to God!

Sermon "Thank God for Mercy" Pastor Tom Edwards
(*Print or listen to each week's sermon by going to www.fpc-kingwood.org*)

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*The 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 Ghost, 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offertory *Lord, Here am I* Crosby/Althouse
Beth Higgins, mezzo soprano

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn #451** *Lead On, O King Eternal* LANCASHIRE

***Congregational Prayer** NATIONAL HYMN

God of Our Fathers

God of our Fathers, whose Almighty Hand
Leads, guards and guides us when in foreign lands.
Our forces serve the cause of peace today.
Protect and bring our troops home safe we pray.

Refresh thy people on their toilsome way
Lead us from night to never ending day.
Fill all our lives with love and grace divine
And glory, laud, and praise be ever Thine.

Postlude *Toccatà in D Minor* Bach

Today's Music

Franz Schubert (1797-1828) is one of the greatest composers of all time. Born in Vienna, the musical capital of the world, his pious father was a schoolteacher, and the family eked out a humble living. Schubert grew up around music, and showed a natural talent at an early age. It is astounding to think of the sheer volume of music he wrote in his short life.

The Mass in G was written when Schubert was just eighteen years old, and remains one of the most popular musical settings of the mass liturgy because of its beautiful melody, compact nature, and accessibility. The Kyrie (first movement) is in a major key (unlike many Kyrie's) and utilizes a short soprano solo during the middle "Christe" section. It is as if Schubert was showing his confidence of God's mercy by setting these ancient words in such a cheery way.

**Those who are able, please stand.*

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SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

Sanctuary Flowers Placed This Week

- By Lisa Wagner in memory of her father, Jack Morris.
- By Ramie Simmons in memory of Ham Simmons.
- In memory of Dick Gullette, from his loving family.

Music Participants

Dr. John Cornelius, II, Piano

John Gearhart III, Organ

Lay Reader

8:25 a.m. — Patsy Clegg

11:05 a.m. — John Johnston

Elder of the Week

Mary Gilbert

Deacon of the Week

Bob McCann

Greeters

8:25 a.m. - Helen & Ted Doyle

11:05 a.m. - Vy Trusdale

Ushers

8:25 a.m. — Captain Mike Townsend, Lew Ifft, Pat Murphy, Tom Mattox, Harvey Louderback, Anne Townsend, David Magrill, Don Gilbert

11:05 a.m. — Captain Steve Stout, Bill Collier, Bob Dorrill, Murray Fordree, Susan Groudle, Tim Groudle, Earl Hale, Laurie Jones, David Jones, Tom Schafer, Susie Swaner,

Coffee Hosts

8:25 a.m. — Shelene Braunstein

11:05 a.m. —