

Moravian Music Sunday
May 15, 2022
Theme: 300th Anniversary of the Founding of Herrnhut

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP: Eternal Savior, sometimes we feel adrift in life, drowning in sorrow. We look to you for rescue and deliverance when the waves get too high. We need your steady arms to hold us and provide us with comfort. Amen.

[Prayer from the Daily Text for Sunday, May 15, 2022]

HYMN 794, *Blessed Be the Day When I Must Roam*

INNSBRUCK (79A)

LITURGY FOR MORAVIAN MUSIC SUNDAY

STATEMENT FOR MORAVIAN MUSIC SUNDAY

ANTHEM

SCRIPTURES:

Acts 11:1-18 [Peter's report to the church in Jerusalem, God's revelation]

Psalm 148 [All creation praises the Lord]

Revelation 21:1-6 [the home of God is among mortals]

HYMN 793, *When We Lift Our Pack and Go*

LEONARD

GOSPEL: John 13:31-35 [Jesus gives a new commandment]

SERMON [*You may wish to explore how Zinzendorf embodied Jesus' call to love his brothers and sisters, even as they were poor refugees; how their refugee experience echoes that of the child Jesus with Mary and Joseph; and how he led the new community in Herrnhut in its quest to learn to love one another. How might we learn to love one another, even – or especially – refugees and immigrants?]*

OFFERING:

OFFERTORY INVITATION

ANTHEM

DOXOLOGY

PRAYER

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD [*Pray especially for those who seek a home, and for ears to hear the call to welcome the stranger and immigrant among us. Offer thanksgiving that we can learn through God's gift of music, and pray that we may live what we sing. Or consider using the prayers on page 57 in the Moravian Book of Worship.]*

HYMN 799, *Jesus, Still Lead On*

SEELLENBRÄUTIGAM (68 A)

POSTLUDE