OF 39 congregations in our diocese, 24 were organized before 1860. Of these, 8 predate the Revolution. The Society for the Propagation of the Gospel (SPG), founded in London in 1701 to evangelize the Empire, established Anglican churches in Delaware. From 1710 SPG was partially funded by profits from the largest slave worked sugar plantation in the West Indies and continued to utilize slaves until the 1833 abolition of slavery in the British empire. Some Delaware clergy owned slaves, as did lay members. An 18th century vestry of Old Swedes, Wilmington provided an enslaved woman for the Rectory.

In the decades following the Civil War, the denial of basic human rights afforded whites in the Constitution were legally denied to African Americans by Delaware law. The Church was too often silent.

Service of Repentance for Slavery
In the Diocese of Delaware

Saturday, October 30, 2010
11:00 a.m.

The Cathedral Church of St. John
10 Concord Avenue
Wilmington, Delaware 19802

RSVP Essential:
cyndebimbi@dioceseofdelaware.net or
Call Cynde at 302-656-5443, ext. 106
No later than October 15, 2010
Reception To Follow Service

11 AM
October 30, 2010

In the Diocese of Delaware
For Slavery
Service of Repentance
We seek the understanding and eagerly necessary for success in education.

The Laughter

Children of Eternity deserve our utmost to stand and play this game.

The Liturgy

Let us make known, for God is good.

Home: Bhajan Writhe

Copper Beadings 9:18-21

- God of love and God of glory (Cwm Rhondda)
- Copper Beadings (Cwm Rhondda)

The Second Reading: A Letter to the Church in Damascus

The Lessons

Psalm 116

The congregation stands and joins the choir in singing

The Lessons
After the sermon, all stand and sing the Officers Hymn:

Wilt thou, O Lord, my God, hear the words of my mouth? wilt thou be gracious to me? give ear unto the voice of my supplications. Selah.

Then sing with all the congregation, Ps. 100.

The Lord is good, and his mercy endures forever. Ps. 100:5.

Blessed are they that keep the law, and observe the testimony of the Lord. Ps. 111:7.
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The Eucharistic Prayer: Regarding our Worship, Part 1


The Eucharistic Prayer: Ending our Worship, Part 1


The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

God, you are the source of all salvation. We only know about you through the habit of your mercy, through your holy prophets and apostles, who witnessed your power and the works of your grace, your love and your truth. We give you praise and glory, together with the whole Trinity, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
The people of God, let us keep the feast. 

Then this kingdom is kept, 

The Breaking of the Bread.
PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICE

Johnathan Whitley, Elder
Volunteer Swim Drainage Crew

Thank you God.
Let us go forth into the world, reaffirming the power of the spirit.

Dismissal
Bishop Wayne Wright
The Rev. Rob Wells
Deacon Cecily Sawyer-Fleming
Rev. Quinn Cary
Rev. Quick
The Rev. Ruth Kirk
The Very Rev. William B. Lane
The Rev. F. Holden
Pamela Hamption
Horwood Coleman
David Christopher
The Rev. Earl Beach
The Rev. David Matthews
The Rev. Edward Camden Co-Chair
Joyce Bemph Co-Chair

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