

THE LORD’S DAY
October 21, 2018

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *1 Chronicles* 16:8-11

*INVOCATION

*HYMN: **Trinity 168** - *I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, who brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly acknowledge that we have not lived in a manner worthy of Your redeeming grace. You have raised us up with Christ who is seated at Your right hand. You have commanded us to set our minds on things above and not on the things of earth. Yet we have transgressed Your laws by loving ourselves more than You, our God, or our neighbors. We are so easily caught up in the materialism of our day, worshipping the creature and the creation, rather than You, our Creator. Thus, do we forget Your mighty victory over sin and death. Have mercy on us, O God. Deliver us from immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed, which is idolatry. Do not leave us to ourselves but send Your Spirit that we may live above this fallen world, and show forth Your resurrection power. In the exalted name of our risen Savior, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Hebrews* 8:10-12

*GLORIA PATRI - **Trinity 735**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *The Heidelberg Catechism* 124-125 (Responsively)

Q. 124. What is the third petition?

A. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. That is: Grant that we and all men may renounce our own will, and yield ourselves without gainsaying, to Thy will which alone is good; that so every one may fulfill his office and calling, as willingly and truly as the angels do in heaven.

Q. 125. What is the fourth petition?

A. Give us this day our daily bread. That is: Be pleased to provide for all our bodily need; that we may thereby know that Thou art the only fountain of all good, and that without Thy blessing, neither our care and labor, nor Thy gifts can profit us; and may therefore withdraw our trust from all creatures, and place it alone in Thee.

CONGREGATIONAL SCRIPTURE READING: *Genesis* 15:1-6, Insert/LP p. 1242

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*PSALTER: **Bible Songs 45** - *He Leadeth Me* (Second Tune)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Ephesians* 3:14-21 (p. 977; LP p. 1160)

SERMON: “Prayer for Divine Power, Love, and Fullness”

*HYMN: **Trinity 353** - *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord*

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY - **Trinity 731**

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: *Threefold Amen* - **Trinity 740**

POSTLUDE

*Please stand, if able

*Greetings! Our church family extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. If you are visiting with us, please allow us to get to know you by completing a **guest card** in the pew rack and placing it in the offering plate. Pastor Seth will greet you in the Main St. vestibule following the service.*

	10-21-2018	10-28-2018
Flowers	Faye Hill	
Nursery	Rachel Faulkenberry, Abigail Yi	
Ushers	George Farris, Jean Williamson, Herb Seigler, David Jennings	