

THE LORD’S DAY
November 18, 2018

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Psalm* 104:31-35

*INVOCATION

*HYMN: **Trinity 715** - *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Most holy and merciful Father, we confess to You and to one another, and to the whole communion of saints in heaven and on earth, that we have sinned by our own fault in thought, word, and deed; against Your holy law by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart, and mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not forgiven others, as we have been forgiven. We have been deaf to Your call to serve, as Christ served us. We have not been true to the mind of Christ. We have grieved Your Holy Spirit. We confess to You, Lord, all our past unfaithfulness: the pride, hypocrisy, and impatience of our lives. Have mercy on us, O Lord, and forgive our sins, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Joel* 2:12-13

GLORIA PATRI* - **Trinity 735

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *Westminster Confession of Faith*, Ch. 1. Sec. 1

Although the light of nature, and the works of creation and providence, do so far manifest the goodness, wisdom, and power of God, as to leave men inexcusable; yet they are not sufficient to give that knowledge of God, and of his will, which is necessary unto salvation: therefore it pleased the Lord, at sundry times, and in divers manners, to reveal himself, and to declare that his will unto his Church; and afterwards, for the better preserving and propagating of the truth, and for the more sure establishment and comfort of the church against the corruption of the flesh, and the malice of Satan and of the world, to commit the same wholly unto writing; which maketh the Holy Scripture to be most necessary; those former ways of God’s revealing his will unto his people being now ceased.

CONGREGATIONAL SCRIPTURE READING: 2 *Samuel* 7:1-16, LP p. 1244

ANTHEM:

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 144** - *My Heart Was Glad*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Ephesian* 4:13-16 (p. 978; LP p. 1161)

SERMON: “Growing Up into Christ”

*HYMN: **Trinity 529** - *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

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.*

	11-18-2018	11-25-2018
Flowers	Julia Rikard	
Nursery	Joanna Bedenbaugh	
Ushers	George Farris, Jean Williamson, Herb Seigler, David Jennings	