

# THE LORD'S DAY

November 19, 2023

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

INTROIT

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Psalm* 65:1-4

\*INVOCATION

\*HYMN: **Trinity 32** - *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

CORPORATE AND PERSONAL CONFESSION OF SIN

Minister: O Lord, no day of our lives has passed that has not proved us guilty in Your sight.

**All: In our own power, our hearts are prayerless. In our own strength, our lips offer no sound of worthy praise.**

Minister: Let us flee from the altar of perfect obedience to Your throne of boundless grace.

**All: Grant us to hear Your voice which mercifully assures us that in Christ Jesus we are forgiven.**

Minister: Give us faith to trust fully that in Jesus our grievous and manifold sins are buried in the ocean of His cleansing blood.

**All: Our only hope as Your people is in Christ, and so in His name we pray. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Psalm* 66:18-20

\*GLORIA PATRI - **Trinity 735**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.**

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *Heidelberg Catechism* Q. 17-18

Q. 17. Why must he in one person be also very God?

**A. That he might, by the power of his Godhead sustain in his human nature, the burden of God's wrath; and might obtain for, and restore to us, righteousness and life.**

Q. 18. Who then is that Mediator, who is in one person both very God, and a real righteous man?

**A. Our Lord Jesus Christ: "who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption."**

CONGREGATIONAL SCRIPTURE READING: *Psalm* 5 (Insert)

\*HYMN: **Bible Songs 9** - *Morning Prayer (Psa. 5)*

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.**

ANTHEM: *Thank You, Lord, for Your Blessings*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Revelation* 8:1-5 (p. 1032, LP p. 1223)

SERMON: "Praying in Concert with God's Plan"

\*HYMN: **Insert** - *Speak, O Lord* (Stanzas 1-2)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (**Bread** is gluten free; **Wine** is on the outer ring)

\*HYMN: **Insert** - *Speak, O Lord* (Stanza 3)

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY - **Trinity 731**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**May the peace of God, our heav'nly Father, and the grace of Christ, the risen Son, And the fellowship of God the Spirit, keep our hearts and minds within his love. And to him be praise for his glorious reign from the depths of earth to the heights of heav'n, We declare the name of the Lamb once slain, Christ eternal, the King of Kings.**

POSTLUDE

*\*Please stand, if able*

*If you are visiting with us, please complete a Visitor's Card and place it in the offering plate. Thank you!*

If you need **prayer**, an **elder** is available following the service by the door to the anteroom.