## THE LORD'S DAY November 29, 2020

**PRELUDE** 

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

Introit

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: John 1:14

\*INVOCATION

\*HYMN: **Trinity 195** - Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come

CONFESSION OF SIN

Minister: O gracious God, do not rebuke us in Your anger, nor discipline us in Your wrath.

All: You are holy, and our sins keep us from Your presence. Heal us from our sin, for which we are troubled.

Minister: We are full of infirmities, wants and sin; You are full of grace.

All: We confess our sin, our frequent sin, our willful sin.

Minister: Your ways are right, O righteous God. Save us in Your mercy, deliver us by Your steadfast love.

All: You are merciful to those who seek You. Accept our plea and forgive us all our sins through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Luke 1:68-69

\*GLORIA PATRI - **Trinity 735** 

\*Affirmation of Faith: Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 21-23

Q. 21. Who is the Redeemer of God's elect?

A. The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continueth to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever.

Q. 22. How did Christ, being the Son of God, become man?

A. Christ, the Son of God, became man, by taking to himself a true body, and a reasonable soul, being conceived by the power of the Holy Ghost, in the womb of the virgin Mary, and born of her, yet without sin.

Q. 23. What offices doth Christ execute as our Redeemer?

A. Christ, as our Redeemer, executeth the offices of a prophet, of a priest, and of a king, both in his estate of humiliation and exaltation.

ADVENT READING AND CANDLE LIGHTING (Hope): Isaiah 9:2-7 (Insert)

ANTHEM: God So Loved the World (Words on back)

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 Song 3** - The Kingship of Jesus

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: Isaiah 9:1-7

SERMON: "Jesus Christ, the Wonderful Counselor"

\*HYMN: **Trinity 194** - O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY - **Trinity 731** 

\*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

Greetings! Our church family extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. If you are visiting with us, please complete a **Visitor's Card** in the pew rack 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.