

THE LORD'S DAY

January 3, 2021

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Psalm* 105:1-4

*INVOCATION

*HYMN: **Trinity 97** - *We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty Father, You are the source of every good and perfect gift. We praise Your name for the greatest and most perfect gift, Your son, our Lord Jesus Christ. But in lifting Him up, we humble ourselves before You. We confess to You, not only our sins of omission in failing to do what we know is right, but also our sins of commission in doing what You forbid. O Lord, we are weak and feeble, slow to confess our sins and prone to wander from the path of righteousness. Do not deal with us as our sins deserve but wash us clean in the blood of the Lamb and empower us by Your Spirit to live to honor and serve our Savior King. We praise You that He was born like us that we might become like Him. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Isaiah* 53:11-12

*GLORIA PATRI - **Trinity 735**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *The Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL SCRIPTURE READING: *Psalm* 47

ARP PSALTER: 7A (*Psalm* 7:1-9)

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.

***BIBLE SONG 242** (*Psalm* 116) - *I Love the Lord*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Luke* 18:28-34

SERMON: "Is He Worthy?"

*HYMN: **Trinity 247** - *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* (Stanzas 1-2)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (Wine is located on the outer ring)

*HYMN: **Trinity 247** - *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* (Stanza 3)

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.