

# THE LORD'S DAY

February 18, 2024

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

INTROIT

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Psalms* 138:7-8

\*INVOCATION

\*HYMN: **Trinity 570** - *Faith of Our Fathers*

CORPORATE AND PERSONAL CONFESSION OF SIN

**Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Humble us so that we might be restored in the light of your forgiving mercies. For we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Romans* 5:9-11

\*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. 35-36

Q. 35. What is the meaning of these words, "he was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary?"

**A. That God's eternal Son, who is, and continueth true and eternal God, took upon him the very nature of man, of the flesh and blood of the Virgin Mary, by the operation of the Holy Ghost, that he might also be the true seed of David, like unto his brethren in all things, sin excepted.**

Q. 36. What profit dost thou receive by Christ's holy conception and nativity?

**A. That he is our mediator, and with his innocence and perfect holiness covers, in the sight of God, my sins, wherein I was conceived and brought forth.**

CONGREGATIONAL SCRIPTURE READING: *Psalms* 21 (Insert)

ANTHEM: *The Longer I Serve Him*

(Children ages 0-4 may exit the sanctuary at this time on the right side to go to nursery; they will be returned to parents when the sermon has concluded.)

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.**

\*HYMN: **Bible Songs 12** - *God the Righteous Judge (Psa. 7)*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Revelation* 14:14-20 (p. 1036, LP p. 1228)

SERMON: "Christ's Final Harvest"

\*HYMN: **Insert** - *Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me* (Stanzas 1-2)

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

\*HYMN: **Insert** - *Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me* (Stanzas 3-4)

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.