The Lord's Day April 16, 2017

Welcome and Announcements (10:55 AM)

Prelude

*Call to Worship: Luke 24:1-7

*Invocation

*Hymn: **Trinity 274** - Thine Be the Glory

Confession of Sin

Minister: Lord Jesus Christ, who died that we might live, who became sin that we might become the righteousness of God, who conquered death that we might reign with You eternally, hear our earnest prayers of confession.

All: We have failed in our love to You and our neighbor, we have sinned against Your redeeming love; we are not worthy to be called Your sons and daughters.

Minister: Please forgive us and enable us to walk in the light of Your living presence. Renew our joy and our desire to serve You.

All: Revive our hearts, that we may hereafter give You glory, through Jesus Christ, who is our resurrection and our life. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Colossians 2:13-15

*Gloria Patri - Trinity 735

*Affirmation of Faith: The Westminster Shorter Catechism 49-52 (Responsively)

Q. 49. Which is the second commandment?

A. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them, for I the LORD thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me, and shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

Q. 50. What is required in the second commandment?

A. The second commandment requireth the receiving, observing, and keeping pure and entire, all such religious worship and ordinances as God hath appointed in his Word.

Q. 51. What is forbidden in the second commandment?

A. The second commandment forbiddeth the worshiping of God by images, or any other way not appointed in his Word.

Q. 52. What are the reasons annexed to the second commandment?

A. The reasons annexed to the second commandment are, God's sovereignty over us, his propriety in us, and the zeal he hath to his own worship.

Congregational Scripture Reading: Psalm 69:1-18, p. 809

Anthem: Glorious Risen Christ

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 26** - *Immortality and Resurrection*

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Text: Zechariah 6:1-8, Matthew 27:50-54 (p. 795, 835; LP p. 945, 992)

Sermon: "Longing for the Triumph of God"

*Hymn: **Trinity 276** - *Up from the Grave He Arose*

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

**Doxology* - Trinity 731

*Benediction

*Congregational Response: *Threefold Amen* - Trinity 740

Postlude

*Please stand, if able

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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.

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Flowers	Easter	
Nursery	Shannon Winters, Rachel Faulkenberry	
Ushers	Lee Ringer, Cecil McRacken	
	Andre Jennings, Joseph Yi	