

THE LORD'S DAY

May 15, 2022

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Psalm 96:7-9*

*INVOCATION

*HYMN: **Trinity 6** (Blue) - *O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Minister: Holy and Merciful Father, we acknowledge our sinful nature. We are prone to evil and slothful in good.

All: All our sins and offenses are against You, O Lord. We have sinned in wandering from Your ways and wasting Your gifts.

Minister: O Lord, have mercy on us! Have mercy on us for we are ashamed of our sins and how we have dishonored You.

All: Teach us to hate our errors and transgressions. Cleanse us from our secret faults and forgive our sins, for the sake of Christ.

Minister: And, O Father, send Your grace into our lives.

All: That we might walk in the light and be pleasing to You in all our ways, according to Your Word. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Romans 4:7-8*

*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: *Westminster Larger Catechism Q. 84-85*

Q. 84. Shall all men die?

A. Death being threatened as the wages of sin, it is appointed unto all men once to die; for that all have sinned.

Q. 85. Death being the wages of sin, why are not the righteous delivered from death, seeing all their sins are forgiven in Christ?

A. The righteous shall be delivered from death itself at the last day, and even in death are delivered from the sting and curse of it; so that, although they die, yet it is out of God's love, to free them perfectly from sin and misery, and to make them capable of farther communion with Christ in glory, which they then enter upon.

CONGREGATIONAL SCRIPTURE READING: *Psalm 110 (Insert)*

ANTHEM: *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

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 169 (Green) - *Restore to Thy Grace (Psalm 80)*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Acts 2:37-41* (p. 910, LP p. 1082)

SERMON: "Ingathering of the Firstfruits"

*HYMN: **Trinity 500** (Blue) - *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me* (Stanzas 1-2)

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

*HYMN: **Trinity 500** (Blue) - *Rock of Ages, Cleft for 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.