The Lord's Day May 7, 2017

Welcome and Announcements (10:55 AM)

Prelude

*Call to Worship: Psalm 86:8-12

*Invocation

*Hymn: **Trinity 6** - O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord

Confession of Sin

Our God in heaven, if You should mark iniquities, who could stand? We know that if we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. Not one of us does good, no, not one. We have stiffened our necks against Your will, hardened our hearts to Your Word, refused to hear Your voice, pulled away from Your loving embrace, despised correction, and forgotten You in our thoughts. Yes, we have sinned against You. Father, we seek repentance. We come to Christ, who has promised rest for our souls. We take His yoke upon us. We desire to learn from Him. Grant that we may bring forth the fruits of repentance from sincere hearts, which are precious in Your sight. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Exodus 34:6-7

*Gloria Patri - Trinity 735

*Affirmation of Faith: The Westminster Shorter Catechism 60-62 (Responsively)

Q. 60. How is the sabbath to be sanctified?

A. The sabbath is to be sanctified by a holy resting all that day, even from such worldly employments and recreations as are lawful on other days; and spending the whole time in the public and private exercises of God's worship, except so much as is to be taken up in the works of necessity and mercy.

Q. 61. What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment forbiddeth the omission, or careless performance, of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words, or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

Q. 62. What are the reasons annexed to the fourth commandment?

A. The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, his challenging a special propriety in the seventh, his own example, and his blessing the sabbath day.

Congregational Scripture Reading: Psalm 72:1-19, p. 810

Anthem: It is Well With My Soul

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 277** - Waiting for the Lord

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Text: Zechariah 7:1-14 (p. 795; LP p. 946)

Sermon: "True and False Fasting"

*Hymn: **Trinity 469** - How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place (Stanzas 1-3)

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Hymn: **Trinity 469** - How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place (Stanzas 4-6)

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 | Communion | |
| Nursery | Merri Avery, Abigail Yi | |
| Ushers | Mark Faulkenberry, Don Ringer | |
| | Robbie Kopp, Joseph Yi | |