

The Lord's Day

July 9, 2017

Welcome and Announcements (10:55 AM)

*Call to Worship: *Psalm* 66:1-4

*Invocation

*Hymn: **Trinity 95** - *Though Troubles Assail Us*

Confession of Sin

Leader: O Lord our God, we acknowledge before Your holy majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and in corruption, prone to do evil.

All: We are unable on our own to do good. Because of our sin, we endlessly violate Your holy commandments.

Leader: But, Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and turn away from all our offenses. We condemn ourselves and all our evil ways.

All: Have compassion on us, most gracious God, for the sake of Your son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Leader: Grant to us Your grace, that we might do Your will.

All: Accept us now through Jesus Christ. Remove our guilt and send to us Your Holy Spirit.

Assurance of Pardon: *Hebrews* 9:13-14

****Gloria Patri*** - **Trinity 735**

*Affirmation of Faith: *The Westminster Shorter Catechism* 86-88 (Responsively)

Q. 86. What is faith in Jesus Christ?

A. Faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, whereby we receive and rest upon him alone for salvation, as he is offered to us in the gospel.

Q. 87. What is repentance unto life?

A. Repentance unto life is a saving grace, whereby a sinner, out of a true sense of his sin, and apprehension of the mercy of God in Christ, doth, with grief and hatred of his sin, turn from it unto God, with full purpose of, and endeavor after, new obedience.

Q. 88. What are the outward and ordinary means whereby Christ communicateth to us the benefits of redemption?

A. The outward and ordinary means whereby Christ communicateth to us the benefits of redemption are, his ordinances, especially the Word, sacraments, and prayer; all which are made effectual to the elect for salvation.

Congregational Scripture Reading: ***Psalm* 89:1-37, p. 815**

Presentation of a Communicant Member: *Michael Jennings*

Psalter: **Bible Songs 36** - *Help Out of the Holy Place*

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 188** - *Under His Wings*

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Text: *Matthew* 18:21-35 (p. **823**; LP p. **979**)

Sermon: "The Debt of Forgiveness"

*Hymn: **Trinity 465** - *Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord*

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

****Doxology*** - **Trinity 731**

*Closing Prayer

*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.*

	7-9-2017	7-16-2017
Flowers	Vernetha Renwick	Doris Singley
Nursery	Joanna Bedenbaugh	Catherine Faulkenberry
Ushers	Doug Wicker, Lee Winters, Andre Jennings, Caleb Jennings	Mark Faulkenberry, Don Ringer Keith Avery