

THE LORD'S DAY

August 9, 2020

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Isaiah* 60:1-3

*INVOCATION

*HYMN: **Trinity 80** - *Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee*

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: *Hebrews* 4:14-16

*GLORIA PATRI - **Trinity 735**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *Westminster Shorter Catechism* Q. 86-88

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: *Psalms* 31:1-14

ANTHEM: *Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery* (words printed on back)

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 297** - *The Soul's Refuge*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *Luke* 14:25-35

SERMON: "Essentials to Christian Discipleship"

*HYMN: **Trinity 565** - *All for Jesus!*

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY - **Trinity 731**

*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

*Greetings! Our church family extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. If you are visiting with us, please complete a **Visitor's Card** in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Thank you!*

If you need personal prayer, an elder will be available following the service by the door to the anteroom.