

Lord's Day Service

February 24, 2013

Prelude – We silently prepare our hearts to worship our Lord.

Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship

*** Call to Worship**

Psalm 103, Selection 50

Trinity Hymnal, page 645

*** Hymn of Praise**

Trinity Hymnal, #50

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

*** Salutation & Responsive Scripture**

Minister: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

People: Amen!

Matthew 28:19

Minister: O Lord, open our lips

People: And our mouth shall show forth your praise.

Psalm 51:15

Minister: I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress;

People: My God, in Him will I trust."

Minister: For He shall give His angels charge over you,

People: To keep you in all your ways.

Psalm 91:2, 11

Minister: Our help is in the name of Yahweh,

People: Who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

Minister: If we say that we have no sin,

People: We deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us;

Minister: But if we confess our sins,

People: God is faithful and just to forgive our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:8, 9

Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God

Almighty Father, Lord of heaven and earth; we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for our transgressions of Your holy law. The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, O God, after Your great goodness. According to the multitude of Your mercies, do away our offenses and cleanse us from our sins. And grant that we may hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord; for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

(Silent prayers of confession are offered.)

Minister: Now lift up your heads and hear the good news! God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us. He has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us of all our sins.

People: Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen.

Ascension – God Consecrates Us by His Word

Minister: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Ruth 2:4

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

Psalm 86:4

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Lam 3:41

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

People: It is proper and right to do so!

Psalm 92:1

Minister: Truly, it is proper, right, and our duty that we should at all times, and in all places, give praise to You O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting King. Therefore, with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, and with the Church on earth, we praise and magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and singing:

*** Doxology**

Unto God Almighty (see insert)

*** Hymn of Preparation**

Psalter, #19B

Jehovah's Perfect Law

*** Prayer**

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid, cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your glorious Name; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*** Lesson from the Old Testament**

Leviticus 16:1-19, 29, 30

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*** Lesson from the New Testament**

1 John 1:5 – 2:11

Minister: This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

People: Praise be to you, O Christ.

Sermon

"Walk in the Light"

Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes

*** Hymn of Consecration**

Psalter, #119X

Before Thee Let My Cry Come Near

***Presentation & Dedication of Tithes & Offerings**

Prayers of the Church

Requests & Lord's Prayer

Peace – We Commune with God

Words of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God Creed (inside hymnal cover)

* *Hymn of Thanksgiving* Trinity Hymnal, #449
The Law of God Is Good and Wise

Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us

* *The Lord's Commission of Us* John 13:34-35

* *We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us* Jude 24-25

* *We Bless the LORD, Lifting Our Hands and Voices to Him* *Gloria Patri*

* *Threefold Amen & Postlude*

LORD'S SUPPER

We observe Communion, or the Lord's Supper, weekly in our midst.

We believe it is worthily received by those who:

1. Have been baptized in the name of the Triune God (Matt 28:18-20);
2. Do profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel (Ro 10:9-10);
3. Do live in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit and endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Jesus Christ (Gal 5:16-26); and
4. Are communing members in good standing in an evangelical church (1 Cor 10:1-6)

If these things are all true, we rejoice with you and invite you to commune with us at the Lord's Supper. If any of these are not true of you, we ask that you refrain. We invite you to speak to one of the Elders if you have doubts or questions regarding any of these beliefs, or if you are interested in learning more about Trinity.

Though collections are not ordinarily taken during a service, giving is a vital element of worship. Tithes and offerings may be placed in the basket at the rear of the church. (2 Corinthians 9:6-11)

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A Southeastern Wisconsin PCA (Presbyterian Church of America) church.

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JESUS IS RISEN!

HE IS RISEN INDEED!

In the name of the risen and reigning Lord Jesus Christ welcome: to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire hope; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship; and to whomever will come.

We assemble together each Lord's Day as a gathering of God's children with each other, but primarily, as a meeting of the triune God with His chosen people. God is present with us by His omnipresence but, much more intimately, as the faithful covenant Savior. Christ is the Mediator by whom alone we can come unto God. He is the head of the church. He rules over public worship. In corporate worship – when God meets with His people, Christ with His bride, the Spirit with His temple – we receive God's grace through the Word and sacrament, and we respond to Him with thanksgiving, faith, and love.

Sermon Notes – February 24, 2013

"Walk in the Light"

Text: 1 Jn 2:1-11

1. *Walking in the Light* means knowing how to handle sin (_____)

A. Jesus is our _____ when we sin (2:1)

B. Jesus is our _____ when we sin (2:2)

2. *Walking in the Light* means knowing that we know Him (_____)

A. Our lives must be characterized by _____ to God's commandments (2:3-6)

B. Our lives must be characterized by _____ for one another (2:7-11)

Announcements

Worship Service

Please note new responses in the worship order under the Salutation.

Sunday School

Sunday School will meet after the fellowship break. Pastor will give a lesson/overview of the books of Haggai and Zechariah.

Westminster Shorter Catechism Review

Catechism for this week:

Q.17. Into what estate did the fall bring mankind?

A. The fall brought mankind into an estate of sin and misery.

Q.18. Wherein consists the sinfulness of that estate whereinto man fell?

A. The sinfulness of that estate whereinto man fell, consists in the guilt of Adam's first sin, the want of original righteousness, and the corruption of his whole nature, which is commonly called Original Sin; together with all actual transgressions which proceed from it.

Ladies Study

The women of the church will meet this Tuesday, February 26th, 7 pm at the church. Be prepared to discuss chapter 3 of *The True Woman*, by Susan Hunt.

Set-up Teams

Set-up teams should arrive at 9:00 am Sunday mornings. If your family cannot set-up on your assigned week, please swap with another family and notify both team leaders (*).

NEXT WEEK:

Team 3 March 3 J Hummel*, Cox, B Dykema, D Dykema, Zitzke

FOLLOWING WEEKS:

Team 4 March 10 J Pennington*, Dietzel, Nader, Nagle, N Pennington

Team 5 March 17 S Reich*, Burie, Gerth, Hammer

Team 1 March 24 Kingsley*, Cotey, K Hummel, Jens, Markert

Team 2 March 31 Dykema*, Greenwald, Kelling, Ruchti