

Lord's Day Service

November 11, 2012

Prelude: We silently prepare our hearts to worship our Lord

We appreciate the sounds of friends greeting each other and the words of welcome that are exchanged. They are evidence of the love and care we have for one another. However, when the musical prelude begins, we ask that our conversations be brought to a close and our attention turned to some quiet meditation in preparation to worship our Lord.

Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship

*** Call to Worship**

Psalm 69, Selection 33
Trinity Hymnal, page 632

*** Hymn of Praise**

Psalter, #99C
The LORD Is King Indeed!

*** Salutation & Responsive Scripture**

Minister: He is risen!

People: He is risen indeed!

Luke 24:6, 34

Minister: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Ruth 2:4

Minister: Our help is in the name of Yahweh,

People: Who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

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

People: Amen!

Matthew 28:19

Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God

Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy upon us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will, and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. 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: 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:

*** Hymn of Preparation**

Trinity Hymnal, #510
Thy Lovingkindness, Lord, Is Good

*** Prayer**

Almighty, merciful and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may fight the good fight, finish the race, keep the faith; that we may receive the crown of righteousness from the Lord, the righteous Judge. Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under Christ's most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*** Lesson from the Old Testament**

2 Kings 19

*** Lesson from the New Testament**

Acts 4:18-31

Sermon

"Hezekiah Turns to Yahweh for
Deliverance from the Assyrians"

Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes

*** Hymn of Consecration**

Psalter, #80A
O Shepherd of All Israel Give Ear

***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*

Psalter, #112B
Praise to the LORD!

Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us

* *The Lord's Commission of Us*

Act 1:7-8

* *We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us*

Ephesians 3:20-21

* *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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Gathering in the Name of the Triune God

A Southern 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 – November 11, 2012

Hezekiah Turns to Yahweh for Deliverance from the Assyrians Text: 2 Kings 19

1. Don't fret but appeal to the living God in the day(s) of your trouble.
 - A. Hezekiah _____ seeks the prophet for prayer (1-5)

 - B. Isaiah prophesies (6-7): _____

 - C. The Assyrians leave (8-9a) and send another messenger to Hezekiah (9-13)

2. How to pray to the absolute and _____ God in the day(s) of your trouble
 - A'. Hezekiah enters God's house to _____ his petition before Him, the _____ (14-19).

 - B'. Isaiah prophesies, "Yahweh hears!" (20-34); a _____

 - C'. The Assyrians leave for good (35-37): A _____
deliverance

Announcements

Sunday School

After our fellowship break this morning, Sunday School will be held in the sanctuary. The lesson will be an overview of the prophecy of Nahum.

Fellowship Meal

Hear ye! Hear ye! A Fellowship Meal will be served below in the gathering rooms for all those who are thankful to God for His manifold blessings. Reformed and Separatist are welcome. Untaxed tea available for all.

Scripture Memory

Scripture memory text: Galatians 5:13-26. This week review v 13-25 and memorize v 26:

Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.

Luther: "The vice of vain-glory (conceit) was the cause of the trouble in the churches of Galatia, and has ever been the most pernicious and hurtful to the whole Church of Christ...for pride, as Augustine says, is the mother of all heresies, or rather the headspring of all sin and confusion...those who walk in the Spirit, it makes them now humble, gentle, and patient. Such men seek not their own glory, but the glory of God. Nothing is more dangerous to the Church than this execrable vice, so there is nothing more common...the effect of vain-glory, he that teaches any error, or is an author of any new doctrine, cannot but provoke others; and when they do not approve and receive his doctrine, by-and-by he begins to hate them most bitterly..."

Ladies Study

The ladies of the church will meet for Bible Study this Tuesday, November 13th, 7 pm at the church. Be prepared to discuss Lesson 10 from "Paul's Letters to Maturing Churches."

Operation Christmas Child

Don't forget to drop off gifts downstairs today for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. If you forgot, get your gifts to Judy Cox or Barb Hummel by Saturday – or just bring them with you come to the packing party at the Cox's home on November 17th, 1-3 pm. Come join in the blessing!

Hold the Date

For ladies young and older, hold Tuesday, November 20th, 7 pm for a pie demonstration.

Lessons & Carols

Lessons & Carols Service, Sunday night, December 23.

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 November 18 J Hummel*, Cox, B Dykema, D Dykema, Zitzke

FOLLOWING WEEKS:

Team 4 November 25 J Pennington*, Dietzel, Nader, Nagle, N Pennington

Team 5 December 2 S Reich*, Burie, Gerth

Team 1 December 9 Kingsley*, Cotey, K Hummel, Markert

Team 2 December 16 Dykema*, Greenwald, Jens, Kelling, Ruchti