



In Essentials...

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In Non-essentials...

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In All Things...

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“Join us for a drink of Living Water”

March 14, 2021

We welcome you to the worship of God Almighty this Lord's Day. It is our intention to bring glory and honor to Him.
God enters our time of worship and we remember this time belongs to Him. Your Worship Commission

Preparation in Silence

*In Christ, there is nothing I can do
that would make You love me more, and nothing
I have done that makes You love me less.*

*Your presence and approval are all
I need for everlasting joy.*

As You have been to me, so I will be to others.

*As I pray, I'll measure Your compassion by the cross
and Your power by the resurrection.*

~‘The Gospel Prayer’, JD Greear

Westminster Chimes and Announcements

Prelude

‘I Must Tell Jesus’

~Hoffman

****Call to Worship***

Leader: This is the day that you have made, Lord.

People: Help us to rejoice and be glad in it!

Leader: Remind us of the privileges we enjoy as your people:

Jale Haas, Lay Assistant

People: to come to you in worship, to confess our sins, to receive forgiveness and to give it, to pray and sing and listen, to renew our spirits through your word, and to rejoice in all your promises.

Leader: Open our eyes to see you, Lord.

People: Open our hearts to obey your Word.

Leader: Stir up your Holy Spirit in us,

People: And lead us to celebrate our faith in You!

****Praise and Worship***

‘This Is Amazing Grace’

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Lord God, we are here to confess the ways we have wronged You and others this week. Yet more than that, help us to repent from the sin underneath our other sins and even under our good deeds – the effort to be our own Savior and Lord, and our attempts to control You. Lord, allow us to recognize that the antidote to being bad is not simply being good – it is receiving new life through you. Speak to our hearts, we pray, as we come to you in silent prayer. . .

Assurance of Pardon

****Creed*** *from The Westminster Confession*

There is only one living and true God, who is infinite in being and perfection, a completely pure spirit, invisible, without body, parts, or emotions, unchangeable, immensely vast, eternal, limitless, almighty, completely wise, completely holy, completely free, and completely absolute. He works everything according to the purpose of his own unchangeable and completely righteous will for his own glory. He is completely loving, gracious, merciful, and long-suffering. He overflows with goodness and truth. He forgives wickedness, transgression, and sin, and rewards those who diligently seek him. His judgements are completely just and awesome, he hates all sin and will not acquit the guilty.

Children’s Message

Joel Cunniff, Children & Youth Director

Scripture Readings

1 John 4:16b-21

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~

People: Thanks be to God ~

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Sermon

‘Perfect Love’

Rev. Scott Graham

Series: 1 John – Living in God’s Light and Love

Pastoral Prayer and 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.”

****Doxology*** Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

****Dismissing Hymn No. 364***

‘My Jesus, I Love Thee’

(Verses 1-2,4)

****Benediction***

Postlude

‘Redeemed’

~Kirkpatrick

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