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*“Join us for a drink of Living Water”*  
**May 16, 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***

*Our pride must have winter weather to rot it.*

*~ Samuel Rutherford*

*I think all Christians would agree with me if I said that though Christianity seems at first to be all about morality, all about duties and rules and guilt and virtue, yet it leads you on, out of all that, into something beyond.*  
*~ C.S. Lewis*

***Westminster Chimes and Announcements***

***Prelude***

*‘As the Deer Panteth for the Water’*

*~Nystrom*

***\*Call to Worship*** (from Revelation 21:1-4) *Cindy Vannoy, Lay Assistant Leader: Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared like a bride beautifully dressed for her husband.*

**People:** And a loud voice came from the throne, saying, ‘Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be their God.’

*Leader: He will wipe every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more.*

**People:** Neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away. Let us worship God!

*In Essentials...*

**UNITY**

*In Non-essentials...*

**LIBERTY**

*In All Things...*

**CHARITY**

**\*Praise and Worship**

*'Is He Worthy?'*

**Call to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession**

Lord God, your ways are not our ways, and your thoughts are not our thoughts. We confess that we lose hope and confidence in your love for us when difficulties arise in our lives. We believe that we know how to run the world better than You do. Please show us your grace and forgiveness, and may we grow in our trust of your providence as we bring to you our silent prayers of confession. . .

**Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Creed**

*The Apostle's Creed*

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

**Anthem**

*'Fairest Lord Jesus'*

*CUP Bell Choir*

**Minute for Missions**

*Patrick Emery, Christian Coalition Outreach*

**Scripture Readings**

*1 Peter 1:22-2:3*

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~  
People: Thanks be to God ~

Lg. print #1887/ pew #857  
Lg. print/New ed. #1846

**Sermon**

*'The Good Food That Tastes Good'*  
*Series: 1 Peter – Exiles who are Ambassadors*

*Rev. Scott Graham*

**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. 503**

*'Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting'*

*(Verses 1-3)*

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*'My Life Is In You, Lord'*

*~Gardner*

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