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“Join us for a drink of Living Water”

May 1, 2022

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

In Essentials...

UNITY

Meditation

A Christian who has David in his bones, Jeremiah in his bloodstream, Paul in his fingertips and Christ in his heart will know how much and how little value to put on his own momentary feelings and the experience of the past week.
~ Eugene Peterson

Westminster Chimes and Announcements

(During announcements, we ask members and visitors to please sign the Friendship Register and pass it on. Send them back down your row so you can note who is worshipping with you today. We invite visitors to give us your complete address.)

In Non-essentials...

LIBERTY

Prelude

‘In This Very Room’

~ Harris

****Call to Worship***

(Psalm 130, adapted)

Jud Herter, Lay Assistant

Leader: Out of the depths I cry to you, Lord; Lord, hear my voice.

People: Let your ears be attentive to my cry for mercy.

Leader: If you, O Lord, kept a record of sins, who could stand?

People: But with you there is forgiveness, so that we can, with reverence, serve you.

Leader: I wait for the Lord, my whole being waits, and in his word I put my hope.

People: Friends, put your hope in the Lord, for with the Lord is unfailing love and full redemption. Let us worship God!

In All Things...

CHARITY

****Praise and Worship***

*‘The Heart of Worship’
‘Change My Heart, O God’*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession *(In unison)*

Lord God, you call us to love you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength. You call us to come to you with hope and expectation of receiving answers. You command us to treat others the way we wish to be treated. We love your words and your teaching, but we seldom put it into practice. Convict us of our sin, Lord, and fill our lives with the glory of your Holy Spirit, that we may grow in joy and faithfulness with you. . . (silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

****Gloria Patri***

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

****Creed***

The Apostle's Creed

Do the bread and wine become the very body and blood of Christ?

No, for as the water in baptism is not changed into the blood of Christ, nor becomes the washing away of sins by itself, but is only a divine sign and confirmation of it, so also in the Lord's Supper the sacred bread does not become the body of Christ itself, although, in accordance with the nature and usage of sacraments, it is called the body of Christ.

Why does Christ call the bread his body, and the cup his blood, or the New Covenant in his blood, and why does the apostle Paul call the supper "a means of sharing" in the body and blood of Christ?

Christ does not speak in this way except for a strong reason. He wishes to teach us by it that as bread and wine sustain this temporal life so his crucified body and shed blood are the true food and drink of our souls for eternal life. Even more, he wishes to assure us by this visible sign and pledge that we come to share in his true body and blood through the working of the Holy Spirit as surely as we receive with our mouth these holy tokens in remembrance of him, and that all his sufferings and his death are our own as certainly as if we had ourselves suffered and rendered satisfaction in our own persons.

Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 16:1-13

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~

People: Thanks be to God ~

Lg. print #443/ pew #202

Lg. print/New ed. #401

Communion Meditation

'How the Lord Drafts'
Series: Life of David

Rev. Scott Graham

Communion Hymn No. 226

'The Day of Resurrection' (verses 1 & 3)

Communion

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."

****Dismissing Hymn No. 213***

'Because He Lives'

****Benediction***

Postlude

'Leaning on the Everlasting Arms'

~ Showalter

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