

Scripture Reading

Romans 3:10, 3:23, 6:23, 5:8, 10:9-10 and 10:13

Sermon

'Roman Road'

Wade Rider

Presentation of Offering

***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.

***Dedication of Offering**

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. 135** *'While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks'* (verses 1,3,4,5)

***Benediction**

***Benediction Response No. 138** *'Go Tell It On the Mountain'* (refrain)

Postlude

'I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day' ~ *Calkins*

We're glad you joined us for worship today! We invite you to place your financial tithes and offerings in the box in the back of the sanctuary before or following service. Thank you for placing the Bibles, hymnals and attendance books back on the chairs. Thank you.

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December 29, 2024

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

**Please stand, if you are able.*

Nursery for children infant to 4 yrs. old is available upstairs in the Christian Education Wing (please see Usher for directions)

Meditation

"We often miss hearing God's voice simply because we aren't paying attention."

~ Rick Warren

"The world is waiting to hear an authentic voice, a voice from God- not an echo of what others are doing and saying, but an authentic voice."

~ Aiden Wilson Tozer

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.)

Opening Prayer

Prelude

'Infant Holy, Infant Lowly'

~ Traditional Polish Carol

***Call to Worship**

Brian O'Roark, Lay Assistant

Leader: In Christ, the God of heaven has made his home on earth.

People: Christ dwells among us and is one with us.

Leader: Highest of all creation, he lives among the least.

People: He journeys with the rejected and welcomes the weary

Leader: Come now, all who thirst

People: and drink the water of life.

Leader: Come now, all who hunger

People: and be filled with good things

Leader: Come now, all who seek

People: and be warmed by the fire of love.

***Hymn No. 131**

'Angels from the Realms of Glory'

(verses 1, 3, 4)

***Praise Songs**

'King of Kings'

'What A Beautiful Name'

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and turn them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen... (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

***Affirmation of Faith**

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.