

The Divine Service of Covenant Renewal

on the Lord’s Day
November 10, 2024

Prelude Romans 11:33–36

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways! “For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been his counselor?” “Or who has given a gift to him that he might be repaid?” For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

Welcome

God Calls Us to Worship Him

† Call to Worship Psalm 37:3–6

Pastor: Trust in the Lord, and do good; dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness.

People: Delight yourself in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Pastor: Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him, and he will act.

People: He will bring forth your righteousness as the light, and your justice as the noonday.

Δ† Hymn of Adoration

64 God, the Lord, a King Remaineth

† Salutation and Responsive Scriptures

Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!
People: Amen!

Pastor: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Pastor: Our help is in the Name of the Lord!

People: Who made heaven and earth!

Pastor: The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken Spirit;

People: A broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

† Prayer of Thanksgiving and Praise

† The Lord’s Prayer Together as God’s People

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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

† Affirmation of Faith Rev. Billy Hastings

Westminster Confession of Faith Chapter 14 Paragraphs 2–3
(p. 856, together as God’s people)

Δ† 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, amen.

God Graciously Renews Us in Christ

We Confess Our Sin Rev. Billy Hastings

Merciful Father, Your law is perfect, but our sins weigh us down. Forgive us for neglecting Your Word, for being ungrateful for Your Spirit, for ascribing to others the glory that is due only to You, for failing to live at peace with one another, and for seeking leisure, reputation , or wealth before Your kingdom. Forgive these sins, and send forth Your Word and Spirit to remove the burdens of our sin, to restore to us the joy of our salvation, and to walk in ways worthy of our calling. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen.

Individual Silent Confession of Sin

God Forgives Us in Christ 1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. In Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven!

Interlude for Meditation

Δ† Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs

717 Blessed the Man That Fears Jehovah

† The Passing of the Peace

Pastor: May the peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

Pastor: Let us offer one another a sign of peace!

(Members of the congregation greet one another with a sign of friendship such as the ancient words which the church has used over the centuries, “The peace of Christ be with you,” and the response, “And also with you.”)

Morning Prayer Elder Jim Slocomb

We Give Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

† 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.

God Instructs Us With His Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Rev. Jason Wegener

Ephesians 6:1–4

Preaching of the Word

Exposition from The Book of Ephesians

“Children and Parents”

† Hymn of Response (as the Elders prepare the Table)

500 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me (1–2)

God Meets and Feeds Us at His Table

Invitation and the Words of Institution Rev. Jason Wegener

Prayer of Consecration

Distribution of the Elements The Elders

(Partake of the Bread individually and the Cup together. Wine is used for communion with a limited amount of grape juice in the center rings. Please note the bread in the center of the plate is gluten free.)

God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out

† Hymn of Dedication

500 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me (3–4)

† Benediction Rev. Jason Wegener

† Hymn of Dismissal

34 The God of Abraham Praise (6)

The whole triumphant host gives thanks to God on high:”hail, Father, Son and Holy Ghost!” they ever cry. Hail, Abraham’s God and mine! I join the heav’nly lays; all might and majesty are thine, and endless praise.

Postlude

The Order of Divine Worship
concludes with your silent prayer of praise and thanksgiving.

† Indicates the congregation standing

Δ Ushers may seat latecomers