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LORD'S DAY | March 3, 2024

Morning Worship Service – 9:30 AM

Song Time – 11:10 AM

Fellowship Lunch – Noon

Evening Teaching Service - 5:00 PM

A Service of Covenant Renewal

March 3, 2024

PRELUDE

Habakkuk 2:20: But the LORD is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him. We encourage you to use the prelude as a time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORD CALLS US INTO HIS PRESENCE

*CALL TO WORSHIP: 1 Chronicles 29:10b-13 Lift up your hearts! We lift them up to the Lord! Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise. Let us worship the Triune God.

*OPENING HYMN: No. 166, "Wondrous King, All-Glorious"

*GREETING:

From where does our help come? From the LORD, the creator of the heavens and the earth. Receive God's Greeting. "To all who are loved by God and called to be his holy people: Grace and peace to you from God our Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Amen."

*PRAYER/INVOCATION

THE LORD CLEANSES US IN HIS SON

CALL TO REPENTANCE: Mark 12:30-31

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN: Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved You with all of our heart, soul, mind and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and great in mercy. Restore to us the joy of our salvation; bind that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest for our souls for the sake of Your Son, our Savior – Jesus. Amen.

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

*PROMISE OF COMFORT AND FORGIVENESS: 1 John 4:9-10, 15 *HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: No. 470. "How Vast the Benefits Divine" *PROFESSION OF FAITH: based on The Heidelberg Catechism, Questions 47, 49, 51, 53 Leader: How does the glorious Holy Spirit work and minister grace within his people?

All: By his divinity, majesty, and grace, and through the Holy Spirit, Christ is not absent from us for a moment. By the Spirit's power, we make the goal of our lives not earthly things, but the things above where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Through the Holy Spirit, Christ pours out his gifts from heaven upon us, the church. The Spirit, one with the Father and the Son, is eternal God. The Spirit has been given to us personally, so that, by true faith, we might share in Christ and all his blessings, as the Spirit comforts us, remaining with us forever.

THE LORD CONSECRATES US WITH HIS WORD

*THE GRACE OF GOD'S LAW: Exodus 20:1-17 *GLORIA PATRI: No. 734 **COLLECTION OF GOD'S TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS** CONGREGATIONAL PETITIONS **OLD TESTAMENT:** Proverbs 4:1-9 **NEW TESTAMENT:** James 2:1-12 **SERMON:** Judging According to the Gospel

THE LORD COMMUNES WITH US AT HIS TABLE

MEANING AND FENCING OF THE TABLE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING INSTITUTION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER BREAD: No. 489, "Lord, like the Publican I Stand" WINE: No. 524, "Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ"

*CLOSING HYMN: No. 598, "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

THE LORD COMMISSIONS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY: No. 731

POSTLUDE

*Congregation stands (as you are able) *†*Please raise your hand during the distribution of bread for a gluten-free option.