



LORD'S DAY | May 19, 2024

A Service of Covenant Renewal

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:** Psalm 33
(responsive - **Congregation in bold**)

*Sing joyfully to the Lord! Sing to him a new song.
For the word of the Lord is right and true; he is faithful in all he does.*

***The Lord loves righteousness and justice;
the earth is full of his unfailing love.
By the word of the Lord were the heavens made,
their starry host by the breath of his mouth.
Let all the earth fear the Lord;
let all the people of the world revere him.
For he spoke and it came to be;
he commanded, and it stood firm.***

*The eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him,
on those whose hope is in his unfailing love.*

***In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name.
May your unfailing love rest upon us, O Lord,
even as we put our hope in you.***

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. 6, "[O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord](#)"

*GREETING:

From where does our help come?

From the LORD, the creator of the heavens and the earth.

*PRAYER/INVOCATION

THE LORD CLEANSSES US IN HIS SON

CALL TO REPENTANCE: Proverbs 7:1-3

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN:

Dear God, save me entirely from sin.

I know I am righteous through the righteousness of another,

but I pant and pine for likeness to thyself;

I am thy child and should bear thy image,

Enable me to recognize my death unto sin;

When it tempts me may I be deaf unto its voice.

Deliver me from the invasion as well as the dominion of sin.

Grant me to walk as Christ walked,

to live in the newness of his life,

the life of love, the life of faith, the life of holiness.

In Jesus Name, Amen

(From the Valley of Vision)

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

***PROMISE OF COMFORT AND FORGIVENESS:** Hebrews 10:19-22

***HYMN OF THANKSGIVING:**

No. 331, "[Come, O Come, Thou Quickening Spirit](#)"

***PROFESSION OF FAITH:** The Heidelberg Catechism, Question #1
(responsive - **Congregation in bold**)

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

That I am not my own, but belong – body and soul, in life and in death – to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ.

He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.

Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

THE LORD CONSECRATES US WITH HIS WORD

***THE GRACE OF GOD'S LAW:** [Matthew 25:31-46](#)

***GLORIA PATRI:** [No. 734](#)

COLLECTION OF GOD'S TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS

CONGREGATIONAL PETITIONS

OLD TESTAMENT: [Proverbs 20:1-12](#)

NEW TESTAMENT: [James 5:7-12](#)

SERMON: *Unmoving, Established, In 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. 256, "[There Is a Green Hill Far Away](#)"

WINE: No. 424, "[Shepherd of Souls, Refresh and Bless](#)"

***CLOSING HYMN:** No. 94, "[How Firm a Foundation](#)"

THE LORD COMMISSIONS US WITH HIS BLESSING

***BENEDICTION**

***DOXOLOGY:** [No. 731](#)

POSTLUDE