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LORD'S DAY | September 3, 2023



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Morning Worship Service – 9:30 AM

Fellowship Lunch – 12:00 PM

NO Evening Teaching Service

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.*

GREETING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORD CALLS US INTO HIS PRESENCE

***CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 113

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.

***HYMN OF ADORATION:** No. 310, "Rejoice, the Lord Is King"

*OPENING PRAYER

THE LORD CLEANSSES US IN HIS SON

CALL TO REPENTANCE: Joel 2:12-13

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN: *Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into Your presence, because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from You, if You dealt with us as we deserve. We have sinned against You, O Lord, and we have offended You. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, so also do we acknowledge You to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to You. And so we humbly ask You, for the sake of Christ Your Son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth, and the sins of our old age. By Your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our lives, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thought of our minds, may be guided and governed by You. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with You and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.*

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

***PROMISE OF COMFORT AND FORGIVENESS:** Psalm 103:8-12

***HYMN OF THANKSGIVING:** No. 457, "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

***PROFESSION OF FAITH:** The Apostles' Creed (page 845 in red Trinity Hymnal)

THE LORD CONSECRATES US WITH HIS WORD

***THE GRACE OF GOD'S LAW:** Exodus 20:1-17

***HYMN OF PRAISE:** No. 734, "Gloria Patri"

COLLECTION OF GOD'S TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS

CONGREGATIONAL PETITIONS

OLD TESTAMENT: Exodus 3:1-15

NEW TESTAMENT: Luke 8:40-56

SERMON: *Do Not Fear; Only Believe*

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. 86, "The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want"

WINE: No. 353, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

***PSALM OF THANKSGIVING:** Psalm 116 (page 827 in red Trinity Hymnal)

***CLOSING HYMN:** No. 320, "Rejoice, All Ye Believers"

THE LORD COMMISSIONS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*BENEDICTION

***DOXOLOGY:** No. 731 or 732

POSTLUDE

*Congregation stands (as you are able)

†You are welcome to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a follower of Jesus Christ, baptized, and a member in good standing at any Bible believing church. If this does not describe you, we are glad you are here and commend to you prayer and reflection during the time of the Lord's Supper. Please raise your hand during the distribution of bread for a gluten-free option.

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