

*Oh come, let us worship and bow down;  
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!  
Psalm 95:6*

*gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and  
abounding in steadfast love; and he relents over  
disaster.*

**Preaching of God's Word** Pastor Scott Edburg  
"An Elder on Nursery Duty"  
Philippians 2:5-11

**Prelude**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Introit**

**Call to Worship\*** Hebrews 10:19-22  
*Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter  
the holy places by the blood of Jesus, by the new and  
living way that he opened for us through the curtain,  
that is, through his flesh, and since we have a great  
priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a  
true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts  
sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies  
washed with pure water.*

**Hymn of Praise\*** #53  
"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

**Invocation\***

**Confession of Faith** Westminster Shorter Confession #37-38  
Trinity Hymnal p.872

**Preparation for Confession of Sin** Joel 2:12-13  
*"Yet even now," declares the LORD, "return to me with  
all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with  
mourning; and rend your hearts and not your  
garments." Return to the LORD your God, for he is*

**Confession of Sin**

**Assurance of Pardon** Psalm 85:1-3  
*LORD, you were favorable to your land; you  
restored the fortunes of Jacob. You forgave the  
iniquity of your people; you covered all their sin.  
You withdrew all your wrath; you turned from your  
hot anger.*

**Hymn of Assurance\*** #359  
"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**Prayer of Response**

**Scripture Reading\*** Isaiah 45:1-25  
Luke 9:23-27

**Doxology\*** #732 (Tallis Canon)  
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.

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**Prayer of Intercession**

**Hymn of Affirmation** #310  
"Rejoice, the Lord is King"

**Benediction\*** 1 Thessalonians 5:23  
*Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you  
completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and  
body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus  
Christ.*

**Response\*** #342  
verse 5

"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"

Laud and honor to the Father,  
Laud and honor to the Son,  
Laud and honor to the Spirit,  
Ever Three and ever One,  
One in might, and One in glory,  
While unending ages run.

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**Postlude\***