DIVINE WORSHIP

Morning Service

February 2, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us into His Presence

*Call to Worship Psalm 145:1, 10, 13

Minister: I will extol you, my God and King, **All:** and bless your name forever and ever.

Minister: All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD,

All: and all your saints shall bless you!

Minister: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion

endures throughout all generations.

All: The LORD is faithful in all his words and kind in all his works.

*Votum and Salutation

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Our Father which 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.

*Hymn No. 219

O Worship the King

God Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading of the Law

Matthew 22:37-40

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned and fallen short of your glory. We have left undone what you have commanded us to do, and we have done what you have clearly forbidden. Be merciful to us, as poor, miserable sinners. Do not treat us as our sins deserve. By your Spirit, grant us faith and true repentance to embrace Jesus Christ, as He is freely offered to us in the gospel. Through Him and by the renewing power of the Holy Spirit, we may receive your gracious salvation and walk in fellowship with you throughout our lives. To the glory of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Micah 7:18-20

*Hymn No. 456

Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!

God Consecrates Us to His Service

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri No. 572

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

*Sermon Text Pg. 891

John 6:16-30

Sermon

Dr. Steven G. Simmons

Not That Kind of King

God Communes with Us and Puts His Blessing Upon Us

*Hymn No. 196

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

The Lord's Supper**

***Psalm** No. 111A

Praise to the LORD! I Will Extol Him

*Benediction

2 Corinthians 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

*Doxology No. 567

*Postlude

*Please stand

**The clear cups are wine, the tinted cups are grape juice

DIVINE WORSHIP

Evening Service

February 2, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Psalm 107:1-3

Minister: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

All: Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble and gathered in from the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

*Votum and Salutation

*Invocation

***Psalm** No. 147B

O Praise the LORD, for It Is Good

Catechesis Pg. 905 Canons of Dort, Second Point, Rejection of Errors III

Old Testament Reading Pg. 652 New Testament Reading Pg. 827 Jeremiah 24

Matthew 21:33-46

***Hymn** No. 276

Jesus Paid It All

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

*Sermon Text Pg. 698-699 Sermon Ezekiel 11

Dr. Steven G. Simmons

Good Figs

*Psalm No. 107B

Praise the LORD, for He Is Good

*Benediction

1 Peter 5:10-11

But may the God of all grace, who called us to His eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after you have suffered a while, perfect, establish, strengthen, and settle you. To Him be the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

*Postlude

*Please stand

SERMON NOTES

Morning Sermon: Not That Kind of King—John 6:16-30

- I. Jesus Walks on the Water—Fifth Sign. 16-21
- II. Jesus exposes those who were just looking for a meal. 22-27
- III. Jesus Calls men to believe in Him, which is the work to which the people were called. 28-30

Evening Sermon: Good Figs—Ezekiel 11

- I. The Judgment of the Wicked
 - A. Who are the Wicked?
 - B. What can awaken the Wicked?
- II. The Solution is Prophecy (preaching the Word)
 - A. Remembering the Promise.
 - B. Replacing the Heart of Stone.
 - C. Retribution for the Wicked.
- III. The Hope for God's People and where it is found
 - A. The Glory of God Moves out.
 - B. The Visions are given to the Church.
 - C. The Faithful are given the message and the grounds for Hope.