

DIVINE WORSHIP

Morning Service

September 29, 2024 at 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us into His Presence

*Call to Worship

Psalm 34:11-14, 22

Minister: Come, O children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the LORD. What man is there who desires life and loves many days, that he may see good? Keep your tongue from evil and your lips from speaking deceit. Turn away from evil and do good; seek peace and pursue it.

All: The LORD redeems the life of his servants; none of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

*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.

*Psalm No. 87A

Zion, Founded on the Mountains

God Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading of the Law

Deuteronomy 10:12-20

Corporate Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father; we acknowledge and confess before you; our sinful nature prone to evil and slothful in good; and all our shortcomings and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned; in wandering from your ways; in wasting your gifts; in forgetting your love. But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us; who are ashamed and sorry for all wherein we have displeased you. Teach us to hate our errors; cleanse us from our secret faults; and forgive our sins; for the sake of your dear Son. And O most holy and loving Father; help us, we beseech you; to live in your light and walk in your ways; according to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Luke 12:32

*Hymn No. 298

Comfort, Comfort Ye My People

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. 887**

John 3:1-15

Sermon

Dr. Steven G. Simmons

How Can These Things Be?

God Communes with Us and Puts His Blessing Upon Us

***Hymn No. 461**

Blessed Are the Sons of God

The Lord's Supper**

***Hymn No. 462**

Behold the Amazing Gift of Love

***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

September 29, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Zephaniah 3:14

Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem! The LORD has taken away the judgments against you; he has cleared away your enemies. The King of Israel, the LORD, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil. On that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: "Fear not, O Zion; let not your hands grow weak. The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

***Votum and Salutation**

***Invocation**

***Psalm No. 95A**

O Come before the LORD, Our King

Catechesis Pg. 902

Canons of Dort, First Point, Rejection of Errors IV

Old Testament Reading Pg. 496

Psalm 90

New Testament Reading Pg. 809

Matthew 5:1-16

***Hymn No. 465**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

***Sermon Text** Pg. 981

Philippians 2:12-18

Sermon

Pastor Drew Pressoir

Working Out Our Salvation

***Hymn No. 282**

I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

***Benediction**

Romans 15:5-6

May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

***Postlude**

**Please stand*