

DIVINE WORSHIP

Morning Service

October 13, 2024 at 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us into His Presence

*Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1-3

Minister: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

All: Know that the Lord, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

*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. 239

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

God Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading of the Law

Deuteronomy 5:6-21

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, you have demonstrated the bounty of grace in your heart; by the giving up of your only Son, our Lord Jesus Christ unto incarnation, a life of service under the Law, death, and burial in the tomb. You showed forth your glory, power and compassion by raising him from death; that we too might have life eternal in him. We deserve judgment and death; yet we have found life and immortality in Him. Send forth your Holy Spirit and renew our faith, hope and love; that we as recipients of your mercy in Christ Jesus may evermore live with you in the eternal fellowship of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may walk in newness of life to the glory of your Holy Name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Hebrews 7:25

*Hymn No. 429

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

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. 823**

Matthew 18:6-14

Sermon

Pastor Drew Pressoir

Christ's Answer to Temptations

God Communes with Us and Puts His Blessing Upon Us

***Hymn No. 525**

Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us

The Lord's Supper**

***Psalm No. 23C**

The LORD Is My Shepherd

***Benediction**

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

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. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.

***Doxology No. 567**

***Postlude**

**Please stand*

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

DIVINE WORSHIP

Evening Service

October 13, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Psalm 134

Come, bless the LORD, all you servants of the LORD, who stand by night in the house of the LORD! Lift up your hands to the holy place and bless the LORD! May the LORD bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!

*Votum and Salutation

*Invocation

*Psalm No. 90A

Lord, You Have Been Our Dwelling Place

Catechesis Pg. 902

Canons of Dort, First Point, Rejection of Errors VI

Old Testament Reading Pg. 332

2 Kings 25:1-21

New Testament Reading Pg. 880

Luke 21:5-24

*Psalm No. 79A

God, the Nations Have Invaded

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

*Sermon Text Pg. 694

Ezekiel 4

Sermon

Dr. Steven G. Simmons

The Theater of the Doomed

*Psalm No. 102A

LORD, Hear My Prayer for Aid

*Benediction

2 Thessalonians 3:16, 18

Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

*Postlude

**Please stand*

SERMON NOTES

Morning Sermon: Christ's Answer to Temptations—Matt. 18:6-14

Main Point: Christ Removes Sin in Judgment and Salvation

Kids Question: Which Examples Must Christians Follow?

Outline:

- I. Christ Condemns Those Who Ensnare His People in Sin (6-9)
- II. Christ Saves His People Ensnared in Sin (10-14)

Applications:

- I. Christians Flee from the Danger of Sin
- II. Christians Seek Leaders who Protect Against Sin
- III. Christians Follow Christ who Saves from Sin

Evening Sermon: The Theater of the Doomed—Ezekiel 4

Act 1: The Siege of Jerusalem (1-3)

Act 2: Bearing with the sins of Isreal (4-8)

Act 3: Punishment Plus (9-17)

Act 4: God is at work