

Order for the Worship of God
February 11, 2001
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

The Christian Year: Seventh Sunday After Christmas

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Prelude

"The Lord Is My Shepherd"
High School Ensemble
Alex McDonald, *Piano*; Lynda Fray, *Director*

Pote

Call to Worship

The Rev. Joseph Ryan

Minister: Oh give thanks to the LORD, call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples!

People: **Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; speak of all His wonders. Glory in His holy name; let the heart of those who seek the LORD be glad!**

Psalm 105.1-3

***Hymn of Adoration No. 260 "All Authority and Power"**

UNSER HERRSCHER

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Psalm 103**

BEECHER

Bless the LORD, my soul; my whole heart, ever bless His holy name.
Bless the LORD, my soul; forget not all His mercies to proclaim.
Who forgives all thy transgressions, thy diseases all who heals;
Who redeems thee from destruction, who with thee so kindly deals.

For as high as is the heaven, far above the earth below;
Ever great to them that fear Him is the mercy He will show.
Far as east from west is distant, He has put away our sin;
Like the pity of a father has Jehovah's pity been.

For our frame He well remembers; that we are but dust He knows;
As for man, like grass he rises; as the flower in field he grows.
Over it the wind now passes; in a moment it is gone;
In the place where once it flourished it shall never more be known.

But Jehovah's loving kindness unto them that fear His name;
From eternity abideth to eternity the same.
And His righteousness remaineth to their children and their seed;
Who His covenant remember and His precepts hear and heed.

***The Creed**

Westminster Confession of Faith, 13.1

Those effectually called and born anew, possess both a newly created heart and a new spirit. **We experience a maturing and a demonstrably real and personal sanctification.** This is a gift through the good effect of Christ's death and resurrection and by His Word and Spirit living in us. The dominating strength of sin over the whole person is destroyed with its many lusts increasingly weakened and ended. **Becoming increasingly alive and strengthened in our saving relationship with God, we are being trained to practice true holiness without which no one shall see the Lord.**

*A Doxology

DARWALL

Thy way, not mine, O Lord, however dark it be!
Lead me by Thine own hand, choose out the path for me;
Winding or straight, smooth let it be, or rough it will be still the best.

The Kingdom that I seek is Thine; so let the way
That leads to it be Thine, else I must surely stray.
O choose my lot. I offer You myself so I shall walk aright.

Take Thou my cup, and it with joy or sorrow fill
As best to Thee may see; choose Thou my good and ill.
Thy will be done. Be Thou my Guide, my Strength, my Wisdom and my All.

Public Confession

O LORD, my every sense, member, faculty, affection, is a snare to me. Am I comely? what fuel for pride! Am I deformed? what an occasion for repining! Am I gifted? how I lust after applause! Am I unlearned! how I despise what I have not! Am I in authority? how prone to abuse my trust, make will my law, exclude others' enjoyments, serve my own interests and policy! Am I inferior? how much I grudge others' preeminence! Am I rich? how exalted I become! Thou knowest that all these are snares by my corruptions, and that my greatest snare is myself. Keep me ever mindful of my natural state, but let me not forget my heavenly title, or the grace that can deal with every sin.

Private Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the promises of God to those who truly repent of their sins and trust in Christ: And He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, that we might die to sin and live in righteousness; for by His wounds you were healed.

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

The Rev. John McCracken 9:30
The Rev. Elliott Greene 11:00

Musical Offering

"Everlasting King!"

M. McDonald

Let the heavens rejoice and all the earth join in singing: joyfully, our praise to Thee, our Father, Redeemer and Savior! Come before Him, praise, adore Him; everlasting King! The everlasting King of kings, from age to age the same. Declare His glory, sing His praise. Proclaim His holy Name! Holy is the Lord who was and is to come; praise we sing to Christ, our King, for all that He has done! Ev'ry voice sing with rejoicing; everlasting King!

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Let the peace of Christ dwell in your hearts. We were like sheep going astray, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of our souls. The peace of the Lord be with you always. 1 Peter 2.25

People: **And also with you.**

Service of Friendship

If you are seated on the left end of the pew, please take the Service of Friendship pad, fill out the information and pass it down. When it arrives at the other end of the pew, pass it back, taking note of those who are seated in your row.

*The Scripture Reading

Romans 6.1-13

Mr. Joel Robuck
Session Elder

The Morning Sermon "Dominion and Union-II" Dr. Ryan
"Knowing this, that our old self was crucified with Him, that our body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves to sin..." Romans 6.6

***Closing Hymn** "Rock of Ages" *NEW CITY FELLOWSHIP*

***The Benediction**

Minister: May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN!

Postlude

Do you have a question about PCPC or want to find a Sunday School Community? Following each service, please come to the Information Center located in the south hallway of the building adjacent to the sanctuary. "Ask Me" volunteers are also available at every entrance to assist you.

The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of Charles W. (Dub) Gossett by his daughter Judy Connatser and son-in-law Steve and granddaughter Angela.

***The Congregation stands.**

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