

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Our Church's Faith**

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30
The Rev. Bill Lamberth 11:00

Minister: Why was our Mediator called Christ?

People: Our Mediator was called Christ, because He was anointed with the Holy Ghost above measure; and so set apart and fully furnished with all authority and ability, to execute the offices of prophet, priest, and king of His church, in the estate both of His humiliation and exaltation.

Minister: How does Christ execute the office of a king?

People: Christ executes the office of a king, in calling out of the world a people to Himself, and giving them officers, laws, and censures, by which He visibly governs them; in bestowing saving grace upon His elect, rewarding their obedience, and correcting them for their sins, preserving and supporting them under all their temptations and sufferings, restraining and overcoming all their enemies, and powerfully ordering all things for His own glory, and their good; and also in taking vengeance on the rest, who know not God, and obey not the gospel.

Larger Catechism, Q's 42 and 45

***Hymn of Praise No. 165 "Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim" LYONS**

Please be seated.

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord God, Who inhabits eternity, the heavens declare Your glory, the earth Your riches, the universe is Your temple; I thank You for Your riches given to me in Jesus: for the unclouded revelation of Him in Your Word, where I behold His person, character, grace, glory, humiliation, sufferings, death, and resurrection. I come to You in the all-prevailing name of Jesus, with nothing of my own to plead, no works, no worthiness, no promises. I am often straying, often knowingly opposing Your authority, often abusing Your goodness. Impress me deeply with a sense of Your omnipresence, that You are about my path, my ways, my lying down, my end. Subdue in me the love of sin, let me know the need of renovation as well as of forgiveness, in order to serve and enjoy You forever.

Private Confession

Song of Confession "Yet Sovereign Mercy Calls"

9:30/11:00



1. How oft, a - las, this wretch - ed heart
2. And canst Thou, wilt Thou yet for - give,
3. Al - migh - ty grace, Thy heal - ing pow'r,



Has wan-d' red from the Lord, _____ How oft my
And bid my crimes re - move? _____ And shall a
How glor - ious, how di - vine! _____ That can to



ro - ving thoughts de - part, For - get - ful of His word. _____
par - doned re - bel live, To speak Thy won - drous love? _____
life and bliss re - store So vile a heart as mine! _____



Yet sov - 'reign mer - cy calls, "Re - turn!" Dear Lord, and
Yet sov - 'reign mer - cy calls, "Re - turn!" Dear Lord, and
Thy par - d'ning love, so free, so sweet, Dear Sav - ior,



may I come? _____ My vile in - gra - ti - tude I
may I come? _____ My vile in - gra - ti - tude I
I a - dore; _____ O keep me at Thy sa - cred



mourn; O take the wan - d' rer home. _____
mourn; O take the wan - d' rer home. _____
feet, And let me rove no more. _____

Words of Assurance and Comfort of the Gospel

Christ Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By His wounds you have been healed.

1 Peter 2:24

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Williams 8:00

Mr. Doug Horn 9:30/11:00

Ruling Elder

Musical Offering

8:00 "Before the Throne of God Above" *arr. Piper*
Mr. Piper, *Piano*

9:30/11:00 "Show Me Thy Ways" *Walter Pelz*
Chancel Choir • Mr. Cope, *Director*
*Show me Thy ways O Lord, teach me Thy paths; lead me in Thy truth and teach me:
For Thou art the God of my salvation, and on Thee do I wait all the day.*

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Now in Christ Jesus, we who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ, for He Himself is our peace. The peace of the Lord be with you always. *Ephesians 2.13-14*

People: **And also with you.**

The 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

Mark 12.13-17, 38-44

And they sent to Him some of the Pharisees and some of the Herodians, to trap Him in His talk. ¹⁴ And they came and said to Him, "Teacher, we know that You are true and do not care about anyone's opinion. For You are not swayed by appearances, but truly teach the way of God. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar, or not? Should we pay them, or should we not?" ¹⁵ But, knowing their hypocrisy, He said to them, "Why put Me to the test? Bring Me a denarius and let Me look at it." ¹⁶ And they brought one. And He said to them, "Whose likeness and inscription is this?" They said to him, "Caesar's." ¹⁷ Jesus said to them, "Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." And they marveled at Him.

³⁸ And in His teaching He said, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes and like greetings in the marketplaces ³⁹ and have the best seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at feasts, ⁴⁰ who devour widows' houses and for a pretense make long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation."

⁴¹ And He sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the offering box. Many rich people put in large sums. ⁴² And a poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which make a penny. ⁴³ And He called His disciples to Him and said to them, "Truly, I say to you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the offering box. ⁴⁴ For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

The Morning Sermon "Giving makes no sense—unless . . ."

Dr. Deison

Please stand.

***The Great Thanksgiving**

Mr. Williams

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Minister: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

People: Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious Name; evermore praising You, and singing:

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n_____ and earth_____ are full___ of Your glo-ry. Ho-
san-na in the high-est. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

***Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing**

***The Words of Institution**

The Communion

Please come forward down the center aisle.

Partake of the elements upon receiving them from the elders.

Return to your seat with your empty cup via the side aisle.

During the Serving of Communion

Please use the following Scripture for private meditation.

Psalm 138

*I give You thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart;
before the gods I sing Your praise;
I bow down toward Your holy temple
and give thanks to Your name for Your steadfast love and
Your faithfulness, for You have exalted above all things
Your name and Your word.
On the day I called, You answered me;
my strength of soul You increased.
All the kings of the earth shall give You thanks, O Lord,
for they have heard the words of Your mouth,
and they shall sing of the ways of the Lord,
for great is the glory of the Lord.
For though the Lord is high, He regards the lowly,
but the haughty He knows from afar.
Though I walk in the midst of trouble,
You preserve my life; You stretch out Your hand against the
wrath of my enemies, and Your right hand delivers me.
The Lord will fulfill His purpose for me;
Your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever.
Do not forsake the work of Your hands.*

☞ Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue here ☞

***Closing Hymn No. 434** "Lord, Thou Lov'st the Cheerful Giver"

BEECHER

***Benediction**

Minister: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

Numbers 6:24-26

People: **Thanks be to God! Amen.**

Postlude

"POSTLUDE ON OLD HUNDREDTH:
Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
Mr. Cope, *Organ*

Fred Bock

**The congregation stands.*

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