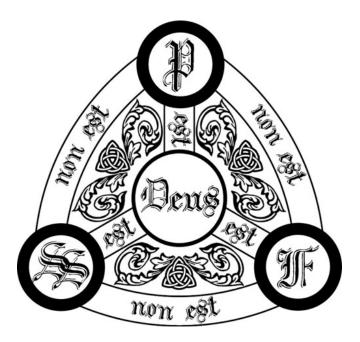
THE LORD'S DAY

June 12, 2022 First Sunday after Pentecost



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MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 10:15 AM

Prelude and Silent Prayer

(Upon entering the sanctuary, please remain silent as the congregation prepares for worship)

Almighty and Everlasting God, who has given unto us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in your power to worship you as One God in Three Persons; We ask you that you would keep us steadfast in this faith, and evermore defend us from all adversities, who lives and reigns, one God, world without end. Amen.

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us to Worship

[†]Call to Worship Hebrews 12:22-24, 28-29 But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.

†Opening Prayer

*Responsive Reading Rev. 1:4-5; Psa. 97 Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth.

Amen!

You, O LORD, are most high over all the earth; you are exalted far above all gods.
O you who love the LORD, hate evil! He preserves the lives of his saints; he delivers them from the hand of the wicked.
Light is sown for the righteous, and joy for the upright in heart.
Rejoice in the LORD, O you righteous, and give thanks to his holy name!

†"Holy, Holy, Holy!" #230*

God Assures Us of Forgiveness

Call to Confession 1 John 1:5-10 Prayer of Confession (Book of Common Prayer, 1549)

Almighty and most merciful Father; we have erred, and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and so we are helpless without you. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare us, as we confess our faults, restore us, as we are penitent, according to your promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord, and grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and devout life, to the glory of your holy Name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 103:9-13 He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever. He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him. Response of Praise

O Lord, open my lips,

and my mouth will declare your praise. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise. It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing to proclaim the glory of your Name!

†Psalm 76

Pastoral Prayer

†Psalm 16A

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Old Testament Reading This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!	Leviticus 25 (p. 103)		
New Testament Reading This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!	Luke 4:16-21 (p. 859)		
Prayer for Illumination			
Sermon			
LEVITICUS 25			
YOU ARE STRANGERS AND			
SOJOURNERS WITH ME			
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EXPOSITION OF LEVITICUS #16

†"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" #524

God Communes with Us in the Lord's Supper

Preparation and Prayer of Consecration By the promise of God this bread and wine are for us the body and blood of Christ. Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Distribution of the Bread and Wine Prayer of Thanksgiving

Offering

1st: General Fund 2nd: Benevolence Fund

<u>God Blesses Us and</u> <u>Sends Us to Be a Blessing</u>

†Benediction	Numbers 6:24-26	
The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD		
make his face to shine	e upon you and be	
gracious to you; the L	ORD lift up his	
countenance upon you	u and give you peace.	
Amen!		
†Doxology (unannound	red #568)*	
	whom all blessings flow;	
Praise Him, all cre	0,	
,	,	
Praise Him above,		
Praise Father, Son	and Holy Ghost. Amen.	

Postlude

† = please stand, if able **bold** = congregational response
* = the congregation is invited to lift hands
(during last stanza); cf. Psa. 63:4, 1 Tim. 2:8

EVENING CATECHISM SERVICE 5:00 pm

Prelude and Silent Prayer

(Upon entering the sanctuary, please remain silent as the congregation prepares for worship)

O LORD, I call upon you; hasten to me! Give ear to my voice when I call to you. Let my prayer be counted as incense before you, and the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice. (Psalm 141:1-2)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship Psalm 115:1-3
Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory, for the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness! Why should the nations say, "Where is their God?" Our God is in the heavens; he does all that he pleases.
Opening Praver

*Responsive Reading Psa. 124:8; Eph. 1:2 Our help is in the name of the LORD,

Who made heaven and earth.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen!

†Psalm 115A

†Confession of Faith The Nicene Creed I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all

things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the onlybegotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made. Who, for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life; who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe one holy catholic¹ and apostolic church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen. †Gloria Patri #571*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

God's Will for Our Lives Deut. 5:6-21 I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself a carved image.... You shall not bow down to them or serve them.

You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Honor your father and your mother, as the LORD your God commanded you, that your days may be long, and that it may go well with

¹ "Catholic" means universal; that is, there is one church across all times, places, and peoples (Belgic Confession, art. 27; Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A 54).

you in the land that the LORD y	your God is	Prayer for Illumination		
giving you.		Sermon		
You shall not murder.		JUDGES 1:1-2	JUDGES 1:1-2:5	
You shall not commit adultery		NO COMPROM	IISE	
You shall not steal.				
You shall not bear false witnes neighbor.	s against your	†"Be Thou My Vision"	#446	
You shall not covet anyth neighbor's.	ning that is your	Offering	General Fund	
-		†Benediction 1 The	essalonians 5:23-24	
Pastoral Prayer		Now may the God of peace	himself sanctify	
Our Father who is in heave your name. Your kingdom be done, on earth as it is in this day our daily bread, an our debts, as we forgive our lead us not into temptation.	come. Your will heaven. Give us id forgive us r debtors. And	you completely, and may yo soul and body be kept blame of our Lord Jesus Christ. He faithful; he will surely do it. Amen!	bur whole spirit and eless at the coming who calls you is	
from evil. For yours is the l the power and the glory, for	kingdom and	†"Not What My Hands Have I	Done" #435	
		Postlude		
Psalm of the Month				
†Psalm 30		\dagger = please stand, if able		
		bold = congregational response	se	
Scripture Reading	Judges 1:1-2:5	* = the congregation is invited	l to lift hands	
This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!	(p. 200)	(during last stanza); cf. Psa. 63	3:4, 1 Tim. 2:8	