January 15, 2023

This is the day that the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24



Selection by Musician

Prelude

# Welcome and Announcements

# \*Call to Worship

<sup>7</sup> Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. <sup>8</sup> Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle! <sup>9</sup> Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. <sup>10</sup> Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory!

\*Hymn of Praise

How Firm A Foundation

No. 94

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\*Prayer of Invocation & Adoration

**Reading of the Law** 

Exodus 20:1-2

(Pew pg. 61/LP pg. 76)

Ps. 24:7-10

#### **Prayer of Confession**

Heavenly Father, We confess that we have sinned against you numerous times this week and in numerous ways. Sometimes we do not even realize that the things we do or leave undone are sins. We are helpless outside of your abundant mercy and grace. Forgive us, we pray, and continue to instruct us that we would not sin presumptuously against you, but that we would prize and love your holiness, and seek to sanctify ourselves according to your Word, so that we may be more like our elder brother, Jesus Christ. We thank you again for his perfect life of obedience and his sacrificial death. We praise you for the perfect righteousness of Christ and the atonement of His blood. And we exhort you for greater faith to stand firm in Christ Jesus and to live every aspect of our earthly life for Him and for Him alone. In Jesus powerful name we pray. Amen.

#### **Assurance of Pardoning Grace**

<sup>1</sup>The earth is the LORD's and the fullness thereof, the world and those who dwell therein, <sup>2</sup> for he has founded it upon the seas and established it upon the rivers.<sup>3</sup> Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD? And who shall stand in his holy place?<sup>4</sup> He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false and does not swear deceitfully. <sup>5</sup> He will receive blessing from the LORD and righteousness from the God of his salvation.<sup>6</sup> Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob.

*Hymn of Thanksgiving	Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing	No. 457
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**Scripture Reading** 

Mark 1:29-45

Ps. 24:1-6

## WSC # 53-54

## **Q. 53.** Which is the third commandment?

A. The third commandment is, Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

### Q. 54. What is required in the third commandment?

A. The third commandment requireth the holy and reverent use of God's names, titles, attributes, ordinances, word and works.

#### **Prayer of Intercession**

## Offering

#### \*Doxology

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. Selection by Musician

No. 731

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## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Hymn of Preparation

Speak, O Lord



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- 1. God is God and we are not
- 2. God made you and therefore He owns you

3. God made everything and He owns that too

4. God blesses us materially so that we can bless the world with the proclamation of His Gospel

Questions:

- 1. Why is giving such a delicate subject for us in the church? Name some reasons.
- 2. How does the reminder that "God is God and you are not" move us forward in our Christian disciplines, especially our giving?
- 3. What other Christian disciplines do we see in Matthew 6? Are these easier or harder to do compared to giving?
- 4. How does the vision of Gospel proclamation help us give better? How can we better clarify this vision at Good Shepherd? In our own lives?

\*Hymn of Response

Take Time to Be Holy

No. 537 Find in Red Trinity Hymnal

# \*Benediction

# \*Gloria Patri

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.

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# Postlude

\* Congregation: Please stand as able.

Piano, Organ, & Guitar

Piano

Guitar

**Intercessory Prayer** 

Chris Erickson

Grayden Lash

Liam Gretzinger

Jim Martin

No. 735

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Weekly Calendar

SUN 1/15	9:20 AM	<b>Sunday School</b> (Children, Adult, & Inquirers)
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
THUR 1/19	6:30 PM	<b>Men's Bible Study</b> (The Discipline of Grace)
SUN 1/22	9:20 AM	<b>Sunday School</b> (Children, Adult, & Inquirers)
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
THUR 1/26	9:30 AM	Women's Morning Study (Acts 15:1 - 35)
		Interested in <b>Women's Evening Study</b> – Talk to Erin Alderson or Karen Carleton
	11:00 AM	Viking Chili Bowl Luncheon- All Welcome! (Weather Pending)
FRI 1/28	1-5PM	Youth Group (Lesson, Games, Chili Cooking)
SUN 1/29	9:20 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	(Children, Adult, & Inquirers) Worship Service

#### Serving the Lord

	1/15	1/22	1/29
AM Nursery	Megan Jones	Jenni Gretzinger	Kathleen Gretzinger
Greeters	Cherie Lee Yonker	Lash Fam	Lindborg Fam
Treats/ Clean Up	Sign Up	at	desk
Audio	Ben Armstrong	Joel Tummond	Josh Alderson
Elder of the Week	Jim Martin	Chris Erickson	Yon Lindborg
Deacon of the Week	Craig Curtis	Ben Armstrong	Jason Lash
Communion Prep	N/A	N/A	N/A

# **Announcements**

- Meal Train: The Curtis Family is expecting a new little one any day now! If you want to participate in the meal train beginning after the birth, please sign-up at the welcome desk. Meals will be dropped off and picked up at the church. No allergies or intolerances listed. Meals include a main dish and side, dessert optional. If you have any questions ask Jenni.
- Chili: At this upcoming Youth Group, Jan 28th from 1-5pm the youth will be making chili. Please sign up if you want to take some home (pickup Sun Jan 29th). Parents please sign up if your children if they plan to attend.
- Men's Study: Men's bible study is scheduled to resume on Thursday, January 19 @ 6:30pm. They will begin studying "The Discipline of Grace" by Jerry Bridges. Copies will be made available this Sunday for \$12. Signup at the welcome desk.
- Women's Evening Bible Study: There is an evening Women's Bible Study at the church from 6:30-8:00 on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month. They are studying the book of Acts. For information, contact Karen Carleton (847)624-5615 or Erin Alderson (219)384-5893
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