Jan 30, 2022 This is the day that the LORD has made,

let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24

Prelude

#### Welcome and Announcements

#### \*Call to Worship

<sup>1</sup>Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; <sup>2</sup> but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. <sup>3</sup> He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers. <sup>4</sup> The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

*Hymn of Praise	How Great Thou Art	No. 44
consider all the wo	when I in awesome wonder orlds Thy hands have made. ar the rolling thunder,	
Thy pow'r through	out the universe displayed.	
how great Thou ar	gs my soul, my Savior God, to Thee: t, how great Thou art! l, my Savior God, to Thee:	
how great Thou ar	t, how great Thou art!	
Wilson through the	woods and forest slades I wonder	

When through the woods and forest glades I wander and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees, when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; **Refrain** 

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, Selection by PM

Ps. 1:1-4 ESV

That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin; **Refrain** 

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, and there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art. **Refrain** <sub>Hymns from Trinity Hymnal used by permission of Great Commission Publications.</sub>

#### \*Prayer of Invocation & Adoration

**Reading of the Law** 

Psalm 119:33-56 (pg. 829-830 Trinity Hymnal)

#### **Prayer of Confession**

Father, forgive us, for we have sinned against you and are justly deserving of your wrath and condemnation. Please do not treat us as our sins so rightly deserve, but cleanse us yet again of all our transgressions of your law, through the lifeblood of your only son, Jesus Christ. Forgive us of seeking our joy, our identity, our peace of mind, our sense of selfworth, our praise, and our very lives in that which is not you. For whatever does not proceed from faith is sin. Awaken us more to see the sin that still abides in our own redeemed hearts and cause us to lean more and more on your means of grace to draw us closer to our precious Savior and to put these sins to death. Encourage us with your promised Holy Spirit and continue to lead us in your righteous paths, in Jesus name, Amen.

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

Ps. 1:5-6 ESV

<sup>5</sup> Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; <sup>6</sup> for the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

# \*Hymn of Thanksgiving

Psalm 121

Tune: Dunee/ Hymnal #128 God Moves in a Mysterious Way

1 I to the hills will lift my eyes.From whence shall come my aid?2 My safety cometh from The LordWho heav'n and earth has made.

3 Thy foot He'll not let slide, nor willHe slumber that thee keeps,4 Lol, He that keepth Is-ra-el,He slumbers not nor sleeps.

5 The Lord thee keeps; the Lord thy shade On thy right hand doth stay; 6 The Moon by night thee shall not smite, Nor yet the sun by day.

7 The Lord shall keep thee from all ill;He shall preserve thy soul.8 The Lord as thou shalt go and comeForever keeps thee whole.

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Reception of New Members: The Jones Family, Nick, Megan, Norah, and Evelyn

**Scripture Reading** 

Acts 2:29-47 ESV (Pew pg. 910/LP pg. 1136)

Westminster Shorter Catechism 88-90

# Q. 88. What are the outward and ordinary means whereby Christ communicateth to us the benefits of redemption?

A. The outward and ordinary means whereby Christ communicateth to us the benefits of redemption, are his ordinances, especially the word, sacraments, and prayer; all which are made effectual to the elect for salvation.

# Q. 89. How is the word made effectual to salvation?

A. The Spirit of God maketh the reading, but especially the preaching, of the word, an effectual means of convincing and converting sinners, and of building them up in holiness and comfort, through faith, unto salvation.

# Q. 90. How is the word to be read and heard, that it may become effectual to salvation?

A. That the word may become effectual to salvation, we must attend thereunto with diligence, preparation and prayer; receive it with faith and love, lay it up in our hearts, and practice it in our lives.

### **Prayer of Intercession**

Offering

Selection by PM

#### \*Doxology

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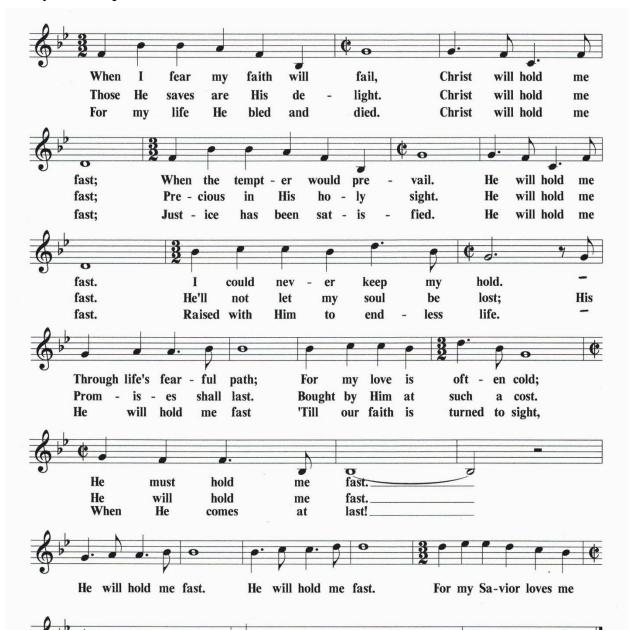
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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#### \*Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Hymn of Preparation

He Will Hold Me Fast



#### Sermon

Innocence, Guilt, and Freedom

Luke 23:1-25 <sup>ESV</sup> (Pew pg. 1102/LP pg. 883)

1. Innocence

2. Guilt

3. Freedom

Questions:

- 1. Have you ever known someone who was deliberately cruel to the name of Jesus Christ for no apparent reason? What does this tell you about unbelief and unbelievers?
- 2. Was Pilate a reputable leader? Why or why not? What does this tell you about leadership in you're a) home, b) church, and c) state/federal government?

- 3. How would you counsel someone who has been slandered by another person for their Christian faith? Do you think that more slander is coming to the church? How can we prepare to fight the good fight?
- 4. How does Jesus shame and suffering make you think about your own sin?
- 5. How would you counsel someone considering an abortion? Would you be willing to give them the support that they would need (spiritual, financial, time needed, etc.)?

# \*Hymn of Response

# All for Jesus!

All for Jesus, all for Jesus! All my being's ransomed powers: All my thoughts and words and doings, all my days and all my hours.

Let my hands perform His bidding, let my feet run in His ways; Let my eyes see Jesus only, let my lips speak forth His praise.

Worldlings prize their gems of beauty, cling to gilded toys of dust, boast of wealth and fame and pleasure; only Jesus will I trust.

Since my eyes were fixed on Jesus, I've lost sight of all beside; so enchained my spirit's vision, looking at the Crucified.

O what wonder! how amazing! Jesus, glorious King of kings, deigns to call me His beloved, lets me rest beneath His wings.

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# \*Benediction

# \*Gloria Patri

Postlude

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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\* Congregation: Please stand as able.

# No. 735

No. 565

Piano

**Intercessory Prayer** 

Bruce Hrivnak

# Weekly Calendar

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	EVENT
SUN 1/30	9:20 AM	Sunday School Wourdein Sources
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
WED 2/02	9:30 AM	Women's Morning Bible Study (Hebrews 9:15-10:18)
	6:00 PM	Family Night
<b>THURS 2/03</b>	6:30 PM	Men's Bible Study (Hebrews 11:1-22)
SUN 2/6	9:20 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service – LORD's Supper
WED 2/09	9:30 AM	Women's Morning Bible Study
	6:00 PM	Women's Evening Bible Study
SUN 2/13	9:20 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	11:45 AM	Directory Photos
SUN 2/20	9:20 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
WED 2/23	9:30 AM	Women's Morning Bible Study
	6:00 PM	Women's Evening Bible Study
SUN 2/27	9:20 AM	Sunday School
501 4141	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	11:45 AM	Directory Photos

#### Serving the Lord

	2/6	2/13	2/20	2/27	3/6	3/13	3/20	3/27
AM Nursery	Yon	Lucy	Lorrie	Kathleen	Felicia	Jenni	Lucy	Lorrie
	Lindborg	Hrivnak	Martin	Gretzinger	Armstrong	Gretzinger	Hrivnak	Martin
Greeters	Lash	Alice	Phyllis	Cherie Lee	Arlene	Lucy	Martha	Dar
	Fam	Lindborg	Sederberg	Yonker	Lanenga	Hrivnak	Gasche	Stam
Treats/ Clean Up Please sign-up at the welcome desk.	Josh Alderson	TBA	Please sign- up at the welcome desk.	Please sign-up at the welcome desk.	Please sign-up at the welcome desk.			
Audio	Joel Tummond	Josh Alderson	Grayden Lash	Jim Martin	Ben Armstrong	Forrest Carleton	Joel Tummond	Josh Alderson
Elder of the	Bruce	Yon	Andrew	Bruce	Yon	Andrew	Bruce	Yon Lindborg
Week	Hrivnak	Lindborg	Gretzinger	Hrivnak	Lindborg	Gretzinger	Hrivnak	
Deacon of	Jason	Jim	Jason	Jim	Jason	Jim	Jason	Jim
the Week	Lash	Martin	Lash	Martin	Lash	Martin	Lash	Martin
Communion Prep	Bruce Hrivnak	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yon Lindborg	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Announcements

- Family Night: This coming Wednesday (Feb 2) we will be gathering for family night- food, fellowship, psalm singing, and prayer. Please sign up at the welcome desk if you plan to attend. All ages welcome!
- Baby Bottles: Please consider taking a baby bottle to support the women's center. There is a name in each bottle. Pray for that baby and fill the bottle with spare change or a donation for the women's center as they help the baby and mother. Bottles due back on Sunday, Feb 12.
- Viking Chili Bowl Luncheon: There will be no Viking lunch in Feb. A date for the lunch resuming will be announced.
- Inclement Weather: In case of church cancelling events due to inclement weather, please check email and social media. Please tell Cassy or email <u>info@goodshepherdpca.net</u> if you are not on the weekly email list. If you do not have email, we will call to notify you.