# October 30, 2022

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

# Welcome and Announcements

Selection by Musician

## \*Call to Worship

**Prelude** 

Ps. 68:4-6

<sup>4</sup> Sing to God, sing praises to his name; lift up a song to him who rides through the deserts; his name is the Lord; exult before him! <sup>5</sup> Father of the fatherless and protector of widows is God in his holy habitation. <sup>6</sup> God settles the solitary in a home; he leads out the prisoners to prosperity, but the rebellious dwell in a parched land.

#### \*Hymn of Praise

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

No. 53

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!

O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!

All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near, join me in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth, shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!

Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee! Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee; ponder anew what the Almighty will do, if with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom hath made thee, decked thee with health, and with loving hand guided and stayed thee.

How oft in grief hath not He brought thee relief, spreading His wings to o'er-shade thee!

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!

All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him!

Let the amen sound from His people again; gladly fore'er we adore Him!

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### \*Prayer of Invocation & Adoration

#### Reading of the Law

Exodus 20:1-2

(Pew pg. 61/LP pg. 76)

#### **Prayer of Confession**

Father of mercies, we confess that we have sinned against you. By your Holy Spirit, come and work repentance into our hearts. Help us to see you as you are: with outstretched arms, a loving heart, and power to save. Help us to see Jesus, the friend of sinners, and to follow him more faithfully. As we have received him, so strengthen us to walk in him, depend on him, commune with him, and be conformed to him. Give us an experience of your grace that makes us bold for others, that we might joyfully tell our friends and neighbors of your saving mercy. In Jesus name, Amen.

## **Assurance of Pardoning Grace**

Ps. 68:19

## \*Hymn of Thanksgiving

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

No. 30

Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home:

Under the shadow of Your throne Your saints have dwelt secure; sufficient is Your arm alone, and our defense is sure.

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, from everlasting You are God, to endless years the same.

A thousand ages in Your sight are like an evening gone; short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

The busy tribes of flesh and blood, with all their lives and cares, are carried downward by your flood, and lost in foll'wing years.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Blessed be the Lord, who daily bears us up; God is our salvation.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream bears all its sons away; they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the op'ning day.

Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come:

O be our guard while troubles last, and our eternal home.

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#### **Scripture Reading**

Acts 24:1-21 (Pew pg. 933/LP pg. 1165)

WSC # 33-35

(pg 871 in Trinity Hymnal)

Q. 33. What is justification?

A. Justification is an act of God's free grace, wherein he pardoneth all our sins, and accepteth us as righteous in his sight, only for the righteousness of Christ imputed to us, and received by faith alone.

Q. 34. What is adoption?

A. Adoption is an act of God's free grace, whereby we are received into the number, and have a right to all the privileges of, the sons of God.

Q. 35. What is sanctification?

A. Sanctification is the work of God's free grace, whereby we are renewed in the whole man after the image of God, and are enabled more and more to die unto sin, and live unto righteousness.

#### **Prayer of Intercession**

Offering

Selection by Musician

\*Doxology No. 731

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 Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

Verse 1 What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer There is no more for heaven now to give

He is my joy my righteousness and freedom

My steedfeet leve my deep and houndless no

My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus For my life is wholly bound to his Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine Yet not I but through Christ in me

Verse 2 The night is dark but I am not forsaken For by my side the Saviour he will stay I labour on in weakness and rejoicing For in my need his power is displayed

To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me Through the deepest valley he will lead Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome Yet not I but through Christ in me

Verse 3 No fate I dread I know I am forgiven The future sure the price it has been paid For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon And he was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold my sin has been defeated Jesus now and ever is my plea Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free Yet not I but through Christ in me

Verse 4 With every breath I long to follow Jesus For he has said that he will bring me home And day by day I know he will renew me Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus All the glory evermore to him When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me

Ending When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me Yet not I but through Christ in me

Sermon	Philippians 2:12-18	(Pew pg. 981/LP pg. 1223)
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- 1. The Commands of God
  - a. The call of obedience
  - b. Fear and Trembling
- 2. The Work of Our Hands

- 3. The Measure of Success
- 1. The Only Life Worth Living

# Questions:

- 1. What does it mean to work out your own salvation with fear and trembling?
- 2. Why are we so reluctant to follow commands?
- 3. How is our sanctification a combination of our own efforts/work and God's work?
- 4. What does the pastor mean by the error of 'an over-realized justification'?

# \*Hymn of Response Psalm 68 (V1-8) Tune: My God, My God O Why Have you Forsaken Me? No 79

1 Let God arise, and scattered far Be all His enemies; And let those who do Him hate Before His presence flee, 2 As smoke is driven, drive Thou them; As wax melts by the fire

As wax melts by the fire, Let wicked men before God's face So perish in His ire.

3 But let all righteous men be glad; Let them be joyful; yea, let them Rejoice with all their might. 4 Sing praise to God; prepare His Way; Jehovah is His name, Who rideth through the wilderness; Before Him joy proclaim.

5 He takes a father's place to those Who are left fatherless,
The widow's judge is God, within His place of holiness.
6 Yea, God the solitary sets
In families, from bands
The chained doth free; but rebels do
Inhabit desert lands.

7 O God, the time Thy going forth Was at Thy people's head,
The time when Thy
majestic march
Into the desert led,
8 Then at God's presence
trembled earth;
The melting heavens fell;
This Sinai quaked, for God
was there,
The God of Is-ra-el.

## \*Benediction

\*Gloria Patri No. 735

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 Selection by Musician

\* Congregation: Please stand as able.

Piano Piano, Organ, Guitar Intercessory Prayer Grayden Lash Chris Erickson Andrew Gretzinger

#### Weekly Calendar

SUN 10/30	9:20 AM	Sunday School	
	10:30 AM	Worship Service	
WED 11/2	6:00 PM	Family Night	
<b>THURS 11/3</b>	6:30 PM	Men's Bible Study (Acts 15:36-21:16)	
SUN 11/6	9:20 AM	Sunday School	
	10:30 AM	Worship Service – LORD's Supper	

#### **Serving the Lord**

	10/30	11/6	11/13
AM Nursery	Lucy Hrivnak	Angela Collins	Deanna Curtis
Greeters	Robbin Kern	Lindborg Fam	Hrivnak Fam
Treats/ Clean Up	List on	Welcome	Desk
Audio	Josh Alderson	Grayden Lash	Ben Armstrong
Elder of the Week	Andrew Gretzinger	Bruce Hrivnak	Jim Martin
Deacon of the Week	Ben Armstrong	Jason Lash	Craig Curtis
Communion Prep	N/A	Yon Lindborg	N/A

# **Announcements**

- > 30 Days of Prayer for Global Missions: During the month of November, we will join PCA churches across North America in praying for specific daily requests for missions around the world, and in particular where the PCA is ministering. Please use the calendar inserted in the bulletin.
- ➤ **Viking Luncheon Resumes:** All welcome to join luncheon at Viking Chili Bowl. Save the dates- Oct 27th at 11:00AM & Nov 30th at 11:00AM.
- > Sign up at the welcome desk for upcoming events:

Family Night – November 2<sup>nd</sup>

A night of food, fellowship, and prayer. \$5 donation suggested for the food provided at the event. All are welcome!

# **Youth Group Leaf Raking** – November 19th

Please sign up if you need your leaves raked <u>or</u> if your youth plans to come. If you want to help at the event or would like more details please talk to the Jones or Erickson families.