

November 5, 2023

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

Prelude

'Tis the Blessed Hour of Prayer

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

Refrain from *'Tis the Blessed Hour of Prayer*

***Call to Worship**

Ps. 23:1-3

¹ The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. ³ He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

***Hymn of Praise**

Crown Him with Many Crowns

No. 295

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***Prayer of Invocation & Adoration**

Reading of the Law

Matthew 5:1; 7:7-14

(Pew pg. 812/LP pg. 1013)

Prayer of Confession

Waken our hearts, O Lord, our God; make them ever watchful to serve You and Your purposes. Trouble us with the smallness of our vision and work. Trouble us with the greatness of Your command to make disciples of all nations. Trouble us with Your great love for sinners and our own slowness to make You our greatest love. Trouble us with the brevity of our lives and time, talent, and treasure not invested in eternity. Comfort us by drawing us to Yourself with the cords of Your unfailing mercy. Comfort us, O Lord, with the assurance of our salvation and unending glory with You when we suffer and are afflicted. Rekindle in us a renewed desire for the coming of Your glorious kingdom when all wrongs will be made right, and when we will trade a cross for a crown. In Jesus' matchless name we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Ps. 23:4-6

⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. ⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

*Hymn of Thanksgiving

Psalm 23

PSALM 23

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The LORD Is My Shepherd

1. The LORD is my Shep-herd; no want shall I know.
 2. My wan-der-ing steps he brings back to his way,
 3. Though I walk in death's val-ley, where dark-ness is near,
 4. In the sight of my en-'mies a ta-ble you spread.
 5. So sure-ly your cov-e-nant mer-cy and grace

²He makes me lie down where the green past-ures grow;
 in straight paths of righ-teous-ness mak-ing me stay;
 • be-cause you are with me, no e-vil I'll fear;
 The oil of re-joic-ing you pour on my head;
 will fol-low me close-ly in all of my ways;

he leads me to rest where the calm wa-ters flow.
 and this he has done his great name to dis-play.
 • your rod and your staff bring me com-fort and cheer.
 my cup o-ver-flows and I'm gra-cious-ly fed.
 I will dwell in the house of the LORD all my days.

Sing Psalms, 2003

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Scripture Reading

Mark 15:21-32

(Pew pg. 852/LP pg. 1064)

The Apostles' Creed

pg. 845 in Red Trinity Hymnal

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
And born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died, and was buried;
He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

And is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
The holy catholic church,
The communion of saints,
The forgiveness of sins,
The resurrection of the body,
And the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer of Intercession**Offering**

No. 715

***Doxology**

No. 731

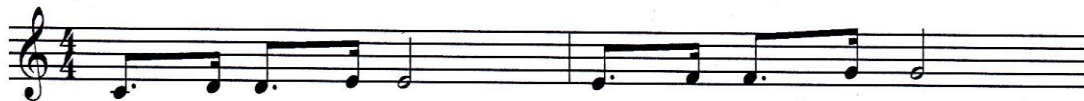
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

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***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

***Hymn of Preparation**

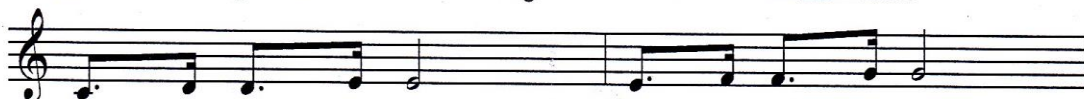
The Power of the Cross



1. Oh to see the dawn of the dark - est day.
 2. Oh to see the pain writ - ten on Your face,
 3. Now the day - light flees, now the ground be - neath
 4. Oh to see my name writ - ten in the wounds,



Christ on the road to Cal - va - ry.
 bear - ing the awe - some weight of sin.
 quakes as its Mak - er bows His head.
 for through Your suf - fring I am free.



Tried by sin - ful men, torn and beat - en then
 Ev - 'ry bit - ter thought, ev - 'ry e - vil deed
 Cur - tain torn in two, dead are raised to life.
 Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live



nailed to a cross of wood. This the
 crown - ing Your blood - stained brow. This the
 "Fin - ished!" the vic - t'ry cry. This the
 won through Your self - less love! This the



1,2,3. pow'r of the cross. Christ be - came sin for us. Took the
 4. pow'r of the cross Son of God slain for us. What a



blame, bore the wrath. We stand for - giv - en at the cross.
 life, what a cost. We stand for - giv - en at the cross.

Sermon Job 38:1-7,40:3-12 (Pew pg. 443&445/LP pg. 554&556)

1. What God Says

2. What God Does Not Say

3. The Storm

Questions:

1. What two things has Job been asking God for in the midst of his suffering?
2. How has Job sinned in the midst of his suffering?
3. Why can God not tell Job the reasons for his suffering? What would happen if He did?
4. How does the storm point us to Jesus Christ?

The Lord's Supper

(wine in the wine-colored cups and grape juice in the clear cups)

Sursum Corda

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Music: Selections from Trinity Hymnal No. 332-334

***Hymn of Response** *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less* No. 522
Find in Trinity Hymnal

***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 No. 705

*** Congregation:** Please stand as able.

Musician Cathy Reed

Intercessory Prayer Andrew Gretzinger

Weekly Calendar

SUN 11/5

Remember:
Clocks fall back!



9:20 AM

Sunday School

10:30 AM

Worship Service – LORD’s Supper

TUES 11/7

6-8 PM

Evening Women’s Study

WED 11/8

1 PM

PM Care Group

THUR 11/9

9:30 AM

Morning Women’s Study

6:30 PM

Men’s Study

SAT 11/11

6 PM

High School Event
Dinner & Bonfire @ Erickson’s

SUN 11/12

9:20 AM

Sunday School

10:30 AM

Worship Service

Shepherding Groups
Details to come

SUN 11/19

9:20 AM

Sunday School

10:30 AM

Worship Service

After Service

**Thanksgiving Carry-in
Luncheon**

Serving the Lord

	11/5	11/12	11/19
AM Nursery	Deanna Curtis & Robbin Kern	Andrea Tummond & Beth Siderius	Angela Collins & Cordie Armstrong
Greeters	Dar Stam	Lash Fam	Phyllis Sederberg
Treats/ Clean Up	Sign up at desk	Sign up at desk	Sign up at desk
Audio	Joel Tummond	Ben Armstrong	Josh Alderson
Elder of the Week	Andrew Gretzinger	Yon Lindborg	Chris Erickson
Deacon of the Week	Ben Armstrong	Craig Curtis	Ben Armstrong
Communion Prep	Chris Erickson	N/A	N/A
Officer on Duty	Yon Lindborg	Jim Martin	Craig Curtis

Announcements

- **Lord's Supper:** Today we will be celebrating the Lord's Supper. Participation is open to all who are trusting in Christ for salvation, living a life of repentance from sin, and in good standing with a Christian church. Please see page 3 of the bulletin for more information.
- **Thanksgiving Carry-in Luncheon:** Save the date Nov 19th. Please sign up at the welcome desk.
- **New Directory:** Finally, it is done! For privacy and safety please shred and dispose of your old directory. There is a color copy of the new directory labeled for each family unit at the welcome desk. If you would like an electronic copy or another hard copy please speak with Cassy.
- **Shepherding Groups: Sunday Nov 12.** Details listed below. If you have questions talk to the elder in charge.

- ❖ **North Group (Gretzinger/Armstrong)**
Sunday Nov 12th @ 4:30pm, at Gretzinger house.
Please RSVP with Andrew.
- ❖ **South/West (Martin/Curtis)**
Sunday Nov 12th, at Siderius house.
- ❖ **East (Lindborg/Erickson)**
Sunday Nov 12th, at Fickle Home. No meal, just fellowship. Please RSVP with Cassy.