

March 21, 2021

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

Offering

Please put tithe in lock box at the back of sanctuary before the service begins.
(Mark on memo line if designating for a specific fund i.e. Deacon's Fund.)

Prelude

*I Need Thee Every Hour
Guide Me, O Great Jehovah*

Arr. Vandall
Arr. Bober

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 54:1-2

***Hymn of Praise**

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

No. 296

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall;
bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all;
bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all.

Crown Him, ye martyrs of your God, who from His altar call;
extol the Stem of Jesse's rod, and crown Him Lord of all;
extol the Stem of Jesse's rod, and crown Him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, ye ransomed of the fall,
hail Him who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all;
hail Him who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall,
go, spread your trophies at His feet, and crown Him Lord of all;
go, spread your trophies at His feet, and crown Him Lord of all.

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe on this terrestrial ball,
to Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all;
to Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng we at His feet may fall;
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all;
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all.

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***Prayer of Invocation**

Scripture Reading

Exodus 16:22-36

Prayer of Confession

Our Gracious Heavenly Father, we confess that we have wandered from you this week and cast ourselves on your great mercy, asking you to forgive us of all our sin and unrighteousness through the blood of your son, Jesus Christ. How foolish we have been, and we repent now of every sin that we have committed against you and your infinite holiness. Help us to become more holy in thought, word, and deed and move us forward by your grace. May we ever seek you when we fall into sin and warm our hearts again with your unfailing grace that has saved us from eternal damnation. Help us now to do these things, by the power of your Holy Spirit. In Jesus name we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Psalm 54:4-7

⁴ Surely God is my help; the Lord is the one who sustains me. ⁵ Let evil recoil on those who slander me; in your faithfulness destroy them. ⁶ I will sacrifice a freewill offering to you; I will praise your name, O Lord, for it is good. ⁷ For he has delivered me from all of my troubles, and my eyes have looked in triumph on my foes.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving**

I Am So Glad That Our Father in Heaven

No. 191

I am so glad that our Father in heav'n tells of His love in the book He has giv'n:
wonderful things in the Bible I see: this is the dearest, that Jesus loves me.

I am so glad that Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me:

I am so glad that Jesus loves me. Jesus loves even me.

Though I forget Him and wander away, still He does love me wherever I stray;
back to His dear loving arms do I flee, when I remember that Jesus loves me.

I am so glad that Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me:

I am so glad that Jesus loves me. Jesus loves even me.

Oh, if there's only one song I can sing,
When in His beauty I see the great King,

This shall my song in eternity be:

“Oh, what a wonder that Jesus loves me.”

I am so glad that Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me:

I am so glad that Jesus loves me. Jesus loves even me.

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Westminster Shorter Catechism 14-15

Q. 14. What is sin?

A. Sin is any want of conformity unto, or transgression of, the law of God.

Q. 15. What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?

A. The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created was their eating the forbidden fruit.

Prayer of Intercession

***Hymn of Preparation**

Come, Thou Almighty King

No. 101

Come, Thou Almighty King, help us Thy Name to sing, help us to praise!
Father all glorious, o'er all victorious, come and reign over us, Ancient of Days!

Come, Thou Incarnate Word, gird on Thy mighty sword, our prayer attend!
Come, and Thy people bless, and give Thy Word success, Spirit of holiness, on us
descend!

Come, Holy Comforter, thy sacred witness bear in this glad hour.
Thou who almighty art, now rule in every heart, and ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power!

To the great One in Three, eternal praises be, hence evermore.
His sovereign majesty may we in glory see, and to eternity love and adore!

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Sermon Text: John 12:20-26

Notes

***Hymn of Response**

Nothing but the Blood

No. 307

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus;
What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

REFRAIN:

**O precious is the flow that makes me white as snow;
no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.**

For my cleansing this I see - nothing but the blood of Jesus.
For my pardon this my plea - nothing but the blood of Jesus. **REFRAIN**

Nothing can for sin atone - nothing but the blood of Jesus.
Naught of good that I have done - nothing but the blood of Jesus. **REFRAIN**

This is all my hope and peace - nothing but the blood of Jesus.
This is all my righteousness - nothing but the blood of Jesus. **REFRAIN**

Now by this I'll overcome - nothing but the blood of Jesus.
Now by this I'll reach my home - nothing but the blood of Jesus. **REFRAIN**

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***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**

Psalm 1

Arr. Erickson

Come Thou Fount

Arr. Erickson

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

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Piano/Organ/Guitar
Intercessory Prayer

Chris Erickson
Bruce Hrivnak

Weekly Calendar

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
SUN 3/21	9:00 AM	Opening Exercises & Sunday School (New Members & Kingdom of God)
	10:30 AM	Worship Service (available YouTube & Facebook)
MON 3/22	6:30 PM	Hrivnak-Lindborg Care Group (Meets on Zoom)
WED 3/24	9:30 AM	Women’s Morning Study (Meets at Church)
SUN 3/28	9:00 AM	Opening Exercises & Sunday School (New Members & Kingdom of God)
	10:30 AM	Worship Service (available YouTube & Facebook)

Serving the Lord

	3/21	3/28	4/4	4/11	4/18
AM Nursery	Yon	Cordie	Felicia	Ashley	Lorrie
Greeters	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Treats	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Serve/Cleanup	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Audio	B. Schoon	J. Martin	B. Armstrong	B. Schoon	J. Martin
Elder of the Week	Hrivnak	Gretzinger	Lindborg	Gretzinger	Hrivnak
Deacon of the Week	Matt	Jason	Jim	Jason	Matt

Announcements

➤ **April Events to Remember**

4/3 Sat 10:30 am - 12:00 pm Easter Egg Hunt on church property

4/4 Sun 7:00 am Sunrise Service on church back lawn
10:30 am Worship Service (no Sunday School)

4/10 Sat 9:00 am - 1200 pm Philosophy of Ministry Workshop

4/17 & 4/24. 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Wheelchair Drive Collection (in church bldg)

➤ **Easter Lilies:** A sign-up sheet is on the information desk for Easter Lilies. If you would like to purchase one in memory of someone, past or present, please sign up to do so. Lilies are \$6 each. We will decorate the sanctuary with them on Easter Sunday, April 4, and can be taken home after worship.

➤ **Local Events of Interest:** Email the Church office for info on how-to register.

- April 7 -VU Archeological Zoom Lecture on the Bronze Age
- April 7 -Christian Women's Connection Lunch @ Old Town

Miscellaneous Info

Church Leadership Meetings: The Session meets the first Tuesday of every month and the Deacon's meet the third Tuesday of each month. If ever there are any concerns, questions, or needs, please do not hesitate to contact Yon Lindborg, Clerk of Session (yonedfarm@gmail.com) or Jim Martin, Clerk of the Diaconate (jim@jimandlorrie.com) with these matters, and we will always do our best to address them in a timely and biblical manner.

Book Table: The resources vary and are there for whatever needs you may have. Feel free to take any books you need. If you wish to give a donation to the church in gratitude or to restock for the future please mark it clearly for book table.