March 3, 2024

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

Psalm 118:24

Prelude Oceans

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

Blessed Be Your Name

*Call to Worship

Ps. 46:4-7

There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High. God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns. The nations rage, the kingdoms totter; he utters his voice, the earth melts. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

*Hymn of Praise

O Worship the King

No. 219

Find in New Hymnal (Brown)

*Prayer of Invocation & Adoration

Reading of the Law

Exodus 20:12

(Pew pg. 61/LP pg. 77)

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men, we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against your divine majesty, provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us. We earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. The remembrance of them is grievous to us, the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake. Forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may, from now on, serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

1 John 1:4-7

And we are writing these things so that our joy may be complete. This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.

*Hymn of Thanksgiving

Psalm 46 A Fir

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Scripture Reading

Ecclesiastes5:8-12

(Pew pg.555/LP pg. 698)

The Apostles' Creed

pg. 851 in New Hymnal (Brown)

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

Rejoice the Lord is King

*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.

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*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn of Preparation How Deep the Father's Love for Us No. 351 Find in New Hymnal (Brown)

Sermon *Proper Worship Conduct* 1 Tim 2:8-15 (Pew pg. 991/LP pg. 1234) 1. Internals to Externals

2. Godly Leadership

3. True Freedom

Questions:

- 1. Why is 1 Timothy 2:12 more a matter of inerrancy and authority than it is a matter of fairness and equality?
- 2. What are some ways that you have maybe seen that 1 Timothy 2:12 has been side stepped or ignored in churches?
- 3. Why is God so concerned with our conduct, dress, and attitudes we bring to His worship?
- 4. What does it mean to truly submit to God? To Elders? To Husband? To parents?

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

The Lord's Supper

Sursum Corda

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Music: Amazing Grace / Nothing But the Blood

*Hymn of Response Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder No. 286 Find in New Hymnal (Brown)

*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 Goodness of God

* Congregation: Please stand as able.

MusicianEmily TheveninIntercessory PrayerJim Martin

Weekly Calendar			
SUN 3/3	9:20 AM	Sunday School	
	10:30 AM	Worship Service – LORD's Supper	
WED 3/6	6:00 PM	Family Night (All Welcome)	
THUR 3/7	6:30 PM	Men's Study	
Sun 3/10	9:20	Sunday School	
	10:30 AM	Worship Service	
	After Church	East Shepherding Group	
		Meeting @ Carleton House	

Serving the Lord

3/3/24	3/10`/24
Cassy Erickson & Kathleen Gretzinger	Robbin Kern & Cordie Armstrong
Lash Family	Judy Rogers
Sign up at desk	Sign
Ben Armstrong	Joel Tummond
Jim Martin	Chris Erickson
Craig Curtis	Ben Armstrong
Jim Martin	N/A
Yon Lindborg	Jim Martin
	Cassy Erickson & Kathleen Gretzinger Lash Family Sign up at desk Ben Armstrong Jim Martin Craig Curtis Jim Martin

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.
- ➤ Candy Donations: Please bring candy for the Easter Egg Hunt, which is the Saturday before Easter, March 30th @ 10am. Candy collected in blue baskets on welcome desk.
- ➤ Youth Group Save the Date: Soup & Bread making Service Event Sat. March 16th from 8am-10am. Youth and Parents welcome. Talk to Cassy or Megan for more details.
- ➤ **Hymn Sing Save the Date**: Next Hymn Sing Sun. March 24 @ 5pm. Request songs on sign-up sheet at welcome desk.
- Foundations Class: A class where you find out who we are as a church and what we believe and why. It starts <u>Today</u> (Sunday, March 3 @ 9:20 am)! Books passed out last week. Talk to Jim or Chris if you have questions.
- > Easter
 - . **Choir** Easter Choir sign-up sheet at the welcome desk. All ages welcome.
 - Memorial Lilies Sign up at the welcome desk.
- ➤ Child Evangelism Fellowship Showers of Blessing! CEF 2024 Banquet & Fundraising Event: Talk to Cathy if you want to know more.
- ➤ Sunday School Nursery: SS is in immediate need of nursery volunteers! The Christian Ed Committee hopes for at least 4 volunteers to make a rotation of 1/week through the SS year. Volunteers can talk to Franz or Lorrie.
- **➤** March Shepherding Group

* East Group (Erickson/Lindborg) Sunday 3/10 after church at Carleton House.