June 27, 2021 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

³⁴ Let heaven and earth praise him, the seas and everything that moves in them.

³⁵ For God will save Zion and build up the cities of Judah, and people shall dwell there and possess it; ³⁶ the offspring of his servants shall inherit it, and those who love his name shall dwell in it.

O Worship the King

O worship the King all-glorious above, O gratefully sing His pow'r and His love; our shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.

O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy space. His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, and dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold, Almighty, your pow'r has founded of old; has 'stablished it fast by a changeless decree, and round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

Psalm 69:34-36 ESV

No. 2

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Your bountiful care what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air; it shines in the light; it streams from the hills; it descends to the plain; and sweetly distils in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, in You do we trust, nor find You to fail; Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end, our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

O measureless Might! Ineffable Love! While angels delight to hymn You above, the humbler creation, though feeble their lays, with true adoration shall lisp to Your praise. Hymns from *Trinity Hymnal* used by permission of Great Commission Publications.

*Prayer of Invocation

Baptism

Calvin Wyatt Curtis

Gen. 41:1-13

Scripture Reading

Prayer of Confession

Gracious Heavenly Father, you have loved us with an unrelenting and compassionate love, but we have not loved you. You constantly call to us, but we fail to listen. You ask us to love, but we walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns. Forgive us, we pray, of our cold and sinful hearts. Shine the light of your eternal truth into our hearts and reveal to each one of us where we need to repent of sin and lead us away from sin and restore us by your love and mercy. We thank you for Jesus who makes all this possible, and without him we have no hope. Guide and direct us, we pray, in Jesus name, Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Psalm 69:16-18 ESV

¹⁶ Answer me, O Lord, for your steadfast love is good; according to your abundant mercy, turn to me.¹⁷ Hide not your face from your servant, for I am in distress; make haste to answer me.¹⁸ Draw near to my soul, redeem me; ransom me because of my enemies!

Hymn of ThanksgivingAll Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!No. 297

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

Crown him, ye martyrs of your God, who from his altar call, who from his altar call; extol the Stem of Jesse's rod, and crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all!

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, ye ransomed of the fall,

ye ransomed of the fall,

hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all!

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall, the wormwood and the gall,

go spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all!

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe on this terrestrial ball,

on this terrestrial ball,

to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall, we at his feet may fall! We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all!

WSC 36-38

Q. 36. What are the benefits which in this life do accompany or flow from justification, adoption and sanctification?

A. The benefits which in this life do accompany or flow from justification, adoption and sanctification, are, assurance of God's love, peace of conscience, joy in the Holy Ghost, increase of grace, and perseverance therein to the end.

Q. 37. What benefits do believers receive from Christ at death?

A. The souls of believers are at their death made perfect in holiness, and do immediately pass into glory; and their bodies, being still united to Christ, do rest in their graves till the resurrection

O. 38. What benefits do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection?

A. At the resurrection, believers, being raised up in glory, shall be openly acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment, and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God to all eternity.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering

*Doxology

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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No. 731

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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Sermon

- 1. The Company You Keep
 - a. Tax collectors
 - b. Sinners
 - c. Pharisees
- 2. Motivation for Searching
 - a. The Shepherd
 - b. The Woman
- 3. The Joy of Repentance
 - a. True repentance is:
 - i. Acknowledging
 - ii. Admitting
 - iii. Pursuing

Ouestions:

- Jesus "hung out" with people of questionable character to try and lead them to repentance. 1. How can you model this? Is there a time when you have to distance yourself from unrepentant persons?
- 2. The shepherd searched because he cared deeply for his sheep. How much do you care for lost souls? What is keeping you from caring?
- 3. Jesus looked for you because you are unbelievably valuable to him. How does that change your outlook on life? How does that knowledge help you face any fears or insecurities you might have?
- 4. Why are joy and repentance inextricably linked together? Is it possible to have joy without repentance? Why or why not?

*Hymn of Response

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise No. 38

Immortal, invisible, God only wise, in light inaccessible hid from our eyes, most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days, almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting and silent as light, nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might; Thy justice like mountains high soaring above Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light, Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight; all praise we would render, O help us to see `tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee!

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*Benediction

*Gloria Patri

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 AS

No. 735

* Congregation: Please stand as able.

Piano Intercessory Prayer

Anna Severson Andrew Gretzinger

Weekly Calendar						
DATE	TIME	EVENT				
SUN 6/27	10:30 AM	Worship Service (available YouTube & Facebook)				
	6:00 PM	Prayer Meeting for PCA General Assembly				
SUN 7/4	10:30 AM	Worship Service (available YouTube & Facebook)				
SUN 7/11	10:30 AM	Worship Service – LORD's Supper (available YouTube & Facebook)				
	11:45AM	Missions Presentation & Carry-in Picnic				

Serving the Lord

	6/27	7/4	7/11	7/18	7/25
AM Nursery	Kathleen	Yon	Cordie	Felicia	Ashley
Greeters	Phyllis	Dar	Martha	Lash Fam	Matt, Ash,
					Kyah
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. Armstrong	J. Martin	B. Armstrong	J. Martin	B. Armstrong
Elder of the Week	Gretzinger	Lindborg	Hrivnak	Gretzinger	Lindborg
Deacon of the Week	Jim	Jason	Matt	Jim	Jason
Communion Prep	N/A	N/A	7/11	N/A	N/A
			Hrivnak		

Announcements

- Missions Summer Reading Program: We will again have a summer reading program of missionary and prominent Christians' biographies. Please sign out a book when you take it. May the reading help grow our faith!
- Missionary Visit July 11: The Misra family, who are missionaries to South Asia, will be visiting the church on Sunday, July 11. After the worship service, there will be a missions presentation (30 min), followed by a carry-in picnic. Folks whose last names begin with A-L, please bring a salad (green, pasta, potato, etc.) with some protein (nuts, cheese, salami, etc.). Folks whose last names begin with M-Z, please bring a dessert. Water and rolls will be provided.