

THE LORD'S DAY

August 13, 2023

10 O'clock A.M.

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REFLECTION

*CALL TO WORSHIP

O come, let us sing to Yahweh!

Let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving;

Let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!

For the LORD is a great God, and a great King

Above all gods.

Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

Let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

For He is our God, and we are the people of his pasture,

And the sheep of His hand.

Psalm 95:1-7

*HYMN OF ADORATION

O Worship the King

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*PRAYER OF ADORATION

CONFESSION OF FAITH

Christian, in whom do you believe and trust?

The one true and living God revealed in Holy Scripture. He is the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory.

SC 5,6,21

Who is your Redeemer?

The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be God and man in two distinct nature, and one person, forever.

CONFESSION OF SIN

based on The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, You are Sovereign in the Heavens, and You do whatever you please. We acknowledge that we do not honor You as holy in our lives and in our prayers. We sinfully worry about our own needs, but neglect the Kingdom of God. We confess that we desire Your forgiveness and yet withhold it from our brothers and sisters in Christ. Please Merciful Father, forgive us for these and all of our sins through the precious death of Jesus our Savior. Keep us from temptation, and deliver us from the evil one. In Jesus Name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

Knowing that you were ransomed

Not with perishable things such as silver or gold

But with the precious blood of Christ

Like that of a lamb without blemish or spot

We are believers in God, who raised Jesus

from the dead and gave Him glory

So that your faith and hope are in God

*HYMN OF DEVOTION

Not What My Hands Have Done

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Ushers come forward at this time

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Doxology

*READING OF GOD'S WORD

Mark 8:34-9:1
Pew Bible Pg, 1004

PASTORAL PRAYER

PREACHING OF THE WORD

Cross Carrying

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

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*BENEDICTION

*GLORIA PATRI

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