

Lord's Day—November 7, 2021

Approach to the Lord

Silent Prayer (with about five minutes of silence)

Call to Worship: Psalm 96:8-13

*Hymn 181 *We Come, O Christ, to You*

*Invocation

*Gloria Patri (Hymn 735)

*Prayer of Confession (opposite page)

Assurance of Pardon: 2 Corinthians 5:21

Proclamation of the Word of God

Prayer for Illumination

*Hymn 303 *Blessed Jesus, at Your Word*

Old Covenant Reading: Jeremiah 2:4-19

New Covenant Reading: Romans 1:24-32

Sermon: "The Hard and Impenitent Heart"

Response to the Word of God

*Hymn 500 *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*

*Nicene Creed (page 846)

Prayer of Intercession

The Supper of Our Lord

Words of Institution and Exhortation

Partaking of the Elements with Prayer

*Hymn 319 *Day of Judgment! Day of Wonders!*

*Benediction

*Standing if you are able.

Announcements

Wearing masks is optional, but we strongly recommend that you stay home if you have any symptoms of coughing or fever.

All visitors, who are believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, who have been baptized in a true church, and who have made a public profession of their faith are invited to join us for **the Lord's Supper**. A true church bears the following marks: faithful preaching of the Word of God; the faithful exercise of church discipline; and the proper administration of the sacraments of baptism and the Lord's Supper. Please wait until all have been served and we will take the elements of the Lord's Supper together as fellow members of the body of Christ. We have both grape juice and wine.

Please find the **Collection Plate** on the card table at the entrance.

Sunday School is cancelled next Sunday. Pastor is away.

Next Sunday The Rev. Dr. Greg Reynolds plans to preach and administer the Lord's Supper. Pastor will be away for the wedding.

Worship begins at 10:30 am. Please refrain from conversation after 10:30 am and observe about five minutes of silent prayer and meditation. Announcements will be after the end of worship.

A Congregation Meeting is planned after worship on **Nov. 21**.

The only business is to nominate and vote on **Elder Dana Bradford** to be installed on the Session. He is already ordained, but an election is necessary for you to approve his installation.

Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father; we acknowledge and confess before You; Our sinful nature prone to evil and slothful in good; And all our shortcomings and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned; In wandering from Your ways; in wasting Your gifts; In forgetting Your love. O Lord, have mercy upon us; Who are ashamed and sorry for everything in which we have displeased You. Teach us to hate our errors; Cleanse us from our secret faults; And forgive our sins; For the sake of your dear Son. And O most holy and loving Father; Help us, we beseech You to live in Your light and walk in Your ways; According to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen..