

# DIVINE WORSHIP

April 9, 2017

## Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

#### Choral Introit

Patrick M. Liebergen

*Come to the Lord's Dwelling Place*

#### \*Call to Worship

Psalm 29:1-2

Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength. Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness.

#### \*Hymn No. 660

*O God beyond All Praising*

#### \*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

#### \*Affirmation of Faith

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### \*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.

#### Pastoral Prayer

#### Anthem

Mary McDonald

*You Are God*

#### Scripture Reading Pg. 185

Romans 9:1-24

#### \*Hymn No. 455

*And Can It Be That I Should Gain*

#### Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

#### Sermon Text Pg. 989

2 Thessalonians 2:13-17

#### Prayer of Illumination

#### Sermon

Rev. Steven G. Simmons

Chosen For the Glory of our Lord Jesus Christ

#### \*Hymn No. 94

*How Firm a Foundation*

#### \*Benediction

Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

#### \*Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### \*Postlude

*\* Congregation please stand*

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### The Evening Service

5:00 p.m.

#### Sermon

Luke 12:13-48

Living For Him

*Please join us for a Fellowship Meal after the Evening Service.*