

DIVINE WORSHIP

March 9, 2014

The Prelude

The Welcome and Announcements

The Choral Introit

Let Music Fill This Place

*The Call to Worship

Minister: Incline Your ear, O Lord, and answer me, for I am poor and needy. Preserve my life, for I am godly, save Your servant, who trust in You óYou are my God.

Congregation: Be gracious to me, O Lord, for to You do I cry all the day. Gladden the soul of Your servant, for to You, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. For You, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon You. Give ear, O Lord, to my prayer; listen to my plea for grace.

*The Hymn of Praise No. 101

Come, Thou Almighty King

*The 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.

*The Affirmation of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism 86-87

Leader: Since, then, we are delivered from our misery by grace alone, through Christ, without any merit of ours, why must we yet do good works?

Congregation: Because Christ, having redeemed us by His blood, also renews us by His Holy Spirit after His own image, that with our whole life we may show ourselves thankful to God for His benefits, and that He may be praised by us; then, also, that each of us may be assured in himself of his faith by the fruits thereof, and that by our godly walk our neighbors also may be won for Christ.

Leader: Can they, then, not be saved who, continuing in their wicked and ungrateful lives, do not turn to God?

Congregation: By no means; for the Scripture declares that no unchaste person, idolater, adulterer, thief, covetous man, drunkard, slanderer, robber, or any such like, shall inherit the kingdom of God.

*The Hymn No. 521

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

The Pastoral Prayer

The Anthem

Come and See the Work of the Lord

The Scripture Reading Pg. 829

Matthew 24:1-28

*The Hymn of Faith No. 141

God, in the Gospel of His Son

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Sermon Text Pg. 1015

1 Peter 3:8-12

The Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Finally, do good

Rev. Steven G. Simmons

*The Hymn of Response No. 637

What Shall I Render to My God

*The Benediction

Finally, brothers, rejoice. Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen.

*The 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.

*The Postlude

** Congregation please stand*