

DIVINE WORSHIP

June 15, 2014

The Prelude

The Welcome and Announcements

*The Call to Worship

Minister: If it had not been the Lord who was on our side, let Israel now say:

Congregation: If it had not been the Lord who was on our side when people rose up against us, then they would have swallowed us up alive, when their anger was kindled against us; then the flood would have swept us away, the torrent would have gone over us.

Minister: Blessed be the Lord, who has not given us as prey to their teeth! Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

*The Hymn of Praise No. 53

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

*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

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*The Hymn No. 529

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

The Pastoral Prayer

The Scripture Reading Pg. 833

Matthew 27:1-23

*The Hymn of Faith No. 576

Awake, My Soul, Stretch Every Nerve

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Sermon Text Pg. 1017

1 Peter 5:8-9

The Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Rev. Steven G. Simmons

Watch and Resist

*The Hymn of Response No. 92

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

*The Benediction

Be patient, therefore, brothers, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient about it, until it receives the early and the late rains. You also, be patient. Establish your hearts. The coming of the lord is at hand. Amen.

*The 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.

*The Postlude

** Congregation please stand*