

DIVINE WORSHIP

June 2, 2013

The Prelude & Welcome

The Choral Introit

O God Beyond All Praising

*The Call to Worship

Minister: I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

All: He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber. Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

Minister: The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all evil; He will keep your life. The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.

*The Hymn of Praise No. 15

Stand Up and Bless the Lord

*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

Nicene Creed

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

The Anthem

Come and See the Works of the Lord

The Pastoral Prayer and Confession of Sin

We confess that we were conceived in sin and are by nature children of wrath and have all sinned and come short of the glory of God. We have not remembered You, our Creator, with the fear, love and obedience which we owe You in all things, nor have we served You with all our might. Rather, we have often fulfilled the desires of the flesh and of the carnal mind. We have sinned against Your precepts, Your promises and threats, Your mercies and Your judgments. Our sins are many. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father. Be reconciled to us, and let the blood of Jesus Christ cleanse us from all our sins. O make Your face to shine upon us, Your servants; save us from our sins and from the wrath to come; make us a peculiar people to You, zealous of good works, to redeem the time and give all diligence to make our calling and election sure. All this we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Your Son.

The Gospel Promise

Romans 5:1

*The Hymn of Faith No. 92

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Sermon Text Pg. 969

2 Corinthians 11:5-15

The Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Rev. Steven G. Simmons

The Antidote for False Apostles

*The Communion Hymn No. 463

A Debtor to Mercy Alone

The Lord's Table**

*The Hymn of Response No. 523

My Hope Is in the Lord

*The Benediction

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of His glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

*The Doxology No. 731

*The Postlude

** Congregation please stand*

*** Grape Juice is provided in the Outer Ring*