

DIVINE WORSHIP

September 8, 2013

The Prelude

The Welcome and Announcements

The Choral Introit

Let All the People Sing Praise

*The Call to Worship

Minister: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the heights! Praise Him, all His angels; praise Him, all His Host! Praise Him, sun and moon, praise Him all you shining stars! Praise Him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!

All: Let them praise the name of the Lord! For He commanded and they were created. And he established them forever and ever; He gave a decree, and it shall not pass away!

Minister: Let them praise the name of the Lord, for His name is exalted; His majesty is above earth and heaven.

All: He has raised up a horn for His people, praise for all His saints, for the people of Israel who are near to Him. Praise 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 Hymn No. 4

All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above

*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 Sacrament of Baptism

The Covenant Baptism of Brennan Gerald Carr
Covenant Child of Doug and Janet Carr

The Pastoral Prayer

The Anthem

Canon of Praise

*The Hymn of Faith No. 498

Jesus What a Friend of Sinners

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Sermon Text Pg. 774

Jonah 2:1-10

The Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Rev. Steven G. Simmons

Hope for the Despairing

*The Hymn of Response No. 75

O Father You Are Sovereign

*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.

*Gloria Patri No. 735

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*