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9:30

Sunday, November 15, 2015

PRELUDE O, How I Love Jesus -arr. Mark Hayes

THE GATHERING

Welcome/Announcements/Meet and Greet

Invocation

Gathering Song This Little Light of Mine

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, Let it shine, let it shine.

Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine, Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine, Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine, Let it shine, let it shine.

Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine, Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine, Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine, Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Offering You Are My All in All

You are my strength when I am weak; You are the treasure that I seek. You are my all in all. Seeking You as a precious jewel; Lord, to give up, I'd be a fool. You are my all in all.

Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name. Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name.

Taking my sin, my cross, my shame; Rising again, I bless Your name. You are my all in all. When I fall down You pick me up; When I am dry you fill my cup. You are my all in all.

Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name. Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name.

Prayer and Dismissal of Children

Gathering Song Blessed be Your Name

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful; Where the streams of abundance flow, blessed be Your name; Blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place, When I walk thro' the wilderness, blessed be Your name;

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise; When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say. Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name; Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name;

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me; When the world's all as it should be, blessed be Your name; Blessed be Your name on the road marked with suffering; Tho' there's pain in the offering, blessed be Your name; Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise; When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say. Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name; Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name;

You give and take away, You give and take away; My heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be Your name."

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name; Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name;

Song of Praise How Great is Our God

The splendor of the king clothed in majesty,
Let all the earth rejoice, let all the earth rejoice.
He wraps Himself in light and darkness tries to hide,
It trembles at His voice, it trembles at His voice.

How great is our God! Sing with me, How great is our God! And all will see how great, how great is our God!

Age to age, He stands and time is in His hands, Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End. The Godhead, three in one, Father, Spirit, Son, The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb. (refrain)

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Prayer of the Day

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

L: Let us pray. . . .

C: Amen.

Response Open Our Eyes
Open our eyes Lord; we want to see Jesus,
To reach out and touch him, and say that we love him.
Open our eyes, Lord; and help us to listen.
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.

Reading: Hebrews 10:11-25

L: A reading from the 10th chapter of Hebrews.

The right hand of God," ¹³ and since then has been waiting "until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet." ¹⁴ For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. ¹⁵ But the Holy Spirit also witnesses to us; for after He had said before, ¹⁶ "This *is* the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the LORD: I will put My laws into their hearts, and in their minds I will write them," ¹³ ¹⁷ then He adds, "Their sins and their lawless deeds I will remember no more." ¹⁸ Now where there is remission of these, *there is* no longer an offering for sin.

¹⁹Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), ²¹and since we have a great priest over the house of God, ²²let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. ²³Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. ²⁴And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, ²⁵not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

(Today's readings: Daniel 12:1-3, Psalm 16, Hebrews 10:11-25, Mark 13:1-8)

Message

OUR RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Special Music

Intercessory Prayers

L: Lord, in your mercy,C: hear our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who 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 trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

The Prayer of Confession

C: Gracious God in Heaven, we bow before You to confess to You that we have sinned and done that which is evil in Your sight. We have walked in pride, we have not been as thankful, or forgiving as You would like us to be. Help us to show forth the fruits of Your Spirit, the love, joy and peace that You have shown to us. And forgive us for all our wrong doing, even those stubborn habits that we struggle with, for we pray this in the Name of Jesus our Lord, Amen.

L: In the mercy of almighty God,
Jesus Christ was given to die for us,
and for his sake God forgives us all our sins.
To those who believe in Jesus Christ
he gives the power to become the children of God
and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

Blessing

L: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and

give you peace.

C: Amen

Closing Song We Will Dance

Sing a song of celebration, lift up a shout of praise, For the bridegroom will come, the glorious One. And O we will look on His face. We'll go to a much better place.

So dance with all your might, lift up your hands and clap for joy; For the time's drawing near when He will appear. And O we will stand by His side, A strong and pure, spotless bride.

O we will dance on the streets that are golden, The glorious bride and the great Son of Man. Let ev'ry tongue and tribe and nation rejoice in the song of the Lamb.

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Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude Shine, Jesus, Shine - arr. Mark Hayes

Welcome!

Please complete the pew card before you leave worship this day. Pastor Keller would be happy to visit with you at the time and place of your choosing to answer questions about membership. Simply call the church office at 724-352-2333 to make an appointment.

PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK: Jeremiah 31:31-34, Psalm 46. Romans 3:19-28. John 8:31-36

Attendance on Sunday, November 8, 2015

8:15	28	St. Luke's Lutheran Church	
9:30	16	310 West Main Street	
10:45	67	Saxonburg, PA 16056	724-352-2333
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Kings Kids	<u>5</u>		
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Sunday School	48		

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