

Morning Worship

January 13, 2019

Please mute cell phones and other electronic devices.

Welcome and Announcements

Quiet Preparation and Prayer

Prelude

Call to Worship

Psalm 68:32-35
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Hymn of Praise

Trinity Hymnal No. 164

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Prayer of Invocation

Reading of the Law

Exodus 20:1-17
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Public Confession

Based on Ephesians 1:3-6

Our heavenly Father, You have clearly told us in Your Word that You have blessed us with every spiritual blessing in Christ and chosen us in Him before You even created the world, to be holy and blameless in Your sight. We are thankful for our high position in Christ, but we confess to You that we have failed to live up to the holy and blameless position. We have sinned daily against Your divine majesty by thought, word and deed. We confess that our sins are the reason Jesus suffered and died. Forgive us for our manifold sins against You and cause us to grow into the people You created us to be by the power of Your blessed Holy Spirit. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

Micah 7:18-19
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Hymn

Trinity Hymnal No. 499

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

“Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.”

Proverbs 3:9-10

Offertory

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise Him, all creatures here below!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly hosts!
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.*

Pastoral Prayer

Reading of God's Word

Matthew 27:11-26
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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

All: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

Rev. Todd Matocha

“The Spotless Lamb”

Hymn of Response

Oh, to See the Dawn

Oh, to see the dawn
of the darkest day;
Christ on the road to Calvary.
Tried by sinful men,
Torn and beaten, then
Nailed to a cross of wood.

*Chorus:
This, the pow'r of the cross;
Christ became sin for us;
Took the blame, bore the wrath-
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Oh, to see the pain
Written on Your face,
Bearing the awesome weight of sin.
Ev'ry bitter thought,
Ev'ry evil deed
Crowning Your bloodstained brow.

Chorus

Now the daylight flees,
Now the ground beneath
Quakes as its Maker bows His head.
Curtain torn in two,
Dead are raised to life;
“Finished!” the vict'ry cry.

Chorus

Oh, to see my name
Written in the wounds,
For through Your suff'ring I am free
Death is crushed to death,
Life is mine to live,
Won through Your selfless love.

*Final Chorus:
This, the pow'r of the cross;
Son of God – slain for us.
What a love! What a cost!
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Benediction

Postlude

Hearing assistance is available by asking one of the ushers.

All songs covered by or used under CCLI #124

Sermon Notes

Rev. Todd Matocha
January 13, 2019

The Spotless Lamb
Matthew 27:11-26

FAMILY WORSHIP HELPS

Question: How does God execute His decrees?

Answer: God executes His decrees in the works of creation and providence.

Monday: Scripture: Psalm 148:1-14

Key Thought: The execution of God's decrees in the works of creation should inspire praise from His creatures.

Tuesday: Scripture: Jeremiah 5:20-22; Mark 4:36-41

Key Thought: The execution of God's decrees in the works of creation should inspire fear of His power.

Wednesday: Scripture: Romans 8:28-39

Key Thought: The execution of God's decrees in the works of providence should inspire faith and confidence.

Thursday: Scripture: Matthew 5:43-48

Key Thought: The execution of God's decrees in the works of providence should inspire perfect love.

Friday: Scripture: Colossians 1:9-20

Key Thought: The execution of God's decrees in the works of creation and providence should point us to Christ.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE MISSIONARIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WE SUPPORT

Through Faith Promise: Bill & Bobbie Boggess, Larry Brown, Jack & Nell Chinchon, Dale & Susan Ellison, Elliot Everett, Doug Hudson, Clete Hux, Bob McPherson, Clarke Norton, Richard Pratt, Wiley & Karon Smith, Bill Schweitzer, Rekindle Children's Hope, Christina Thomas, Linda Wixon, Andy Young

Through Tithes and Offerings: Bethany Christian Services, Covenant Presbytery, Helping Hands, Life Choices Pregnancy Center, Mission to North America, Palmer Home for Children, PCA Christian Education and Publications, PCA Administration, PCA Mid-South Church Plant, Reformed Theological Seminary, RUF General Fund

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Evening Service – Community Groups will meet

The Missions Committee will meet on Tuesday, January 15, at 6 p.m.

Weekly Prayer Meeting...Join us at Noon on Thursday, January 17.

The next **Congregational Luncheon** is scheduled for January 20, 2019. Mark your calendars and plan to bring your favorite soup or side for this time of fellowship.

The **Diaconate** will meet on Monday, January 21.

Happy Hearts will meet at 10:30 in the fellowship hall on January 22. Make your plans now to attend this very interesting presentation by our special guest, Mrs. Lee Ann Moore.

MID-SOUTH MEN'S RALLY...Men, you are invited to this year's Mid-South Men's Rally, January 25, at First Presbyterian Church, Jackson with guest speaker Rankin Wilbourne. Dinner will be served beginning at 5:15 p.m. and the first session begins at 6:30 p.m. The van will leave the church at 2 p.m. Join us!

The church has successfully elected Trip Hairston, Justin Harris, Russ Russell, and Matt White as Elders, Jon Zarandona as Deacon, and Trip Hairston, Bill Laws, Ann Marie Miller, and Jay Nail as Trustees.

Activities for the Week

Sunday, January 13, 2019

9:00 a.m. Officers' Prayer Meeting
 9:15 a.m. Adult Sunday School Fellowship Time
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School – All Ages
 10:40 a.m. Morning Worship*.....Sanctuary
 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship.....Sanctuary

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

6:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting

Thursday, December 17, 2019

Noon Prayer Meeting

*Nursery Provided

Volunteers

This Week, January 13, 2019

Next Week, January 20, 2019

Infant Nursery	Meryl Fisackerly	Cathy Duncan
Toddler Nursery	Laurie Flora	Roger & Joy Day
Ushers	Roger Day, Gee Allgood, Trip Hairston, Allan Brewer, Danny Williams	Justin Harris, Henry Pilkinton, Ben Woodson, Bill Laws, Grover Allgood, Stephen Matocha

Church Officers

Ruling Elders

Deacons

Gray Flora, Clerk of Session	Roger Day, Chairman
Allan Brewer	Gee Allgood
Trip Hairston	Bill Laws
Ray Kilpatrick	Justin Harris
Matt White	Jay Nail
	Henry Pilkinton
	Patrick Shipp
	Ron Simpson
	Jon Zarandona

Church Staff

Todd Matocha	Minister Pastoral Counseling Hours: Tuesdays 8-5, Wednesdays 8-12 Please call the office to make an appointment.
Diann Carter	Office Administrator Church Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:00 – 4:30
Ron Simpson	Church Administrator: ronsimpson64@gmail.com
Colleen Meek	Children Ministries Coordinator Hours: Tuesday – Friday 10:00 – 4:30 (Depending on the Weekly Activities)

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