



# LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

## DECEMBER 29, 2019 – 9:30 AM

*The worship of the Triune God is a person's most important duty.* We are told in John 4:23-24 that God is seeking those who will worship Him in spirit and truth. As you prepare for today's worship service, purpose to be a participant and not a spectator. Join in the praise of the congregational singing (even if the song is unfamiliar), and in the joyful giving of tithes and offerings; pray along with the elders, adding your "Amen" (signifying your agreement with the petition, confession of sin, or adoration), and carefully listen to God Himself speaking through the reading and preaching of His Word. May our sovereign Lord receive glory today as you actively worship Him in the way that He has prescribed.

### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

### Introit

*Please use this time to set your hearts on Christ and pray for the Word, our worship, and that holiness and reverence will be known among us.*

"Adoration" Choir  
*Arranged by Thomas Fettke* Vera Parkin, Pianist

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness!  
Bow down before Him, His glory proclaim;  
with gold of obedience and incense of lowliness,  
kneel and adore Him, the Lord is His name!

Fear not to enter His presence in poverty,  
bearing no gifts to present as your own,  
bring truth in its beauty and love in its purity.  
these are the off'rings to lay at His throne.

### \* Call to Worship Psalm 145:1-3

I will extol You, my God and King, and bless Your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless You and praise Your name forever and ever. Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and His greatness is unsearchable.

*\* Those who are able, please stand.*

### \* Hymn of Praise "O Worship the King" #2 *Based on Psalm 104* *Stanzas 1-5*

### \* Invocation

### Confession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism: Qs. 92 & 96

#### Q. What is a sacrament?

A. A sacrament is a holy ordinance instituted by Christ; wherein, by sensible signs, Christ, and the benefits of the new covenant, are represented, sealed, and applied to believers. (*Gen. 17:7, 10; Ex. 12; 1 Cor. 11:23, 26*)

#### Q. What is the Lord's Supper?

A. The Lord's Supper is a sacrament, wherein, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to Christ's appointment, His death is showed forth; and the worthy receivers are, not after a corporal and carnal manner, but by faith, made partakers of His body and blood, with all His benefits, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace. (*1 Cor. 11:23-26; 10:16*)

### Preparation for Confession of Sin Psalm 40:12-13

...evils have encompassed me beyond number; my iniquities have overtaken me, and I cannot see; they are more than the hairs of my head; my heart fails me. Be pleased, O LORD, to deliver me! O LORD, make haste to help me!

### Confession of Sin

Our gracious God and Father, we confess that our iniquities are more than the hairs of our heads; that we have sinned against You in thought, word and deed times without number, transgressing Your law through sins of commission and not keeping Your law through sins of omission. Forgive us, Lord, and help us to more and more die to sin and live to righteousness; to grow and flourish in personal holiness out of awe and reverence for Your great name; for You are holy, and You command us to be holy. In Jesus' name we pray, amen.

### Assurance of Pardon Hebrews 10:12, 14

...when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, He sat down at the right hand of God...for by a single offering He has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified.

### \* Hymn of Thanks "Jesus, My Great High Priest" #306

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### Giving of Tithes and Offerings (Please fill out the fellowship pads at this time and pass them down the aisle)

### Offertory Vera Parkin, Pianist

### Prayer of Response

### \* Scripture Reading Exodus 12:1-13; Luke 22:14-23

### \* Hymn of Preparation "More about Jesus Would I Know" #538

### Preaching of God's Word Pastor Aaron Myers

"The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper"  
Mark 14:22-25

### Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

### \* Closing Hymn "Crown Him with Many Crowns" #295

### \* Benediction Hebrews 13:20-21

### \* Postlude

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