

THE LORD'S DAY

- November 26, 2023 -

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

Isaiah 55:1, 6–7

“Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price... Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.”

Invocation

*Hymn No. 302

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

*Confession 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 was 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 word catholic refers to all true believers throughout all ages.

Psalm 98A *(see monitors)*

O Sing a New Song to the Lord

Confession of Sin

(responsive)

Almighty and most merciful Father, We have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.

We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.

We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done;
**and we have done those things which we ought not to have done;
and there is no health in us.**

O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults.

Restore those who repent; according to your promises declared to mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord.

And grant, O merciful Father, for his sake; that we may, from now on, live a godly, righteous, and sober life;
to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 43:25

"I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins."

Scripture Reading

Galatians 4:21–31

Pastoral Prayer

Musical Offering

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

Sanctuary Choir, Soo Jung Kwon, piano

*Doxology No. 731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children's Devotion

(**Children 4 years–1st grade dismissed for Children's Church)

Sermon

Sing, O Barren One

Dr. Barry

Isaiah 54:1–17

*Hymn No. 164

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

The Gloria Patri

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.

*Please stand if you are able.

**Please sign your child in at the registration desk in the breezeway.

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with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ.”*

Colossians 1:28