

February 3, 2008

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

11:00 AM

PRELUDE:

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

arr. J. Denton

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
MOMENTS OF FRIENDSHIP

INTROIT

Walk in the Light

arr. Larson

CALL TO WORSHIP

John Denzer, Liturgist

Liturgist: The heavens are telling the glory of God;

People: the firmament proclaims God's handiwork.

Liturgist: There is no voice, there are no words,

People: yet their voice goes out through all the earth, words of great praise to the end of the world

PRAYER OF PRAISE

*HYMN No. 466

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*CONFESSION OF SIN (*In Unison*)

Righteous One, how we need to know your forgiveness! Our lives fall short of your will for us. We transgress your holy law, or fulfil its letter but violate its spirit of divine love. Our sin skews our living out of kilter, distorting our values, perverting our justice, and deceiving us with lies dressed up as truth. We need your mercy and your power, O God! Cleanse our hearts of every fault, and refresh us with your Holy Spirit, that our lives may please you with true obedience and loving service.
(Let each worshipper pray silently)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI (*The Hymnal, No. 579*)

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.

FIRST LESSON: Psalm 19 (*Pew Bible, OT Section, page 390; Large Print page 858*)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Jonathan Fettig

(Children in grades Kindergarten to 3rd Grade will be dismissed to Children's Church)

SECOND LESSON: John 2:13-22 (*Pew Bible, NT Section, page 751; Large Print page 1648*)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN No. 84

In the Cross of Christ I Glory

SERMON LESSON: I Corinthians 1:18-31 (*Pew Bible, NT Section, pg. 807; Large Print pg. 1788*)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Jesus Christ is the Standard

Rev. Jonathan Fettig

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – (*In Unison*)

Nicene Creed (traditional)
(The Hymnal Page 15)

OFFERTORY

We Will Shine

A.D. Miller

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*PRESENTATION, The Doxology (*The Hymnal, No. 592*)

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.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Supper

Words of Institution

Prayer of Blessing

Partaking of the Elements

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN No. 420

God of Grace and God of Glory

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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arr. D. Cherwein