

March 29, 2009

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY 11:00 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
MOMENTS OF FRIENDSHIP

CHORAL INTROIT

Just As I Am

CALL TO WORSHIP

Mike Eaton, Liturgist

Liturgist: The heavens declare the glory of God, the sky above is testimony to the Creator.

People: One day tells earth's story to another, and one night imparts knowledge to the next.

Liturgist: God has set a pavilion for the sun and nothing is hidden from its brilliant light.

People: Let the words of our mouths, and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, our strength and Redeemer.

Liturgist: Let us pray.

PRAYER OF PRAISE

*HYMN No. 473

For the Beauty of the Earth

*CONFESSION OF SIN (*In Unison*)

God of mighty deliverance, we gratefully embrace the redemption you have offered us through Jesus our Savior, who was lifted high on the cross for our sake. Yet we have dishonored his sacrifice for us, we have not followed his example of loving service, and have spurned his call to honor your life-giving law. In mercy, forgive us for rejecting his way of life. Quicken us by your Spirit to take up our cross, that we may walk purposefully and joyously in the ways of life and peace you have set before us, loving you with all our heart and strength, and our neighbors as ourselves.

(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: Deuteronomy 5:1-5 (Pew Bible, OT Section, page 129; Lg. Print page 282)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Kyle Peters

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

ANTHEM

Lamb of God

SECOND LESSON: Psalm 51:1-12 (Pew Bible, NT Section, pg. 404; Lg. Print pg. 889)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN No. 327

O Word of God Incarnate

SERMON LESSON: Matthew 6:5-15 (Pew Bible, NT Section, pg. 684, Lg. Print pg. 1504)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

This, then, is how you should pray . . .

Rev. Jonathan Fettig

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – (In Unison)

Apostles' Creed (traditional)

(The Hymnal Page 14)

OFFERTORY

Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross

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.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN No. 333

Seek Ye First

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

Let it be Said of Us

*POSTLUDE