

THE LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

TEN O'CLOCK

SUNDAY ~ APRIL 19, 2020

"Let us show gratitude, by which we may offer to God an acceptable service, with reverence and awe." Hebrews 12:28

The Silent Prayer Upon Entering the Sanctuary

Almighty Father, who has given Your only Son to die for our sins, and to rise again for our justification; Grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness, that we may always serve You in purity of living and truth; and increase and strengthen our faith in You, and in Your Son whom You have sent; that so believing in Him, we may overcome the world, and attain to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Prelude - "Ich ruf' zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ BWV 639" ("I Call On Thee, Lord Jesus Christ") J. S. Bach

+ The Welcome and Announcements

The Call to Worship

+* **The Hymnal** - #271 "Sing, Choirs of New Jerusalem" Lyngham

Sing choirs of new Jerusalem,
Your sweetest notes employ,
Your sweetest notes employ
The paschal victory to hymn
In songs of holy joy,
In songs of holy joy,
In songs of holy joy!

Triumphant in His glory now—
To Him all pow'r is giv'n,
To Him all pow'r is giv'n;
To Him in one communion bow
All saints in earth and heav'n,
All saints in earth and heav'n,
All saints in earth and heav'n.

For Judah's Lion burst His chains
And crushed the serpent's head,
And crushed the serpent's head,
Christ cries aloud through death's domains
To wake th'imprisoned dead,
To wake th'imprisoned dead,
To wake th'imprisoned dead.

All glory to the Father be,
All glory to the Son,
All glory to the Son,
All glory to the Spirit be
While endless ages run,
While endless ages run,
While endless ages run.

* The Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

* The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell*; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;** the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

* this refers to the realm of the dead, not the place of punishment.

** "catholic" means "universal" church, the true church in all times and places.

* The Gloria Patri

Llanfair

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia! Praise eternal as His love; Alleluia! Praise Him, all ye heavenly host, Alleluia! Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

The Pastoral Prayer

The Scripture Reading - Romans 8:1–17 (11th reading)

John 16:28–32

²⁸ I came from the Father and have come into the world, and now I am leaving the world and going to the Father.”

²⁹ His disciples said, “Ah, now you are speaking plainly and not using figurative speech! ³⁰ Now we know that you know all things and do not need anyone to question you; this is why we believe that you came from God.” ³¹ Jesus answered them, “Do you now believe? ³² Behold, the hour is coming, indeed it has come, when you will be scattered, each to his own home, and will leave me alone. Yet I am not alone, for the Father is with me.

* **The Psalter - Psalm 32** (music provided)

Vox Dilecti

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Anthem - “Hymne du Matin (Morning Hymn), Op. 104

Amédée Méreaux

Violinist: 1st LT. Daniel Frasure

* **The Doxology**

Old 100th

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Sermon

Mr. Johnson

“CONFIDENCE, OVERCONFIDENCE, & CERTAINTY”

CIV. Expositions of the Gospel of John

* **The Hymnal - #274 “Thine Be the Glory”** (music provided)

Maccabaeus

* **The Benediction and Response** (sung by all)

Wye Valley

Ev'ry joy or trial falleth from above, traced upon our dial by the Sun of Love. We may trust Him fully all for us to do; they who trust Him wholly find Him wholly true. Stayed upon Jehovah, hearts are fully blest, finding, as He promised, perfect peace and rest. (*Trinity Hymnal*, #699, last stanza)

The Postlude - “Sonata: Allegro”

Anton Eberl

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ON-LINE SERVICE

Due to the coronavirus we are restricted to participating in worship together on-line, with the exception of a small group voicing the congregational elements of the service. This, of course, is no substitute for the church physically gathering for worship. Actually gathering in the same space as a congregation is essential to the definition of the church and the practice of the church. (Mt. 18:20, Acts 2:42, and Heb. 10:24-25)

Because this is the best that we are able to do for now, we encourage you to participate in worship through electronic means. Though separated by *space* we can be united in *time*. To that end, we encourage those who are at home to pray as we pray, sing as we sing, read silently as we read aloud, and listen as we preach. Let the family couch be for you now as the family pew has been for you in the past.

HYMNS AND SCRIPTURE READINGS PROVIDED

As is normally the case, the hymns and psalms are those found in the *Trinity Hymnal* and *Trinity Psalter*. Copies of both are available through the church bookshop. In order to facilitate worship at home on-line, both of the congregational songs, as well as the sermon Scripture text, are provided in this bulletin.

ON-LINE TODAY

8:30 A.M. Sunday School

Adult Sunday School taught by Dr. Foster is accessible at Sermon Audio.com/ipcsav, Vimeo, YouTube. (Check your email for where these links can be accessed.)

Children's Catechism (K-4th grade) with parents with materials provided.

Shorter Catechism (5th-8th grade) taught by Dr. Johnson is accessible at YouTube. (Check your email for where this link can be accessed.)

W.C.F. (High School) taught by Mr. Rodgers. (Check your Youth email for where this link can be accessed.)

10:00 A.M. – Morning Worship.

5:30 P.M. – Evening Worship.

ON-LINE THIS WEEK

Adult Meetings: While there are no events scheduled to take place *at the church*, these meetings are scheduled to occur on-line.

Tuesday, 7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Garmer Bible Study taught by Dr. Timothy Foster. (Check your email for where this link can be accessed.)

Wednesday, 12:15 p.m. Mid-week Bible Study with Rev. Evan Gear, "The Time Between the Feasts" -1 (Esther 5:9-14).

Thursday, 12:00 noon Dead Theologians' Society with Dr. Terry Johnson. (Zoom)

Check your email for where these links can be accessed.

Youth Ministry:

- Wednesday nights at 7:30 Paul is hosting a Zoom meeting. See the Student Weekly Ministry News for information. All are welcome to join us.
- Weekly a link to a video regarding the *Westminster Confession of Faith* is being emailed. High School students should watch the link to continue our Sunday School series this year.
- On Sunday nights, High School Small Groups will take place via the app Zoom at 7:30 p.m. Look for an invite from your small group leaders.

College students interested in hearing a weekly devotion on the Lord's Prayer are encouraged to download the Marco Polo app to their phone. Contact Evan by text or call Evan (540-793-2018) for link.

New Covenant Zoom Meeting Thursday Nights at 8:30 p.m. Fifteen-minute devotional and small group discussion and prayer time. See link in email or *Groupme* to connect.

Psalm 32

1..What bless-ed-ness for him whose guilt Has all for-giv - en been! When
 2..When I kept si-lent, my bones aged; My groan-ing filled each day. Your
 3..Then You did all my sin for - give And take my guilt a way. For
 4..In - struc-tion I will give to you And teach you as you go. My
 5..The wick-ed man - y pang - en - dure, But stead-fast cov-'nant love En -

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his trans-gres-sions par-doned are, And cov-ered is his sin. O
 hand op-pressed me day and night; My mois-ture dried a way. Then
 this when You are near at hand Let all the god-ly pray. The
 watch-ful eye will guide your steps; My coun-sel you will know. Be
 cir - cles ev - 'ry man whose trust Is in the Lord a - bove. Be

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blessed the man 'gainst whom the Lord Counts no in - iq - ui - ty. And
 I to You ad - mit - ted sin, Hid not my guilt - i - ness; I
 ri - sing floods will harm him not. You are my hi - ding place. And
 not like sense - less horse or mule Which if you would sub - due You
 glad and shout, you right - eous ones. And in the Lord re - joice! And

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in whose spir - it there is not De - ceit or treach - er - y.
 said, "I will be - fore the Lord Trans - gres - sions now confess.
 You will com - fort me with songs Of vic - to - ry and grace.
 must with bit and bri - dle hold To bring him close to you.
 all whose hearts are just and true Sing out with joy - ful voice.

Thine Be the Glory

Thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Cor. 15:57

1. Thine be the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son; end - less is the
 2. Lo! Je - sus meets us, ris - en from the tomb; lov - ing - ly he
 3. No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with -

vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won; an - gels in bright rai - ment
 greets us, scat - ters fear and gloom; let the church with glad - ness,
 out thee: aid us in our strife; make us more than con - qu'rors,

rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave - clothes,
 hymns of tri - umph sing, for her Lord now liv - eth,
 thro' thy death - less love: bring us safe thro' Jor - dan

REFRAIN
 where thy bod - y lay.
 death hath lost its sting. Thine be the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son;
 to thy home a - bove.

end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won.

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 From George Frederick Handel, *Judas Maccabaeus*, 1747