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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2021
9:30 AM

#Prelude: “Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy” (Hymn 334)
Dr. Robert Jones, organ

Janet Linker

#Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Desch

CALL TO WORSHIP

“When the poor and needy seek water, and there is none, and their tongue is parched with thirst, I the Lord will answer them; I the God of Israel will not forsake them. I will open rivers on the bare heights, and fountains in the midst of the valleys. I will make the wilderness a pool of water, and the dry land springs of water. . . . that they may see and know, may consider and understand together, that the hand of the Lord has done this, the Holy One of Israel has created it.” Isaiah 41:17–18, 20 (ESV)

ADORATION

#*Opening Hymn: “Come, Thou Fount (Above All Else)”

Shane and Shane

Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount! I’m fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I’m come;
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood.

Oh to grace how great a debtor daily I’m constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee.
Prone to wander, Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
Here’s my heart, Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

Above all else, I adore Your Name! Above all else, tune my heart to sing Your praise . . .
The highest praise, the loudest praise to the Name above every name!

Prone to wander, Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
Here’s my heart, Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

*Apostles' Creed

Pastor Walter

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 (Spirit), born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; 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 (living) 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.

*holy catholic church: "The worldwide fellowship of believing people whose Head is Christ."

CONFESSON AND ASSURANCE

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Pastor Walter

RESPONSE

*Hymn: "Lord, I Need You"

Matt Maher

Lord I come, I confess, bowing here, I find my rest;
Without You, I fall apart, You're the one that guides my heart.

Refrain: Lord, I need You, oh I need You, every hour, I need You;
My one defense, my righteousness, oh God, how I need You.

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more; where grace is found is where You are;
And where You are, Lord I am free, holiness is Christ in me. *[Refrain]*

So teach my song to rise to You when temptation comes my way;
And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You, Jesus, You're my hope and stay. *[Refrain]*

You're my one defense, my righteousness, oh God, how I need You;
My one defense, my righteousness, oh God, how I need You.

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*Hymn: "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Hymn 350

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, just to take Him at His word,
Just to rest upon His promise, just to know: "Thus saith the Lord."

Refrain:

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him! How I've proved Him o'er and o'er!
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! O for grace to trust Him more!

O how sweet to trust in Jesus, just to trust His cleansing blood,
Just in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood!

Refrain

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus, just from sin and self to cease,
Just from Jesus simply taking life and rest and joy and peace.

Refrain

I'm so glad I learned to trust Him, Precious Jesus, Savior, Friend;
And I know that He is with me, will be with me to the end.

Refrain

OFFERTORY

Kids Church Dismissal

Pastor Desch

*Doxology

Hymn 625

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.

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Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Pastor Walter

Anthem: "Psalm 46 (Lord of Hosts)"

Shane and Shane; arr. Jonathan Walker

Oh, come behold the works of God, the nations at His feet. He breaks the bow and bends the spear and tells the wars to cease. Oh, Mighty One of Israel, You are on our side. We walk by faith in God who burns the chariots with fire. LORD of hosts, You're with us, with us in the fire, with us as a Shelter, with us in the storm. You will lead us through the fiercest battle. Oh, where else would we go but with the LORD of hosts? Oh, God of Jacob, fierce and great, You lift Your voice to speak. The earth, it bows and all the mountains move into the sea. Oh LORD, You know the hearts of men, and still You let them live. Oh God, Who makes the mountains melt, come wrestle us and win. Oh God, Who makes the mountains melt, come wrestle us and win. LORD of hosts, You're with us, with us in the fire . . . Though oceans roar, You are the LORD of all, the One who calms the wind and waves and makes my heart be still. Though the earth gives way, the mountains move into the sea, the nations rage, I know my God is in control. Though oceans roar, You are the LORD of all . . . LORD of hosts, You're with us, with us in the fire . . . You're with us, with us in the fire, with us as a Shelter, with us in the storm. You will lead us through the fiercest battle. Oh, where else would we go but with the Lord of hosts?

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INSTRUCTION

Scripture

Mark 4:35-41 (ESV)

³⁵ On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." ³⁶ And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. ³⁷ And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. ³⁸ But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" ³⁹ And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰ He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" ⁴¹ And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

Message: "Peace in the Storm"

Pastor Desch

1. Where is the storm raging?
2. How does Jesus respond?
3. What does Jesus ask of us?

CHARGE AND BLESSING

***Hymn:** *“Christ, Our Hope in Life and Death”*

Keith Getty / Matt Papa

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone.
What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong.
Who holds our days within His hand? What comes, apart from His command?
And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand.

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal; O sing hallelujah!
Now and ever we confess Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good.
Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer’s blood.
Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?
Who sends the waves that bring us night unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal . . .

Unto the grave, what will we sing? “Christ, He lives! Christ, He lives!”
And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him.
There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed,
And we will feast in endless joy, when Christ is ours forevermore.

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal . . .

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***Benediction**

Pastor Desch

***Postlude:** *“Be Still, My Soul”* (Hymn 347)

Lyndell Leatherman

Dr. Robert Jones, organ



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SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE IS BACK!

Join us after the service for coffee fellowship. Please continue fellowship by attending a Discipleship Hour class.



Fellowship is at the core of our church family.

DECKING THE HALLS

MEN

Monday, November 22
9:00 am - 12:00 noon

WOMEN

Tuesday, November 23
9:00 am - 12:00 noon

