

MORNING WORSHIP

August 9, 2015

9:30 A.M.

PREPARATION AND PRAISE

Prelude: "He Is Lord / When Morning Gilds the Skies"
"In Christ Alone / The Solid Rock"

arr. Berry
arr. Larson

ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Silent Prayer and Preparation

- * Call to Worship: Hebrews 4
Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin.

Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

- * Hymn: PH 483 "How Great Thou Art" O STORE GUD

- * God's Greeting:

Grace and peace be to you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Our help is in the name of the Lord,

Who made heaven and earth.

Blessed be God,

And blessed is his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

- * Prayer of the Day:

Eternal God our Father, you have taught us in your Word that love is the fulfilling of the law. Pour into our hearts, by the Holy Spirit, the grace of your love, so that we may love you above all else and love our neighbor as ourselves, through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen

- * Response: "We Will Glorify" Twila Paris, 1982, Singspiration Music, CCLI 1099351

We will glorify the King of kings, we will glorify the Lamb.

We will glorify the Lord of lords, for he is the great I Am.

Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty, we will bow before his throne;

We will worship him in righteousness, we will worship him alone.

He is Lord of heaven, Lord of earth, he is Lord of all who live;

He is Lord above the universe, all praise to him we give.

Hallelujah to the King of kings, hallelujah to the Lamb;

Hallelujah to the Lord of lords, for he is the great I Am.

CONFESSION AND PRAYER

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession:

Almighty God, maker of all things and judge of all peoples, we acknowledge our sins and wickedness before you, which we from time to time, have committed in thought, word, and deed against your holiness. The remembrance of them is grievous, and the burden of them is intolerable. Grant us repentance for the wrong which we have done and forgive us all that is past. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ and give us grace that we may from now on serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your name.

Silent Prayer and Confession

Minister: Amen.

Assurance of Pardon:

I John 1

Congregational Prayer

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

* Hymn: Bulletin pp. "Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone"

[Children age 3 - grade Pre-K may leave after the hymn.]

Scripture Reading:

Galatians 6:1-5

Sermon: *The Law of Christ, Part II*

Prayer

* Hymn: PH 498 "I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew"

FINLANDIA

THE OFFERING OF TRIBUTE

* Offertory Prayer

Offerings: Fairlawn General Fund

Offertory: "Before the Throne of God Above"

Cook/ arr. Hudson

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

* Blessing:

Now may the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God our Father, and the abiding fellowship and peace of the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you now and forever. **Amen.**

* Doxology: PH 322 "God, the Father of Your People"

HOLY MANNA

* Postlude
