

Fairlawn Christian Reformed Church

WORSHIP SERVICE

November 15, 2015 10:15 A.M.

PREPARATION AND PRAISE

Prelude: "Adagio"

Albinoni

ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Silent Prayer and Preparation

* Call to Worship:

Psalm 96

Oh sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth! Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples! For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he is to be feared above all gods. Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

* Hymn: PH 621, stanzas 1-4

"The God of Abraham Praise"

LEONI

* 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:

Lord of all power and might, who has commanded your church to proclaim your Word to all nations and to make disciples of all peoples, inflame us with the fire of your love, that we may give of ourselves, our time and our treasure as faithful witnesses of the gospel, that your name might be known throughout all the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.

* Response: PH 621, stanza 5

"The God of Abraham Praise"

LEONI

Triumphant hosts on high give thanks to God and sing,
and "Holy, holy, holy" cry, "Almighty King!"

Hail, Abraham's God and ours! One mighty hymn we raise.

All power and majesty be yours and endless praise!

CONFESSION AND PRAYER

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession:

Psalm 25, *adapted*

To you, O Lord, we lift up our soul; in you we trust, O Lord our God. No one whose hope is in you will be put to shame. Show us your ways, teach us your paths, guide us in your truth and teach us, for you are our God and Savior, and our hope is in you all day long. Remember your great mercy and love, for they are from old. Remember not the sins of our youth or our rebellious ways; according to your love remember us, for you are good. For the sake of your name pardon our guilt, for it is great. Look upon our affliction and our distress and take away all our sins. Guard our lives and rescue us; let us not be put to shame for we take refuge in you. May integrity and uprightness protect us, for our hope is in you. Redeem your people, Lord God, through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray.

Silent Prayer and Confession

Minister: Amen.

Assurance of Pardon:

Isaiah 44

Congregational Prayer

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

* Hymn: PH 96

“Sing to the LORD, Sing His Praise”

WESLEY

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

* Scripture Reading:

Psalm 96

Sermon: *Declare His Glory*

Prayer

* Hymn: PH 235, stanzas 1-4

“Here from All Nations”

O QUANTA QUALIA

THE OFFERING OF TRIBUTE

* Offertory Prayer

Offerings: Fairlawn General Fund

Offertory: “Petite Pastorale”

Carey

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 235, stanza 5

“Here from All Nations”

O QUANTA QUALIA

Blessing and glory and wisdom and power be to the Savior again and again.

Might and thanksgiving and honor forever be to our God: Alleluia! Amen.

* Postlude: “A Joyous Alleluia”

Birchwood