

Fairlawn Christian Reformed Church

# MORNING WORSHIP

June 13, 2010 9:30 A.M.

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## PREPARATION AND PRAISE

*Upon entering the sanctuary please maintain silence and turn off all electronic devices for the sake of the congregation's preparation for worship.*

Prelude: "For the Beauty of the Earth" Kocher/arr. Rice  
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" Runyan/arr. Rice

Welcome and Announcements

## ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Silent Prayer and Preparation

- \* Call to Worship: Isaiah 42  
"I am the LORD; that is my name! I will not give my glory to another or my praise to idols. See, the former things have taken place, and new things I declare; before they spring into being I announce them to you."  
**Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise from the ends of the earth. Let them give glory to the LORD and proclaim his praise in the islands.**
- \* Hymn: PH 501, stanzas 1-6 "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" AZMON
- \* 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:  
**Almighty God our Father, we ask that you will remember your work of grace in our lives and not what we deserve; and, as you have called us to your service, make us worthy of your calling, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

\* Response: PH 501, stanza 7 "Oh, for a Thousand tongues to Sing" AZMON

**To God all glory, praise, and love  
be now and ever given  
by saints below and saints above,  
the church in earth and heaven.**

## **CONFESSION AND PRAYER**

Reading from the Psalms:

Psalm 37:23-40

Prayer of Confession:

Lord God our Father, we have been a stiff-necked people who love unfaithfulness. We have loved other gods before you and have become their servants. We have not worshipped you in spirit and in truth and so we have mocked your glory in heaven. We have used your name in vain and have profaned your reputation on earth. We have desecrated your Sabbath because we have not trusted you to give us rest. We have not honored our fathers and mothers and so we have proved ourselves rebels. We have despised our neighbors and murdered them in our hearts. We have made adulterers of ourselves in the lust of our eyes or in the deeds of our flesh. We have stolen honor and privileges that are not ours. We have lied and falsely accused others, for we love gossip more than truth. We have coveted blessings you wisely and righteously gave to others. O Lord, have mercy on us for we have not kept your law. Forgive us for our transgressions and the sins we have committed against you. Cleanse and renew us through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Silent Prayer and Confession

Minister: Amen.

Assurance of Pardon:

Psalm 32

Recognition of Graduates

Congregational Prayer

## **THE SERVICE OF THE WORD**

\* Hymn: PH 239 "Amid the Thronging Worshipers" BOVINA

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

Scripture Reading:

I Timothy 3:14-16; 6:3-10

Sermon: *Renewing the Vision, Part II*

Prayer

\* Hymn: PH 477, stanzas 1-3 "You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim" HANOVER

## **THE OFFERING OF TRIBUTE**

\* Offertory Prayer

Offering: Fairlawn General Fund

Offertory: "You Are My All in All / Pachelbel's Canon in D"

arr. Ham

## 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.**

\* Response: PH 477, stanza 4      “You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim”

HANOVER

Then let us adore and give him his right:  
all glory and power, all wisdom and might,  
all honor and blessing—with angels above—  
and thanks never ceasing for infinite love.

Postlude: “Holy God, We Praise Your Name”

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*\*Indicates congregation stands*

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