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THE LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

SANCTUARY ~ TEN O'CLOCK

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

The Prelude - Praeludium in G minor, BuxWV 149 Dietrich Buxtehude

The Sounding of the Hour

+ The Welcome and Announcements

The Silent Prayer of Preparation

O Lord God, who sees that we put not our trust in any thing we do; Mercifully grant that by Your power we may be defended against all adversities; or so mightily aided by Your grace, that we may not faint under them; but having heard Your holy Word with honest and good hearts, we may keep it, and bring forth fruit with patience; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Call to Worship - from "A Psalm of Praise to Our Redeemer"

Text:

Glory to the eternal God, in His transcendent place:
Let peace on earth make her abode: let men receive His grace.
Praise ye the Lord; sing unto Him a song not sung before:
In the assemblies of His saints, with praises Him adore.

— Richard Baxter (1615-1691), after Luke 2 and Psalm 149

+* The Hymnal - #441 "Jesus Shall Reign"

Duke Street

*** 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**

(*Hymnal*, #283)

Ebenezer

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Glory be to God on high;
Alleluia to the Savior,
Who has won the victory;
Alleluia to the Spirit,
Fount of love and sanctity;
Alleluia! Alleluia!
To the Triune Majesty. Amen.

The Pastoral Prayer

The Scripture Reading - 2 Kings 5:1–14 (pew Bible p. 311)

* **The Psalter** - Psalm 22:27–30 (*Psalter*, page 17~see handout) Horsley

* **The Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Collection

The Anthem - “Blest be the everlasting God”

Tune: Caithness

The Sanctuary Choir

Text:

Blest be the everlasting God, the Father of our Lord:
Be His abounding mercy praised, His majesty adored.

When from the dead He raised His Son and called Him to the sky,
He gave our souls a lively hope that they should never die.

What though our inborn sins require our flesh to see the dust,
Yet as the Lord our Savior rose, so all His followers must.

There's an inheritance divine reserved against that Day;
'Tis uncorrupted, undefiled, and cannot waste away.

Saints by the power of God are kept till the salvation come;
We walk by faith as strangers here, till Christ shall call us home.

— Isaac Watts, after 1 Peter 1:3-5

* **The Doxology and Dismissal**

(*Hymnal*, #731)

Old 100th

Children ages 4 & 5 may leave for a separate service as we sing

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

The Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Julius Kim

“GOSPEL HOPE: POINTERS TO GRACE”

* **The Hymnal** - #469 “How Sweet and Awful Is the Place” St. Columba
(stanzas 1–5 ~ see handout)

* **The Benediction and Response**

(sung by all)

St. Columba

We long to see thy churches full,
That all the chosen race
May, with one voice and heart and soul,
Sing thy redeeming grace.

— *Trinity Hymnal*, #469, stanza 6

The Postlude - *from Concerto in C*

J. G. Walther, after Signor Meck

* Congregation Standing

** Children's Church: Kirstie Brodmann and Sarah Coile

+ Latecomers may be seated

Assisting: Terry Johnson

GREETERS-ELDERS:

FRONT DOOR: Elder C. Martin

NORTH SIDE: A. Brodmann, Sr.

SOUTH SIDE: R. Mullininx

SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETER:

ELDER: M. Hazeltine

GREETERS-USHERS/DEACONS:

FRONT DOOR: N. Barham

BAPTISMAL FONT: T. Rodenberg

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

SANCTUARY ~ FIVE THIRTY O'CLOCK

“God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.” John 4:24

Preparation (5:15-5:30 p.m.)

Hymn Sing - #460 “Amazing Grace!” (Hymn of the Month) Amazing Grace
+ *Announcements*

Praise

Call to Worship and Prayer of Praise
+* *Hymnal - #439 “Christ Shall Have Dominion”* St. Gertrude

Confession of Sin, Pardon, and Thanksgiving

* *Reading of the Law of God* (see back panel of hymnal)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Affirmation of Faith - The Westminster Creed, Part I (based on the *Shorter Catechism*)

I believe man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy Him forever;

I believe that the word of God, contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule given to direct us, how to glorify and enjoy God.

I believe God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in His being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth;

I believe there is but one true and living God; that there are three persons in the Godhead: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and that these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory;

I believe God's purpose is eternal, having foreordained whatever comes to pass; that God made all things of nothing, by the word of His power, in the space of six days, and all very good; and that God preserves and governs all His creatures and all their actions.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Collection

Provision for Life and Growth

Scripture Reading - Matthew 5:38–42 (pew Bible p. 809–810)

Prayer of Intercession

* *Psalter* - Psalm 96 (*Psalter*, pages 82) Coronation

* *Prayer of Illumination*

Sermon - The Rev. Dr. Julius Kim

“GOSPEL LOVE: MAKING THE INVISIBLE VISIBLE”

Thanksgiving and Blessing

* *Hymnal* - #588 “Who Is on the Lord's Side?” Rachie
* *Benediction*