

REFORMATION SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP

Sunday, 29 October, 2017

Indicates standing if able

CALL TO WORSHIP

WELCOME & GREETING

Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley - Severn Run EP Church PCA



INVOCATION

"Sing, O ye heavens, for Jehovah hath done it; shout, ye lower parts of the earth; break forth into singing, ye mountains, O forest, and every tree therein: for Jehovah hath redeemed Jacob, and will glorify himself in Israel."

* HYMN

The Apostles' Creed

CONFESSION OF SIN

Pastor Josh Sillaman - Grace Point Presbyterian Church PCAPastoral PrayerResponsive:from Isaiah 63:15-19

Leader: Look down from heaven and see, from Your holy and beautiful habitation. Where are Your zeal and Your might?

Congregation: The stirring of Your inner parts and Your compassion are held back from me. For You are our Father, though Abraham does not know us, and Israel does not acknowledge us; You, O LORD, are our Father, our Redeemer from of old is Your name.

Leader: O LORD, why do You make us wander from Your ways and harden our heart, so that we fear You not?

Congregation: Return for the sake of Your servants, the tribes of Your heritage. Your holy people held possession for a little while; our adversaries have trampled down Your sanctuary.

ALL: We have become like those over whom You have never ruled, like those who are not called by Your name.

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Isaiah 44:23 ASV

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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

"The LORD is merciful and gracious, Slow to anger, and abounding in mercy. He will not always strive with us, Nor will He keep His anger forever. He has not dealt with us according to our sins, Nor punished us according to our iniquities. For as the heavens are high above the earth, So great is His mercy toward those who fear Him; As far as the east is from the west, So far has He removed our transgressions from us. As a father pities his children, So the LORD pities those who fear Him. For He knows our frame; He remembers that we are dust."

HYMN of ASSURANCE

Psalm 46 - A Mighty Fortress is Our God

GOD SPEAKS TO US FROM HIS WORD

Pastor Neil Jackson - Andover Baptist Church SBC

OLD TESTAMENT READING

"But now, thus says the LORD, who created you, O Jacob, And He who formed you, O Israel: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by your name; You are Mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; And through the rivers, they shall not overflow you. When you walk through the fire, you shall not be burned, Nor shall the flame scorch you. For I am the LORD your God, The Holy One of Israel, your Savior; I gave Egypt for your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in your place. Since you were precious in My sight, You have been honored, And I have loved you; Therefore I will give men for you, And people for your life. Fear not, for I am with you; I will bring your descendants from the east, And gather you from the west; I will say to the north, Give them up!' And to the south, `Do not keep them back!' Bring My sons from afar, And My daughters from the ends of the earth-- Everyone who is called by My name, Whom I have created for My glory; I have formed him, yes, I have made him." Bring out the blind people who have eyes, And the deaf who have ears. Let all the nations be gathered together, And let the people be assembled.

Isaiah 43:1**-**21

Nº 03

Psalm 103:8-14

Who among them can declare this, And show us former things? Let them bring out their witnesses, that they may be justified; Or let them hear and say, "It is truth." "You are My witnesses," says the LORD, "And My servant whom I have chosen, That you may know and believe Me, And understand that I am He. Before Me there was no God formed, Nor shall there be after Me. I, even I, am the LORD, And besides Me there is no savior. I have declared and saved, I have proclaimed, And there was no foreign god among you; Therefore you are My witnesses," Says the LORD, "that I am God. Indeed before the day was, I am He; And there is no one who can deliver out of My hand; I work, and who will reverse it?" Thus says the LORD, your Redeemer, The Holy One of Israel: "For your sake I will send to Babylon, And bring them all down as fugitives-- The Chaldeans, who rejoice in their ships. I am the LORD, your Holy One, The Creator of Israel, your King." Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea And a path through the mighty waters, Who brings forth the chariot and horse, The army and the power (They shall lie down together, they shall not rise; They are extinguished, they are quenched like a wick): "Do not remember the former things, Nor consider the things of old. Behold, I will do a new thing, Now it shall spring forth; Shall you not know it? I will even make a road in the wilderness And rivers in the desert. The beast of the field will honor Me, The jackals and the ostriches, Because I give waters in the wilderness And rivers in the desert, To give drink to My people, My chosen. This people I have formed for Myself; They shall declare My praise."

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Revelation 4

"After these things I looked, and behold, a door standing open in heaven. And the first voice which I heard was like a trumpet speaking with me, saying, "Come up here, and I will show you things which must take place after this." Immediately I was in the Spirit; and behold, a throne set in heaven, and One sat on the throne. And He who sat there was like a jasper and a sardius stone in appearance; and there was a rainbow around the throne, in appearance like an emerald. Around the throne were twenty-four thrones, and on the thrones I saw twentyfour elders sitting, clothed in white robes; and they had crowns of gold on their heads. And from the throne proceeded lightnings, thunderings, and voices. Seven lamps of fire were burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God. Before the throne there was a sea of glass, like crystal. And in the midst of the throne, and around the throne, were four living creatures full of eyes in front and in back. The first living creature was like a lion, the second living creature like a calf, the third living creature had a face like a man, and the fourth living creature was like a flying eagle. The four living creatures, each having six wings, were full of eyes around and within. And they do not rest day or night, saying: "Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come!" Whenever the living creatures give glory and honor and thanks to Him who sits on the throne, who lives forever and ever, the twenty-four elders fall down before Him who sits on the throne and worship Him who lives forever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying: "You are worthy, O Lord, To receive glory and honor and power; For You created all things, And by Your will they exist and were created."

THE WORD PREACHED

Pastor Emeritus John "Arch" Van Devender - Severn Run EP Church PCA

Reading of Scripture

Ephesians 1:3-14

Nº 04

"To God Be the Glory, Great Things He Has Done!"

HYMN

Psalm 103 - Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

OFFERING OF PRAISE

Licensed Intern Bradley J. Chwastyk - Severn Run EP Church PCA

(This offering will be given to The Bowie/Crofton Crisis Pregnancy Clinic)

Offertory		Reformation Choir
Christ Jesus I	ay in Death's Strong Bands.	Martin Luther
 Doxology: 	Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below, Praise Him above, ye Heav'nly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.	
✤ Gloria Patri	Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end; Amen, Amen.	

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Pastor Tom Wenger, Sr. - Pasadena EP Church PCA

INVITATIONAL HYMN <i>Till He Come!</i>	Nº 05
COMMUNION WITH CHRIST IN THE SUPPER	
The Bread O Sacred Head Now Wounded	Nº 06
The Cup I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art	Nº 07
 HYMN All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name 	Nº 08

* BENEDICTION



SERMON NOTES

"To God Be the Glory, Great Things He Has Done!" *Ephesians* 1:3-14

The Apostles' Creed



Nº 01

The Apostles' Creed, ca. 2nd cent., 6th cent. Versified *anon*





Trinity Psalter





Text by Martin Luther, Based on Psalm 46 transl. by Frederick H. Hedge





Text based on Psalm 103 Joachim Neander, 1680 Tr by Catherine Winkworth, 180





Text by Edward H. Bickersteth, 1862

REDHEAD





O Sacred Head Now Wounded



Text by Bernard of Clairvaux, 1091-1153 Tr. by Paul Gerhardt, 1656 Tr. to English by James W. Alexander, 1830





RESOURCES TO AID IN THE OBSERVATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

From the Westminster Shorter Catechism (WSC) and the Westminster Larger Catechism (WLC)

WSC 96 What is the Lord's supper? A. The Lord's supper is a sacrament, wherein, by giving and receiving bread and wine, according to Christ's appointment, his death is showed forth; and the worthy receivers are, not after a corporal and carnal manner, but by faith, made partakers of his body and blood, with all his benefits, to their spiritual nourishment, and growth in grace.

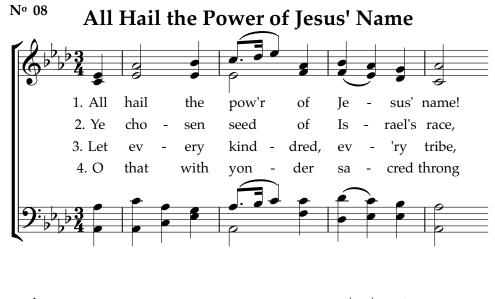
WSC 97 What is required to the worthy receiving of the Lord's supper? A. It is required of them that would worthily partake of the Lord's supper, that they examine themselves of their knowledge to discern the Lord's body, of their faith to feed upon him, of their repentance, love, and new obedience; lest, coming unworthily, they eat and drink judgment to themselves.

WLC 171 How are they that receive the sacrament of the Lord's supper to prepare themselves before they come unto it? A. They that receive the sacrament of the Lord's supper are, before they come, to prepare themselves thereunto, by examining themselves of their being in Christ, of their sins and wants; of the truth and measure of their knowledge, faith, repentance; love to God and the brethren, charity to all men, forgiving those that have done them wrong; of their desires after Christ, and of their new obedience, and by renewing the exercise of these graces, by serious meditation, and fervent prayer.

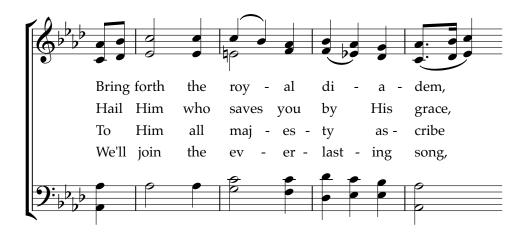
WLC 172 May one who doubts of his being in Christ, or of his due preparation, come to the Lord's supper? A. One who doubts of his being in Christ, or of his due preparation to the sacrament of the Lord's supper, may have true interest in Christ, though he be not yet assured thereof; and in God's account hath it, if he be duly affected with the apprehension of the want of it, and unfeignedly desires to be found in Christ, and to depart from iniquity: in which case (because promises are made, and this sacrament is appointed, for the relief even of weak and doubting Christians) he is to bewail his unbelief, and labour to have his doubts resolved; and, so doing, he may and ought to come to the Lord's supper, that he may be further strengthened.

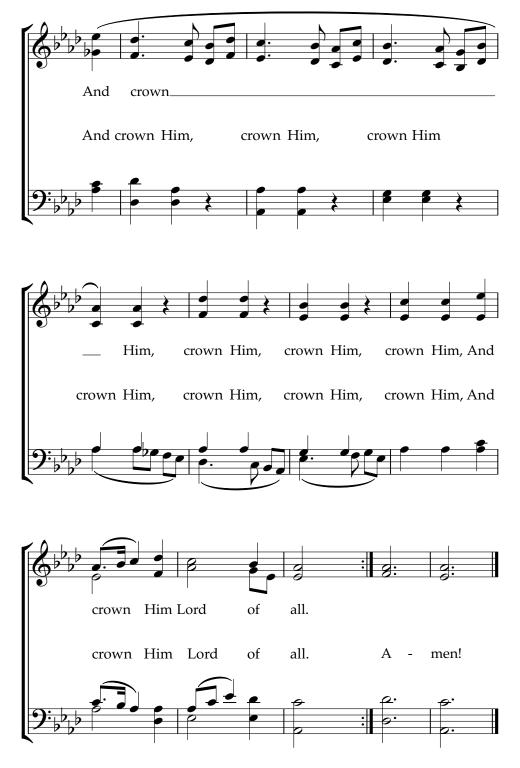
WLC 173 May any who profess his faith, and desire to come to the Lord's supper, be kept from it? A. Such as are found to be ignorant or scandalous, notwithstanding their profession of the faith, and desire to come to the Lord's supper, may and ought to be kept from that sacrament, by the power which Christ hath left in his church, until they receive instruction and manifest their reformation.

WLC 174 What is required of them that receive the sacrament of the Lord's supper in the time of the administration of it? A. It is required of them that receive the sacrament of the Lord's supper, that, during the time of the administration of it, with all holy reverence and attention they wait upon God in that ordinance, diligently observe the sacramental elements and actions, heedfully discern the Lord's body, and affectionately meditate on his death and sufferings, and thereby stir up themselves to a vigorous exercise of their graces; in judging themselves, and sorrowing for sin; in earnest hungering and thirsting after Christ, feeding on him by faith, receiving of his fulness, trusting in his merits, rejoicing in his love, giving thanks for his grace; in renewing of their covenant with God, and love to all the saints.









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We believe that every Christian should be a member of a local church. If you are interested in becoming a member of our church, we will be happy to talk with you about the privileges and responsibilities of church membership.