

The Lord's Day – May 2nd, 2021

"The Lord's Supper involves remembering the Lord's death on our behalf, but it is not a mere remembrance. It involves a deep spiritual communion with the risen Christ as well. This truth must guide our preparation for and participation in the Lord's Supper. Let us take the sacrament seriously and approach the Lord's Table humbly if we are to benefit from it spiritually."
Tabletalk, Thursday, April 29th, 2021 Coram Deo

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Daren Dietmeier
PRELUDE

God Calls Us to Worship Him (John 4:23-24)

CALL TO WORSHIP – Psalm 95:6-7

* OPENING HYMN - "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" *See Insert & On Screen*
* PRAYER OF INVOCATION

The Confession of our Faith (Luke 12:8)

UNISON READING – The Nicene Creed *(Trinity Hymnal pg. 846)*

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

* *Pastor's Note: The word "catholic" refers to the "world-wide" or "universal" church. It does not signify a particular denomination*

THE WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM – Question # 22

LEADER: How did Christ, being the son of God, become man?

PEOPLE: **Christ, the Son of God, became man, by taking to himself a true body, and a reasonable soul, being conceived by the power of the Holy Ghost, in the womb of the Virgin Mary, and born of her, yet without sin.**

(Hebrews 2:14; Matthew 26:38; Luke 1:31 & 35; Hebrews 7:26)

The Collection (I Corinthians 16:2)

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OFFERTORY PRAYER Pastor Dietmeier
OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY RESPONSE - # 402 - "Abide with Me" *On Screen*

The Ministry of the Word (Acts 6:4)

PASTORAL PRAYER
SERMON TEXT – Jeremiah 1:1-10

SERMON "There Is a God, and We Are Not Him" Pastor Dietmeier
Series – These Are a Few of My Favorite Texts

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (Matthew 26:26-30)

* COMMUNION HYMN - # 480 - "Come, for the Feast is Spread" *On Screen*

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION - I Corinthians 11:23-25

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

LEADER: God spoke all these words saying, 'I am the LORD your God, who has brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.'

ALL: "Thou shalt have no other gods before Me. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image. Thou shalt not take the Name of the LORD thy God in vain. Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Honor thy father and thy mother. Thou shalt not kill. Thou shalt not commit adultery. Thou shalt not steal. Thou shalt not bear false witness. Thou shalt not covet."

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN & THE 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 BREAD AND THE CUP

You are welcome to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a baptized Christian, a follower of Jesus Christ, and a faithful member of this or some other congregation, recognized as belonging to the fellowship of true Christian believers.

* HYMN OF RESPONSE - # 481 - "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" *On Screen*

* THE BENEDICTION AND THE POSTLUDE - (You will be dismissed by row.)

(* - The congregation is invited to stand, if able.)