

# The Worship of God

Trinity Chimes    The Chimes call us to quiet our hearts for worship.

Prelude                      *I Stand Amazed in the Presence*                      arr. Berry

Greeting and Announcements

## GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

\*Call to Worship - from 1 Chronicles 16:28-34

WL: Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength! Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him!

**ALL: Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth; yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved.**

WL: Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice, and let them say among the nations, "The LORD reigns!" Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; let the field exult, and everything in it!

**ALL: Then shall the trees of the forest sing for joy before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth. Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!**

\*Hymn of Praise                      *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*                      No. 143

Prayer of Confession - based on the 6<sup>th</sup> commandment

**Father, for many of us, when we consider your commandment not to commit murder, we tend to assume that we have fulfilled it simply by refraining from taking a life. However, this commandment requires more than just an absence of physical violence; it calls us to actively preserve the lives of ourselves and others. Lord, we acknowledge that we have not always defended those we should have, and our words have sometimes been harmful rather than life-giving, resembling flaming darts aimed at an enemy. Please help us to uphold this commandment, seeking the welfare and protection of others while guarding our hearts against hatred (Silent Confession). Amen.**

Song of Confession                      Lamb of God                      Hansen, Kauflin, LaChance

\*Please rise in heart, and if able, in body for these acts of worship

Nursery is available in the East Wing during worship for children 2 and under.

## GOD RENEWS US IN CHRIST

\*Proclamation of the Gospel and Assurance of Pardon

\*Song of Assurance                      *Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder*                      Newton

Prayer of the Kirk

The Collection of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory                      *Be Thou My Vision*                      arr. L. Lorenz

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

## GOD SHAPES US WITH HIS WORD

\*Old Testament Reading                      Leviticus 10:1-3  
Sam Keithley, Ruling Elder

Sermon                      "The Church Exam Room"  
1 Corinthians 11:23-34  
Rev. Mark Tippin

## GOD FEEDS US AT HIS TABLE

Invitation

\*Nicene Creed (*printed on the back*)

Consecration, Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sharing the Bread and the Cup

\**The Lord's Prayer*

## GOD SENDS US OUT IN HIS NAME

\*Benediction and Trinity Chimes

Postlude                      *Wondrous King, All Glorious*

The communion offering for this month will go to the ministry of Ryan Northfield, a PCA church planter. See a member of the Evangelism Committee for more information.

## *The Nicene Creed*

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,

and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## *Serving Us Today*

|                                                   |                                      |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Rev. Mark Tippin                                  | Transitional Pastor                  |
| Rev. Nathan Hiatt                                 | Associate Pastor                     |
| Benae Duff                                        | Director of Children's Ministries    |
| Jordan Pohlmann                                   | Director of Vocal Music/Piano/Vocals |
| Sam Keithley                                      | Worship Leader                       |
| Linda Civitarese                                  | Organ/Piano                          |
| Elizabeth Klingsheim                              | Guitar                               |
| May Green                                         | Violin, Offertory                    |
| Micah Wilterdink, Tara Wilterdink                 | Vocals                               |
| Cameron Green family, Mary J Russell              | Welcome Team                         |
| Caleb Klingsheim, Steve Jantz, Andrew Schoonhoven | Sound Team                           |
| Ben Huyser, Nick Irlmeier                         | Stream Team                          |
| Audrene Hansen, Cheryl Kurtz                      | Altar Guild                          |



## *Westkirk Presbyterian Church*

To Know Christ and Make Him Known

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