THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

We commune with the Lord & with one another, joyfully passing the peace.

After the Eucharist - A Table Blessing

† Pastor: May the body and the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you steadfast in the true faith unto life eternal. In the Name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Thanks be to God!

OUR GOD COMISSIONS US

Leader: Our mouths will speak the praise of the Lord!

All: Let all flesh bless His holy name forever and ever. AMEN!

† Congregational Singing: From Heav'n O Praise the Lord [Psalm 148] —192

BENEDICTION

The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face shine upon you, And be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance upon you, And give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

Three-fold Amen

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR

Pastor Q&A —TODAY after lunch (approx. 2:00 PM)—After we have had a bit of time to eat and fellowship there will be a time to ask Pastor Jóhannsson questions. All are welcome to attend and participate.

Men's Book Study— THIS Thursday, November 16 at 6:30 PM. Location TBD. We will be discussing the final two chapters of *The Church Friendly Family*. Book study will then resume in the new year.

Visiting Minister—Sunday, November 26— Pastor Gradon Schaub will fill our pulpit.

Women's Book Study— Thursday, November 30 at 6:30 PM. Location TBD. We will be discussing the final two chapters of *The Church Friendly Family*. Book study will then resume in the new year.

Visiting Pastor & Fellowship Meal—Sunday, December 10—Pastor Niell will fill our pulpit with a fellowship meal.

Lessons & Carols—Tuesday, December 19 at 6:30 PM (Senior Center)— We will celebrate the seasons of Advent & Christmas with readings from scripture and carols that highlight the foretelling of Christ and His birth.

Fellowship Meals—December 3 & 17

No Psalm Sing—Our monthly psalm sing will resume in January 2024!

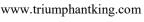


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God is Renewing His Covenant with His People Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost—November 12, 2023

OUR GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM & CLEANSES US

Baptisms of Covenant Children ELIJAH & SAMUEL JUSTICE

† Leader: Let us worship God! We are gathered in the name of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Let us give thanks to the Lord.

Congregation: We give thanks to the Lord.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Make a joyful shout to the LORD, all you lands! Serve the LORD with gladness; come before His presence with singing. Know that the LORD, He is God;

It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise. Be thankful to Him, and bless His name.

For the LORD is good; His mercy is everlasting, and His truth endures to all generations.

+ Congregational Singing: Except the LORD Build the House [Psalm 127] —163

Pastor: Dearly beloved, if we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us, but if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Therefore, I pray and beseech you, as many as are here present, to accompany me with a pure heart and humble voice unto the throne of heavenly grace.

Come, let us worship and bow down!

And kneel before the Lord our Maker. (If you are able, please kneel)

Pastor: Most merciful God,

All: We are in need of Your mercy and abundant pardon. We come to You through Jesus because our sins are great and because Your mercies are sure. As Your children, we have not humbled ourselves as we ought. We have not cheerfully followed Your guidance. We have fought for our own ways, instead of following Your ways. We have not given preference to others in honor. We have been prideful. We have been slow to pursue, and at times refused, reconciliation. In Your kindness, expose and convict us for any discord and strife we have caused. By Your Holy Spirit, convict us of our sin and renew us in Your ways. Hear and forgive, as we continue in prayer, confessing our sins...

(continue kneeling in silent confession)

Assurance of Pardon

Pastor: Rise and hear the good news of God's forgiveness!

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in lovingkindness. He has not dealt with us according to our sins nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. On this day know surely your sins are forgiven through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen!

† Congregational Singing: I in the LORD Do Put My Trust [Psalm 11]—12

† The congregation is invited to stand

RESPONSIVE PSALM—PSALM 50:1-15

The Mighty One, God the Lord, has spoken and called the earth

From the rising of the sun to its going down.

Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty,

God will shine forth.

Our God shall come, and shall not keep silent;

A fire shall devour before Him, and it shall be very tempestuous all around Him.

He shall call to the heavens from above.

And to the earth, that He may judge His people:

"Gather My saints together to Me,

Those who have made a covenant with Me by sacrifice."

Let the heavens declare His righteousness,

For God Himself is Judge. Selah

"Hear, O My people, and I will speak,

O Israel, and I will testify against you; I am God, your God!

I will not rebuke you for your sacrifices

Or your burnt offerings, which are continually before Me.

I will not take a bull from your house,

Nor goats out of your folds.

For every beast of the forest is Mine,

And the cattle on a thousand hills.

I know all the birds of the mountains.

And the wild beasts of the field are Mine.

"If I were hungry, I would not tell you;

For the world is Mine, and all its fullness.

Will I eat the flesh of bulls,

Or drink the blood of goats?

Offer to God thanksgiving,

And pay your vows to the Most High.

Call upon Me in the day of trouble;

I will deliver you, and you shall glorify Me."

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

It is proper and right to do so.

Truly it is fitting, right, wholesome, and beneficial that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to You O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, with all the company of heaven, and with all the Church on earth, we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

† Congregational Singing: Sanctus—insert

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We join together praying for the church, one another, and the world

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name.

Thy kingdom come.

Thy will be done in 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.

(KJV)

OUR GOD TEACHES US FROM HIS WORD

Scripture Lesson from the Old Testament

SCRIPTURE LESSON FROM THE EPISTLES

Proverbs 11:19-31

1 Peter 2:4-10

"This is the Word of the Lord"
"Thanks be to God!"

† **Gospel Lesson**—John 7:37-52 "This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ"

"Praise be to Christ!"

† Congregational Singing: Gloria Patri — 436

SERMON

Romans 6:1-13

The Wedding Ring of Baptism
Pastor Dane Jóhannsson
Apache Junction, AZ

† Congregational Singing: Now with Joyful Exultation [Psalm 95:1-8,11]—insert

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

In grateful response We Present the Lord's Tithes & Our Offerings

† Congregational Singing: Doxology — 437
As the offering is brought forward, we lift our hearts, hands, voices in thankful praise.

OUR LORD INVITES US TO HIS TABLE

We declare a portion of our faith — The Apostles' Creed

† *Pastor:* Christians in Whom do you believe?

I believe in God the Father Almighty; maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord, He was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into Hades.

On the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church,
The communion of the saints, the forgiveness of sins,
The resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

*Meaning universal or worldwide as well as complete in Jesus Christ