

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

We commune with the Lord and 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!

† **Congregational Singing:** *Hallelujah! Praise the LORD* [Psalm 150] — 196

OUR GOD COMMISSIONS US

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

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

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

Lead On, O King Eternal [KINGSLYNN], verse 3

Lead on, O King eternal:
We follow not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning
Where're Thy face appears:
Thy cross is lifted o're us;
We journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest;
Lead on, O God of might.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR

Women's Book Study — THIS Thursday, February 29 — 6:30 PM in the Eidsness home (900 Deer Valley Dr., 76086)
We will discuss the second chapter of Sandlin's *Prayer Changes Things*.

Raise a Glass to the King! — Saturday, March 2 — 5:30 PM in the Caughey home (10528 Unity Dr, 76108) The Lord has indeed dealt kindly with us and has sent us a pastor. Come raise a toast with us in thanksgiving with and for Pastor Johannsson and all that is to come. Bring appetizers to share.

Visit with OUR Pastor & Fellowship Meal — March 3 — Our newly called pastor, Dane Johannsson, will be here to preach and spend time with us over a meal. If you haven't the opportunity to meet him, please plan to stay for an extended time of fellowship.

Men's Book Study — Thursday, March 14 — 6:30 PM in the Wesley Hurd home (395 Pepper Ln., 76088)
We will discuss chapters 4-6 of *The Westminster Confession of Faith*.

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God is Renewing His Covenant with His People
Second Sunday of Lent — February 25, 2024

OUR GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM & CLEANSSES US

† *Pastor:* 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.

“Now, therefore,” says the LORD, “turn to Me with all your heart,

With fasting, with weeping, and with mourning.”

So rend your heart, and not your garments;

Return to the LORD your God,

For He is gracious and merciful,

Slow to anger, and of great kindness; and He relents from doing harm,

Come let us worship the Lord!

Joel 2:12-13

† **Congregational Singing:** *My Soul, Now Bless Thy Maker* [Psalm 103] — 142

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 live in a land of selfishness and irresponsibility; and we have sinned in these ways as well. As Your Word is disregarded in many pursuits and public policies, we confess that we have not followed Your Word as we ought. As Your laws and institutions are mocked, we confess our own laziness and need renewal by Your Holy Spirit. Forgive us for negligence in our labors, foolishness of speech, and wasting the time You have given. Forgive our pride and pardon, our selfishness, our anger, and our discontent. Amidst our sinfulness, we know You are faithful. Hear and forgive, as we continue in prayer, confessing our sins to You...(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:** *O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus* — 264

† The congregation is invited to stand

† RESPONSIVE PSALM—PSALM 57

Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me!

For my soul trusts in You;

And in the shadow of Your wings I will make my refuge,

Until these calamities have passed by.

I will cry out to God Most High,

To God who performs all things for me.

He shall send from heaven and save me;

He reproaches the one who would swallow me up. Selah

God shall send forth His mercy and His truth.

My soul is among lions;

I lie among the sons of men who are set on fire,

Whose teeth are spears and arrows, and their tongue a sharp sword.

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens;

Let Your glory be above all the earth.

They have prepared a net for my steps;

My soul is bowed down;

They have dug a pit before me;

Into the midst of it they themselves have fallen. Selah

My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast;

I will sing and give praise.

Awake, my glory!

Awake, lute and harp! I will awaken the dawn.

I will praise You, O Lord, among the peoples;

I will sing to You among the nations.

For Your mercy reaches unto the heavens,

And Your truth unto the clouds.

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens;

Let Your glory be above all the earth.

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*

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

Exodus 1:15-22

SCRIPTURE LESSON FROM THE EPISTLES

Acts 1:1-11

“This is the Word of the Lord”

“Thanks be to God!”

† **Gospel Lesson**—John 10:22-29

“This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ”

“Praise be to Christ!”

† **Congregational Singing:** *Gloria Patri* — 436

SERMON

1 Peter 1:3-9

Rejoicing Amid Trials

Pastor Gradon Schaub

Granbury, TX

† **Congregational Singing:** *Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured* — 261

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 Nicene Creed*

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

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and 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 men and for our salvation came down from Heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost 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 sits on 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 I believe in the Holy Ghost, 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 I believe one holy catholic* and apostolic Church; I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

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