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: O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing — 315

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

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

OUR GOD COMISSIONS US

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

Now Let the Vault of Heaven Resound, verse 4 p.272

Adoring praises now we bring And with the heav'nly blessed sing. *Christ hath triumphed,* Alleluia! *Be to the Father, and our Lord,* To Spirit blest, most holy God Thine the glory never ending! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR

Visiting Minister & Fellowship Meal — **May 5** — Pastor Gradon Schaub will fill our pulpit and we will have a *fiesta* themed fellowship meal right after worship.

Men's Book Study — Thursday, May 9 — 6:30 PM at the Eidsness home (900 Deer Valley Dr., 76086)

Visiting Minister — May 12 — Pastor Gradon Schaub will fill our pulpit.

Women's Book Study — Thursday, May 16 — Location TBD at 6:30 PM. NOTE: Not our usual 4th Thursday.

Pentecost International Fellowship Meal — May 19 — As we celebrate the Gospel going global, be thinking of your favorite personal heritage meal or international cuisine to share at this meal.

Psalm Sing — Tuesday, May 21 at 6:00 PM in the Eidsness home. (900 Dear Valley Dr., 76086)

Visiting Minister — May 26 — Pastor Geoff Shaw of All Saints Presbyterian Church (FW) will fill our pulpit.

Pastor Installation — Saturday, June 1 at 1:00 PM — Pastor Dane Johannsson will be installed as our pastor in a special service with a time of fellowship and heavy hor d'oeuvres to follow.



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God is Renewing His Covenant with His People Fifth Sunday of Easter — April 28, 2024

OUR GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM & CLEANSES US

† 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.

This is the day the Lord has made.

We will rejoice and be glad in it.

We confess that Jesus is the resurrection and the life.

Unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains alone.

But if it dies, it produces much grain.

All those who are in Adam will die; and those who are in Christ shall be made alive.

He is risen!

He is risen, indeed!

† Congregational Singing: At the Name of Jesus — 294

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 seek Your grace and pardon, and we do so as Your children. You know us, and You know our sin. You know our thoughts, and the desires of our hearts. You know that we have followed our sinful desires, and have not followed the example of Jesus. We confess our sins of laziness in Your Word, trust in ourselves, and neglect of holiness. Forgive us for blaming others for our sins, and for not dealing with our own impure desires. Because of this, we are in need of Your pardon and renewal. Grant us the encouragement of Your Holy Spirit to put away sin and pursue Your ways. Hear us, 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: Lord, from the Depths to Thee I Cried [Psalm 130] — 167

† RESPONSIVE PSALM—PSALM 64

Hear my voice, O God, in my meditation;

Preserve my life from fear of the enemy.

Hide me from the secret plots of the wicked,

From the rebellion of the workers of iniquity,

Who sharpen their tongue like a sword,

And bend their bows to shoot their arrows—bitter words,

That they may shoot in secret at the blameless;

Suddenly they shoot at him and do not fear.

They encourage themselves in an evil matter:

They talk of laying snares secretly; they say, "Who will see them?"

They devise iniquities: "We have perfected a shrewd scheme."

Both the inward thought and the heart of man are deep.

But God shall shoot at them with an arrow;

Suddenly they shall be wounded.

So He will make them stumble over their own tongue;

All who see them shall flee away.

All men shall fear, and shall declare the work of God;

For they shall wisely consider His doing.

The righteous shall be glad in the Lord, and trust in Him.

And all the upright in heart shall glory.

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

Holy! Holy! Holy! Lord, God of Hosts. Heaven and earth are full of Your glory! Hosanna in the Highest! Blessed is he who come in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the Highest

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

Exodus 4:1-18

Acts 4:1-12

"This is the Word of the Lord"

"Thanks be to God!"

† Gospel Lesson—John 15:1-8

"This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ"

"Praise be to Christ!"

† Congregational Singing: Gloria Patri — 436

SERMON

Philippians 2:1-11

The Hymn of Christ

Pastor Jeff Niell Christ Covenant Presbyterian Church; Granbury, TX

† Congregational Singing: The Earth Belongs to God Our LORD [Psalm 24] — 39

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