

THE LORD'S DAY ~ March 21, 2010

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Psalm 92:1-4

*Hymn of Praise (T38)

"Immortal, Invisible"

*Invocation

*Hymn of Adoration

"In the Valley" (1)

When You lead me to the valley of vision,
I can see You in the heights.
And though my humbling wouldn't be my decision,
It's here Your glory shines so bright.
So let me learn that the cross precedes the crown,
To be low is to be high,
That the valley's where You make me more like Christ.

*Let me find Your grace in the valley.
Let me find Your life in my death.
Let me find Your joy in my sorrow,
Your wealth in my need, that You're near with every breath
In the valley.*

In the daytime there are stars in the heavens,
But they only shine at night.
And the deeper that I go into darkness,
The more I see their radiant light.
So let me learn that my losses are my gain,
To be broken is to heal.
That the valley's where Your power is revealed.

*Confession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism #1

Leader: *What is your only comfort in life and ind death?*

People: That I am not my own, but belong body and soul, in life and in death to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me whole-heartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

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Scripture Reading

Romans 13

Confession of Sin

Lord God, we confess that we are prone to ease and pleasure, adverse to self-discipline and sacrifice, anxious to hear new things, yet indifferent to the Good News of Christ. We confess that we are enthusiastic in getting, cautious in giving, eager in amusement, lazy in service, quick to anger, slow to forgive, ready to promise, but reluctant to perform. We admit our sins and ask that in Your mercy You might pardon us through Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 32:1-2

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Proverbs 30:7-9

Offertory Hymn (Tune: "How Deep the Father's Love For Us")

"Psalm 24"

The world and all in it are God's, all peoples of the earth,
For it was founded by the LORD upon the seas beneath.
Who may ascend the hill of God, or in his temple stand?
The one who shuns false gods and lies, who's pure in heart and hand.

He will find favor from the LORD, and from this Savior grace.
Thus are they blessed, O Jacob's God, who truly seek your face.
You ancient gates, lift up your heads; you doors, be opened wide ~
So may the King of glory come for ever to abide.

But who is this exalted King? What glorious King is he?
It is the LORD of strength and might, the LORD of victory.
But who is this exalted King? Who can this sovereign be?
The LORD Almighty, he is King of glory, none but he.

Prayer of Illumination

Psalm 119:152-153

Sermon

Luke 2:1-7

"The Birth of Jesus Christ"

Rev. Cory D. Colravy

*Hymn of Response (C249)

"O Come All Ye Faithful"

*Charge and Benediction

II Corinthians 13:14

*Hymn of Benediction (T731)

"The Doxology"

*Postlude

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* For those who are able, please stand at these time.

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Pastor Colravy's Current Preaching Series:

AM ~ The Synoptic Gospels
PM ~ The Covenant(s) of God

Today's Worship Leaders:

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Senior Pastor
Rev. Robert S. Hayes, Associate Pastor
R. Leigh Hinkle, Music Leader
Jonathan H. Hayes, Service Deacon

EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 P.M.

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Hebrews 12:28-29

*Hymn of Praise (T301)

"Join All the Glorious Names"

*Invocation

*Hymn of Adoration

"Jesus Is Our Great Salvation" (2)

Jesus is our great salvation, worthy of our best esteem;
He has saved his favorite nation; join to sing aloud of him.
He has saved us! Christ alone could us redeem.
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When involved in sin and ruin, and no helper there was found,
Jesus our distress was viewing; grace did more than sin abound.
He has called us, with salvation in the sound.

Let us never Lord forget thee; make us walk as children here.
We will give thee all the glory of the love that brought us near.
Bid us praise thee, and rejoice with holy fear.

Free election known by calling, is a privilege divine;
Saints are kept from final falling; all the glory Lord be thine!
All the glory, all the glory, Lord is thine!

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