

# THE LORD'S DAY ~ August 30, 2009

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

## Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship John 4:21-24

\*Hymn of Praise (T302) "Come, Christians Join to Sing"

\*Invocation

\*Confession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism #49 - 52

**Leader:** *What is the second commandment?*

**People:** The second commandment is: You shall not make for yourself an idol in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing love to a thousand generations of those who love me and keep my commandments.

**Leader:** *What does the second commandment require?*

**People:** The second commandment requires us to receive, respectfully perform, and preserve completely and purely all the regulations for religion and worship that God has established in His word.

**Leader:** *What does the second commandment forbid?*

**People:** The second commandment forbids our worshipping God with images or in any other way not established in His word.

**Leader:** *What are the reasons for the second commandment?*

**People:** The reasons for the second commandment are that God totally rules over us, that we belong to Him, and that He is eager to be worshipped correctly.

\*Psalm of Adoration (Tune: "Immortal, Invisible") Psalm 95:1-7

O come, let us joyfully sing to the LORD;  
To the Rock of salvation let us raise our voice.  
Let us come before him expressing our thanks;  
Let us with loud singing praise him and rejoice.

The LORD is the great God, King over all gods.  
The earth's deepest places he holds in his hand;  
The heights of the mountains belong to the LORD.  
The oceans are his, and he formed the dry land.

Come, let us bow humbly and worship the LORD;  
Let us kneel before him, our Maker, in prayer.  
For we are his people and he is our God;  
He shepherds and feeds us in his loving care.

Scripture Reading

Confession of Sin

O God and Father most gracious and full of compassion, have mercy upon us in the name of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. And as You blot out our sins and stains, magnify and increase in us day by day the grace of Your Holy Spirit: that as we acknowledge our unrighteousness with all our heart, we may be moved by that sorrow which brings forth true repentance in us, mortifying all our sins, and producing in us the fruits of righteousness and innocence which are pleasing to You; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Ephesians 5:2

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings Psalm 65:11-13

Offertory Hymn (T106) "Father, Father of All Things"

Prayer of Illumination Psalm 119:72

Sermon John 14:14-17

"Another Helper"

Rev. Robert S. Hayes

\*Hymn of Response (T457) "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

\*Charge and Benediction Matthew 11:28-30

\*Hymn of Benediction (T731) "The Doxology"

\*Postlude

### Morning Worship Leaders:

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Robert S. Hayes, Associate Pastor  
Bruce Taws, Morning Music Leader  
R. Leigh Hinkle, Evening Music Leader  
Robert S. Moss, Jr., Service Deacon

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## EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 P.M.

Prelude

\*Call to Worship Psalm 111:1-3

\*Hymn of Praise (T164) "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

\*Invocation

\*Hymn of Adoration (T100) "Holy, Holy, Holy!"

\*Confession of Faith Heidelberg Catechism, Questions 96 - 98

**Leader:** *What is God's will for us in the second commandment?*

**People:** That we in no way make any image of God nor worship him in any other way than he has commanded in his Word.

**Leader:** *May we then not make any image at all?*

**People:** God can not and may not be visibly portrayed in any way. Although creatures may be portrayed yet God forbids making or having such images if one's intention is to worship them or to serve God through them.

**Leader:** *But may not images be permitted in the churches as teaching aids for the unlearned?*

**People:** No, we shouldn't try to be wiser than God. He wants his people instructed by the living preaching of his Word not by idols that cannot even talk.

Scripture Reading (PB850) Mark 14:1-31

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings Proverbs 28:6

Offertory Hymn "Beautiful One" (1)

Wonderful, so wonderful is Your unfailing love.  
Your cross has spoken mercy over me.  
No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no heart could fully know  
How glorious, how beautiful You are.

*Beautiful One I love, Beautiful One I adore.  
Beautiful One, my soul must sing.*

Powerful, so powerful, Your glory fills the skies,  
Your mighty works displayed for all to see.  
The beauty of Your majesty awakes my heart to sing:  
How marvelous, how wonderful You are.

You opened my eyes to Your wonders anew,  
You captured my heart with this love;  
'Cause nothing on earth is as beautiful as You.

My soul, my soul must sing. My soul, my soul must sing.  
My soul, my soul must sing, Beautiful One.