Order of Worship OCTOBER 3, 2021

Meditation – Revelation 5:11-12

Then I looked, and I heard around the throne and the living creatures and the elders the voice of many angels, numbering myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, saying with a loud voice, "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!

Songs of Adoration – 2

Call to Worship - Psalm 112 (Responsive Reading

- L Praise the LORD! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD, who greatly delights in his commandments!
- C His offspring will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.
- L Wealth and riches are in his house, and his righteousness endures forever.
- C Light dawns in the darkness for the upright; he is gracious, merciful, and righteous.
- L It is well with the man who deals generously and lends; who conducts his affairs with justice.
- C For the righteous will never be moved; he will be remembered forever.
- L He is not afraid of bad news; his heart is firm, trusting in the LORD.
- C His heart is steady; he will not be afraid, until he looks in triumph on his adversaries.
- L- He has distributed freely; he has given to the poor; his righteousness endures forever; his horn is exalted in honor.
- ALL -The wicked man sees it and is angry; he gnashes his teeth and melts away; the desire of the wicked will perish!

Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

Loving Father, be merciful and forgive our sin. Cleanse our unrighteousness. Heal our hurts, and reconcile our broken relationships. Pour Your Spirit upon us with renewing grace. Restore to us the joy of our salvation. Forgive our excessiveness and ingratitude. Make us a thankful people with charitable hearts who drink from the well of Your grace, that this broken world will taste of the living water of the Gospel. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(adapted from Rev. Mike Khandjian)

Assurance of Pardon

May the God of all healing and forgiveness draw you to Himself and cleanse you from all your sins, that you may behold the glory of His Son, the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(from Common Worship: Times and Seasons)

Songs of Worship – 2

Offering and Doxology

New Testament Reading – Mark 10:23-27

And Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How difficult it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" ²⁴ And the disciples were amazed at his words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how difficult it is to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵ It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁶ And they were exceedingly astonished, and said to him, "Then who can be saved?" ²⁷ Jesus looked at them and said, "With man it is impossible, but not with God. For all things are possible with God."

Reader: "The Word of the Lord"
Congregation: "Thanks Be to God"

Dismissal of Children to Children's Church

Announcements

Song of Preparation – 1

Sermon – "Money, Money, Money!"

Sermon Text – Proverbs 10:22

The blessing of the LORD makes rich, and he adds no sorrow with it.

Song of Response – 1

Benediction