

EMMANUEL

Presbyterian Church

Morning Worship

March 19, 2023

9:30 AM

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Prelude

Apostolic Greeting

*** God's Call to Worship**

Psalm 126:1-3

LORD restored the fortunes of Zion,
we were like those who dream.

**Then our mouth was filled with laughter,
and our tongue with shouts of joy;**

then they said among the nations,
"The LORD has done great things for them."

**The LORD has done great things for us;
we are glad.**

*** Hymn of Praise #286**

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Prayer of Adoration

*** Affirmation of Faith**

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord,
who 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 hell¹.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated 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 catholic² church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

¹He descended to the dead. ²Universal, Christian

*** Confession of Sin**

Jesus, Faithful Friend of Sinners (insert)

* **Assurance of Pardon**

Micah 7:18–20

Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will tread our iniquities underfoot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea. You will show faithfulness to Jacob and steadfast love to Abraham, as you have sworn to our fathers from the days of old."

Reading of God's Word

2 Chronicles 20:1-23, Bible p.372

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on 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.

* **Hymn of Preparation** - Psalm 3, *O LORD, How Many Are My Foes!*

Reading of God's Word

Psalm 83, Bible p.492
2 Thessalonians 1:1-12, Bible p.989

Prayer for Illumination

Preaching of God's Word

Pastor Landow
"Singing the Whole Counsel of God"

* **Psalm 83** *O My God, Do Not Keep Silent*, Psalm of the Month

Lord's Supper

Grape juice and gluten free wafers are available.
Please ask the elders serving for this option.

Prayer of Commitment and Dedication

* **Hymn of Response #204**

A Parting Hymn We Sing

* **God's Commission and Blessing**

* **Closing Response of Praise**

May the Grace, Songbook p.29

Postlude

**Please stand as you are able*