

~God Renews Us in Christ~

We Corporately Confess Our Sins

We confess, dear Lord Jesus, that we have sinned as the apostle Peter sinned, as he shamefully denied You when You were on trial before the rulers of the Jews. So have we shamefully denied You while You have been on continuous trial before the whole world. Forgive us dear Father in heaven and grant us we pray, through the power of your Holy Spirit to receive the courage and loving boldness that then possessed Peter on the day of Pentecost. As the Holy Spirit empowered Him on that grand Day of the New Creation, may He also empower us to proclaim the Savior's **INFINITE GLORY and LOVE** to our families and our lost world.

We Silently Confess Our Sins

Sing this Song of the Redeemed: Isaiah 35:10
(Psalm 149:5 "Let them sing for joy on their beds")

Therefore, the redeemed of the Lord shall return,
And come with singing unto Zion;
And everlasting joy shall be upon their heads.
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They shall obtain — gladness and joy;
And sorrow and mourning shall flee away.
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And come with singing unto Zion;
And everlasting joy shall be upon their heads.

~The Grace of God in Christ~

We Confess Our Faith: Heidelberg Catechism #52

Leader: What profit unto us is this GLORY of Christ our head?

People: That in all my sorrows and persecutions, with uplifted head I look for the very same Person Who before has offered Himself for my sake to the tribunal of God, and has removed all curse from me, to come as Judge from heaven; Who shall cast all His and my enemies into everlasting condemnation, but shall take me with all His chosen ones to Himself into heavenly joy and glory.

~God Instructs Us with His Word~

Hymn of Praise God the All-Terrible (711)

We Listen to God John 21:15-19, Acts 2:14-17, II Peter 1:3-9

Sermon **MISSION OF ETERNAL GLORY III**

Celebration Hymn O Splendor of God's Glory Bright (58)

~God Receives Our Offerings and Prayers~

We Worship God with Our Tithes and Offerings

We Bring Our Requests to God in Prayer

~God Blesses and Sends Us Out~

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Benediction Prayer

Announcements

Postlude

John 21:15-19

¹⁵ When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” He said to him, “Feed my lambs.” ¹⁶ He said to him a second time, “Simon, son of John, do you love me?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” He said to him, “Tend my sheep.” ¹⁷ He said to him the third time, “Simon, son of John, do you love me?” Peter was grieved because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” and he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep. ¹⁸ Truly, truly, I say to you, when you were young, you used to dress yourself and walk wherever you wanted, but when you are old, you will stretch out your hands, and another will dress you and carry you where you do not want to go.” ¹⁹ (This he said to show by what kind of death he was to glorify God.) And after saying this he said to him, “Follow me.”

II Peter 1:3-9

His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to^{his} own glory and excellence,⁴ by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire. ⁵ For this very reason, make every effort to supplement your faith with virtue,⁶ and virtue with knowledge, ⁶ and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with steadfastness, and steadfastness with godliness, ⁷ and godliness with brotherly affection, and brotherly affection with love. ⁸ For if these qualities^{are} yours and are increasing, they keep you from being ineffective or unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹ For whoever lacks these qualities is so nearsighted that he is blind, having forgotten that he was cleansed from his former sins.

II Peter 2:4-6

For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to chains of gloomy darkness to be kept until the judgment; ⁵ if he did not spare the ancient world, but preserved Noah, a herald of righteousness, with seven others, when he brought a flood upon the world of the ungodly; ⁶ if by turning the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah to ashes he condemned them to extinction, making them an example of what is going to happen to the ungodly....

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Sunday Service of Worship

Welcome

Prelude

~God Calls Us to Worship Him~

Call to Worship Zechariah 3:1-5

Pastor: Then he showed me Joshua the high priest standing before the angel of the LORD, and Satan[†] standing at his right hand to accuse him.

People: And the LORD said to Satan, “The LORD rebuke you, O Satan! The LORD who has chosen Jerusalem rebuke you! Is not this a brand plucked from the fire?” Now Joshua was standing before the angel, clothed with filthy garments.

Pastor: And the angel said to those who were standing before him, Remove the filthy garments from him. And to him he said, “Behold, I have taken your iniquity away from you, and I will clothe you with pure vestments.”

Unison: And I said, “Let them put a clean turban on his head.” So they put a clean turban on his head and clothed him with garments. And the angel of the LORD was standing by.

Hymn of Worship Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (38)

Prayer of Worship