### **Prayer of Intercession**

**Preaching of God's Word** "Kingdom Ethics: Divorce" Matthew 5:31-32 Joshua Valdix, Pastoral Intern

## Prayer of Thanksgiving & Application

\*Hymn of Response

"The Church's One Foundation"

#404

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord; she is his new creation by water and the Word: from heav'n he came and sought her to be his holy bride; with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

Elect from ev'ry nation, yet one o'er all the earth, her charter of salvation one Lord, one faith, one birth; one holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food, and to one hope she presses, with ev'ry grace endued.

The church shall never perish! Her dear Lord to defend, to guide, sustain, and cherish, is with her to the end; though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale, against both foe and traitor she ever shall prevail.

'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war, she waits the consummation of peace forevermore; till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blest, and the great church victorious shall be the church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union with the God the Three in One, and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won:

O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we, like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with thee.

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#### \*Benediction & Threefold Amen





# ~ Lord's Day Evening Worship ~

Sunday, August 23, 2020

Welcome & Announcements

Silent Prayers & Preparation for Worship

COMMENCEMENT of WORSHIP

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 100

\*Psalm of Praise

"Hear Me, O Lord, and Answer Me" #86A (Verses 8, 10, 11, 3) Tune 100B

I will, O LORD, with all my heart give you my thanks unceasingly. Great is your steadfast love to me; from Sheol's depths you rescue me.

You, Lord, are merciful and kind, slow to show anger, rich in grace; you, God, abound in steadfast love; great is your truth and faithfulness.

Turn now your face to me, O Lord, and unto me your mercy show; rescue your lowly handmaid's son, unto your servant strength bestow.

For you, O Lord, alone are good; ready and willing to forgive. All those who call upon your name you will abundant mercy give.

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\*Prayer of Invocation

\*Please stand if you are able.

\*Hymn of Praise

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

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Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not; as thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

#### Refrain:

Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see: all I have needed thy hand hath provided--Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. [Refrain]

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! /Refrain]

> Thomas O.Chisholm, 1923 Used by Permission CCLI #11601174

\*Confession of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism #85

p. 974

Leader: What does God require of us, that we may escape his wrath and curse, due to us for sin?

People: To escape the wrath and curse of God, due to us for sin, God requires of us faith in Jesus Christ, repentance unto life, with the diligent use of all the outward means whereby Christ communicates to us the benefits of redemption.

Reading of Scripture

Malachi 2:13-16

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