

## THE ORDER FOR OUR WORSHIP

**PRELUDE** - "Delight in the Lord" by South-bridge

page 151 - **CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

**HYMN 936** - we sing, standing

page 152 - **KYRIE**

page 155 - **HYMN OF PRAISE**

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us pray. Almighty and merciful God, it is by Your grace that we live as Your people who offer acceptable service. Grant that we may walk by faith, and not by sight, in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

*(please be seated)*

### FIRST LESSON *(bulletin back page)*

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

**PSALM 33: 12-22** - see insert; we sing, seated  
*"Rejoice, You Righteous, in the Lord"*  
tune Ellacombe

### SECOND LESSON *(bulletin back page)*

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Page 156 - **ALLELUIA VERSE** - all standing

**GOSPEL** *(bulletin back page)* - all stand  
Before, all shout: **Glory to you, O Lord!**  
After, all shout: **Praise to you, O Christ!**

**HYMN 781** - we sing as indicated, seated

1 - all	2 - all
3 - all	4 - men
5 - women	6 - all

### SERMON

**NICENE CREED** - hymnal, last page  
*all standing*

### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

*all may kneel*  
Response: **Hear our prayer!**

### OFFERTORY

*"His Eye is on the Sparrow"*  
*by Charles Gabriel; arr by Schrader*  
*Soloists, Bet and Michael Frost*

page 160 - **SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

page 161 - **SANCTUS**

### LORD'S PRAYER

page 162 - **WORDS OF OUR LORD**

### SHARING OF PEACE

page 163 - **AGNUS DEI**

### DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

*During the Distribution we sing HYMNS 628 and 603*

*All are invited to commune who have been*

*baptized and instructed in the Faith; who repent of their sins; who are committed to Christ and to the mission of his church; and who believe with us that we receive and share our Savior's Body and Blood in, with, and under the bread and the wine of the Sacrament - where He gives forgiveness and Christian unity.*

*All who commune, kindly sign your names in our Communicant Register, which is located on the narthex shelf along side our Guest Register.*

page 164 - **POST COMMUNION CANTICLE** - all standing

page 166 - **BENEDICTION**

**HYMN 918** - we sing, standing

**POSTLUDE** - "Allegro" by Scarlatti

## NEWS AND NOTES

**Please Join Us** outside after service for fellowship and refreshments. Thank you to Jeff and Kyong Mann for serving this morning.

### Last Sunday Here

Attending: 65      Offering: \$7,174

### This Week Here

Mon-Fri - 9:00 AM - 12 PM - **VBS**  
Mon -12:00 PM - Lunch on the Lawn  
Thur -10:00 AM - Bulletin Pick Up

**Lunch on the Lawn** - join us this summer for fellowship. Bring a chair and your lunch and meet us by the columbarium (weather permitting). Tomorrow and August 22 are the remaining days that we will meet. Please join us as 12:00.

**VBS** will be held here THIS WEEK. It's not too late to volunteer your time to help. If you

can spare some time, please speak with Tricia Rowold. There are 70 children registered to attend (pre-k through grade six) - it's going to be a fun and exciting week!!

**Orphan Grain Train School Kits** - we will begin collecting school supplies needed to complete 50 school kits starting Sunday July 3rd through August 21st. A poster with tags of items needed will be located in the narthex. Your donations can be placed in the bins located under the counter nearest to the library entrance. Cash donations directed for this purpose can be placed in the red box on the counter above the bins. These funds will be used for purchasing items needed to complete the 50 kits or you can request that your donation be directed toward the shipping costs. Thank you, Nancy Engelhardt, Social Welfare Deacon

## A WORD ABOUT THE LESSONS

**The Lord Is Surely Coming to Give You His Kingdom** - The Lord Himself was Abraham's shield and great reward. For "the word of the LORD came to him" and sustained the patriarch's faith in the face of death (Gen. 15:4). By divine grace, Abraham "believed the LORD, and he counted it to him as righteousness" (Gen. 15:6), on account of the holy Seed, Christ Jesus. To that one old man, the Lord granted "descendants as many as the stars of heaven and as many as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore" (Heb. 11:12). The Lord is likewise faithful to you. It is His glad desire "to give you the kingdom" (Luke 12:32). Therefore, "do not be anxious about your life," but instead "seek his kingdom" (Luke 12:22, 31). Set your heart on that treasure. "Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning ... for the Son of Man is coming" (Luke 12:35, 40).