THE ORDER FOR OUR WORSHIP

PRELUDE - "Thy Kingdom Come" by Cesar Franck

page 167 - CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

HYMN 790 vs 1, 2, 4, 5 - we sing, standing

page 168 - KYRIE

page 171 - HYMN OF PRAISE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Let us pray. Almighty, eternal God, in the Word of Your apostles and prophets You have proclaimed to us Your saving will. Grant us faith to believe Your promises that we may receive eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, 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!

HYMN 791 vs 1-4 -Psalm 100-we sing, seated

SECOND LESSON (bulletin back page)
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page 173 - ALLELUIA VERSE - all standing

GOSPEL (bulletin back page) - all standing Before, all sing: Glory be to Thee, O Lord! After, all sing: Praise be to Thee, O Christ!

HYMN 826 - we sing, seated

SERMON

NICENE CREED - hymnal, last page all standing

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

all may kneel

Response: Hear our prayer!

OFFERTORY

"A Father's Love" by Mark Patterson sung by Women of Parish Choir

page 177 - SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

page 178 - SANCTUS

LORD'S PRAYER

page 179 - WORDS OF OUR LORD

SHARING OF PEACE

page 180 - AGNUS DEI

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT *During the Distribution we sing* **HYMN 641**

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 - as signs of his forgiveness and of our Christian family solidarity.

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

page 181 - **POST-COMMUNION CANTI-**CLE - all standing

page 183 - POST-COMMUNION COL LECT page 183 - **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE - "Rondo in G" by John Bull

HYMN 918 - we sing, standing

NEWS AND NOTES

A Special Greeting to our fathers among us! We honor God as our righteous and merciful Father. We pray that your performance as a father may reflect something of his righteousness and mercy. To this end, may you continue to find inspiration and encouragement in our worship and fellowship.

Altar flowers this morning are from Vicki and Don DePaolo in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Please Join Us outside after service for fellowship and refreshments. Thank you to Terri Daly for serving this morning.

Last Sunday Here

Attending: 129 Offering: \$5,477

Pastor Rowold's 5 year anniversary movie has been uploaded to the CLC YouTube site. There is also a link on the CLC Website.

A Family Movie and Game Night is in the process of being planned. If you are interest-

ed in joining the fun, please indicate which date would be your preference on the bulletin board: August 5, 12 and/or 19.

Lunch on the Lawn begins tomorrow and will continue every Monday (weather permitting) at 12:00. Bring a chair and your lunch and meet by the columbarium.

VBS will be held here June 26 - 30. We **need volunteers** to make this a successful program. There are many areas that we need help in. Please sign up on the bulletin board next to the fellowship hall if you can help.

VBS registrations are open to students age 4 through just having completed 6th grade. please pick up a packet from the hallway counter or go on our website to register for VBS, June 26 -30.

Refreshment Servers Needed! Please sign up on the bulletin board if you would like to serve refreshments following one or two of our summer worship services. Everything you need, including the <u>prepared</u> iced tea / lemonade, will be in the kitchen.

A WORD ABOUT THE LESSONS

The Lord Our God Saves Us in Love and Cares for Us by the Ministry of His Gospel - The holy Triune God "shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners," ungodly and at enmity with Him, "Christ died for us" (Rom. 5:8). The incarnate Son has justified us by His blood and reconciled us to His God and Father (Rom. 5:9–10). Whereas sin and death originated with Adam, forgiveness and life abound for all his children through "that one man Jesus Christ" (Rom. 5:12–17). As the Lord brought Israel out of Egypt, so does He bring us to Himself by the Gospel and make of us "a kingdom of priests and a holy nation" (Ex. 19:6) by our Baptism into Christ. For "all that the Lord has spoken" (Ex. 19:8), Christ has done for us. As He has gone up to God by His cross and resurrection, so does He bring us to the Father in Himself (Ex. 19:3–4). Nor does He leave us "harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd" (Matt. 9:36), but He sends men with authority "to heal every disease and every affliction" by His forgiveness of sins (Matt. 10:1). In their proclamation, "the kingdom of heaven is at hand" (Matt. 10:7).