

THE ORDER FOR OUR WORSHIP

PRELUDE - "O Savior, Precious Savior"
tune Angel's story; setting by Krapf

page 203 - **CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

HYMN 815 - *we sing, standing*

page 204 - **KYRIE**

page 204 - **HYMN OF PRAISE**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, give us an increase of faith, hope, and love, that, receiving what You have promised, we may love what You have commanded; 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 125 - "Those Who Place on God Reliance" - *text Morgan; Hebrew Melody see insert ; we sing, seated*

SECOND LESSON *(bulletin back page)*

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page 205 - **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 651 - *we sing as indicated, seated*

1 - all

2 - men & boys

3 - women & girls

4 - all

5 - all

SERMON

NICENE CREED - *hymnal, last page all standing*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

all may kneel

Response: **Hear our prayer!**

OFFERTORY

"Trust in the Lord" - *Responsory*

Pastors Nuechterlein and Rowold lead Congregation repeat

text:

Trust in the Lord. Trust in the Lord.

With all your heart. With all your heart.

And lean not to your own understanding.

And lean not to your own understanding.

In all your ways acknowledge Him.

In all your ways acknowledge Him.

And He shall direct your paths.

And He shall direct your paths (repeat)

Trust in the Lord. Trust in the Lord.

page 208 - **SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

page 208 - **SANCTUS**

LORD'S PRAYER

page 209 - **WORDS OF OUR LORD**

SHARING OF PEACE

page 210 - **AGNUS DEI**

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

During the Distribution we sing HYMNS 782 and 777

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 211 - **POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE** - *all standing*

page 212 - **POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

BENEDICTION

HYMN 830 - *we sing, standing*

POSTLUDE - "An Irish Blessing" by Brian Glyncannon

NEWS AND NOTES

Altar Flowers this morning given to the Glory of God by the Rowold family.

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

Last Sunday Here

Attending: 83 Offering: \$1,628

Refreshment Servers Needed! PLEASE HELP by signing up on the bulletin board if you can serve refreshments following one or two of our summer worship services. Everything you need, including the prepared iced tea / lemonade, will be in the kitchen.

A Family Movie and Game Night will be held **AUGUST 12** starting at 4:00. Bring your favorite game or play one that's provided. Movie and pizza will follow starting at 6:00. If you are interested in joining the fun,

please sign up on the bulletin board so we know how much pizza to order.

Lunch on the Lawn - join us at 12:00 each Monday this summer for fellowship. Bring a chair and your lunch and meet us by the columbarium (weather permitting).

Orphan Grain Train School Kits - we are collecting school supplies needed to complete 50 school kits. The collection will take place through August 27. A poster with tags of items needed is 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 Son of God Has Redeemed Us for Himself with His Holy and Precious Blood - The Lord our God has chosen us to be "his treasured possession," not because of any strength in us, but solely "because the LORD loves" us (Deut. 7:6-8). He is faithful, and He "keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments" (Deut. 7:9). He has searched for us and found us in love, and He has bestowed on us "great value" by the great price that He has paid on the cross (Matt. 13:45-46). In His joy, He has redeemed us by His cross and gathered us into His kingdom by the Gospel. Now we are "hidden in a field," covered by the cross and subject to the persecution of the world (Matt. 13:44), not for destruction, but "to be conformed to the image of his Son" (Rom. 8:29). Since we "are called according to his purpose" (Rom. 8:28), and because Christ Jesus died, rose again and lives to intercede for us "at the right hand of God" (Rom. 8:34), there is nothing in all creation that can separate us from "the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Rom. 8:39).