

THE ORDER FOR OUR WORSHIP

PRELUDE - "I Bind Unto Myself Today"
tune Saint Patrick's Breastplate, setting by Held.

page 203 - **CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

HYMN 506 - *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, You have given us grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith and to worship the Unity in the power of the Divine Majesty. Keep us steadfast in this faith and defend us from all adversities; for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, 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 8 - *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 say: Glory to You, O Lord!

After, all say: Praise to You, O Christ!

HYMN 507 - *we sing, seated*

SERMON

ATHANASIAN CREED - *see insert*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

all may kneel

Response: **Hear our prayer!**

OFFERTORY - *During the gathering, Parish ensemble sings "O Lord, Our Lord, How Majestic is Your Name" by Michael W. Smith.*

page 204 - **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 940 & 643.

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 - which gives us His forgiveness and makes us one Christian family.

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**

page 212 - **BENEDICAMUS and BENEDICTION**

NEWS AND NOTES

This Week Here

Wed - 1:30 PM - Bible Study

Last Sunday Here

Attending: 81 Offering: \$2,463

VBS will be held here June 22 - 26.

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.

Sunday School - Today, we will study "Abomination Nation." God reveals the future of Israel to the prophet Ezekiel. Because of Israel's abominable behavior, the presence of the Lord departs the temple with cherubim and spinning wheels. Yet God promises to cleanse and restore His people: they will once again dwell in the land God promised, and He will put His Spirit within them.

A WORD ABOUT THE LESSONS

The Holy Triune God Recreates Us in the Image and Likeness of Christ Jesus The holy Triune God "created the heavens and the earth," and "behold, it was very good" (Gen. 1:1, 31). However, after Adam and Eve fell into sin and plunged God's good creation into decay and death, the Son of God would be "delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God" to be "crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men" (Acts 2:23). As Jesus "received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit" (Acts 2:33), He also raises up all the baptized and pours out the Spirit upon them through the preaching of His Gospel. He sends out His apostles to "make disciples of all nations" by "baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit," and "teaching them to observe all that [He has] commanded" (Matt. 28:19-20). Through such baptizing and teaching — Gospel and Sacraments — the holy Triune God recreates us in the image and likeness of His incarnate Son, Jesus, the Christ, and behold, it is "very good" (Gen. 1:31).

HYMN 979 - *we sing, standing*

POSTLUDE - "Ayre" by Jeremiah Clarke.

The full choir will have a break for the summer. **Any member of the congregation is welcome to contribute to the summer services.** Please contact Martha Medford at to work on possible Sunday music.

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.

Mark your Calendars! Our 9:00 summer worship services begin on June 21.

Our Annual CLC Picnic will be held on Sunday, June 14 after the 10:30 service. Please remember to sign up on the form on the bulletin board in the Hallway. This is always a fun family fellowship event, so sign up and join us!