

Morning Worship – January 17, 2016

\* Greeting

\* Call to Worship

\* Song of Praise

*Hymn 88 – With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring (vv. 1 & 3; Ps. 138)*

\* Hymn

*Hymn 92 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God (Ps. 46)*

Responsive Reading

**Leader:** Which is the third commandment?

**People:** The third commandment is, Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain: for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

**Leader:** What is required in the third commandment?

**People:** The third commandment requires the holy and reverent use of God’s names, titles, attributes, ordinances, Word, and works.

**Leader:** What is forbidden in the third commandment?

**People:** The third commandment forbids all profaning or abusing of anything whereby God makes himself known. (Shorter Catechism 53-55)

Corporate Confession of Sin

**Leader:** Lord God Almighty, we confess that we have not treated your names, titles, attributes, ordinances, Word and works with proper reverence and awe.

**People:** We confess that we have indeed abused your name and titles, forgotten your holy attributes, failed to attend to your ordinances and Word, and have not acknowledged your mighty works for us.

**All:** Forgive us, Lord, for your name’s sake; teach us your ways and make yourself known to us so that we might worship you as we ought.

Personal Confession of Sin (silent)

Assurance of Pardon

*I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,” and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. (Psalm 32:5)*

Responsive Song

*Songbook – How Deep the Father’s Love*

Old Testament Scripture Reading

*1 Samuel 30*

New Testament Scripture Reading

*Revelation 18*

Hymn

*Hymn 342 – Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*

Confession of Faith

*Apostles’ Creed (insert)*

Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

Sermon

*Psalm 35 – Fight My Enemies, Lord*

Lord’s Supper

Offering

\* Hymn

*Insert – Be Thou My Helper in the Strife (Ps. 35)*

\* Benediction

\* Gloria Patri (#735)

Announcements

\* Please stand if you are able

Join us for lunch after the worship service!

**PRAYER REQUEST**

*We are glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs.*

Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or in the prayer request box in our lobby.

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\_\_\_\_ My request is confidential; I

would like to meet in person

Contact info: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please share with us how God answers your prayer and meets your needs so that we may rejoice with you!***