

HARMONY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 8, 2017

I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. – Genesis 12:2

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 34:8-11

*INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done; On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts; As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE – *See back of Order of Worship*

Give Praise to God (Boice/Jones)

PASTORAL PRAYER

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*THE DOXOLOGY (#731)

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

*PSALM OF PREPARATION – Psalm 4

Trinity Psalter, p. 2

*PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

*SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5:13-16

SERMON – Rev. Mark Blalack
*Exposition of the Gospel of Matthew:
The Blessing of Blessedness*

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

*We welcome to the Lord's Table all who have professed faith in the Lord Jesus Christ
and are members in good standing of an evangelical, Bible-believing church.*

READING OF THE LAW – Exodus 20:1-17

SILENT EXAMINATION

UNISON CONFESSION OF SIN

MOST GLORIOUS GOD, You Who are Light and in Whom there is no darkness at all; we confess that while being children of light we have not sought after Your ways, desiring goodness, righteousness, and truth, but have set our minds on the flesh, loving pleasure rather than Your holy will; and we are ashamed in seeing the fruit born of our self-indulgence, the end of which is death. But Father, You Who in steadfast love and faithfulness have offered up Your only Son to atone for our iniquity, hear us, consider our affliction, and forgive all our sins; Grant us grace, we pray, to acknowledge the ways that we walk in darkness, so we may turn away from sin, and hereafter humbly walk with delight and assurance in the light of life, in He Who is the light of the world, even Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*For at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord.
Walk as children of light. – Ephesians 5:8*

*COMMUNION PSALM – #461
Not What My Hands Have Done

WORDS OF INSTITUTION
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION
DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN OF RESPONSE – #528
*My Faith Looks Up to Thee
(January Hymn of the Month)*

*BENEDICTION
Romans 11:36

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE (#735)
*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is it now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen, amen.*

**Congregation stands as able*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VISITORS AND GUESTS – We are thankful that you have chosen to worship with us this Lord's Day. If at any time during the service you are in need of assistance, please ask one of our members. Our Cry Room is located just outside the sanctuary to the right, and restrooms to the left downstairs.

THE LORD'S SUPPER – Today we will be coming to the Lord's Table. Please take time before and during the service to meditate upon the work of the Lord Jesus Christ and your trust in Him alone as you prepare to come.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH – Today after the service we will be joining together for our monthly fellowship lunch. As we always we would be honored if you would join us.

There will be no **SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP** tonight.

Please join us this afternoon at 3:00 pm as we minister to the residents of **ELMCROFT ASSISTED LIVING** off of Stone Drive.

MORNING PRAYER – Join us each Sunday Morning at 9:15 am as we take time to pray for the advancement of the Kingdom of God and the Ministry of the Word.

TODAY WE WILL RECEIVE DONATIONS FOR OUR FLOWER FUND

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