

HARMONY

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LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 14, 2018

I will hear, for I am compassionate

– *Exodus 22:27*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 27:1-4

*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, forever. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE – #92

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

PASTORAL PRAYER

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*THE DOXOLOGY (#731)

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

*HYMN OF PREPARATION – #128

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

*SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 14:13-36
(p. 820 in ESV Pew Bible)

SERMON – Rev. Mark Blalack
Exposition of the Gospel of Matthew:
Compassion or Confusion

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
(p. 61 in ESV Pew Bible)

SILENT EXAMINATION

UNISON CONFESSION OF SIN

O KING OF ALL RIGHTEOUSNESS, You who have called us to trust in the Lord with all our heart, and lean not on our own understandings; we confess that we have been overcome, trusting in the deceitful words of the world who proclaim “the Lord does not see”, “He will not deliver His people”. Forgive us most gracious God for our sin, our worry, and unbelief. Increase our faith we pray, that we may no longer be cast to and fro by the waves of human cunning, but always cling to Your abiding presence, eternal power, and good promises that have not failed, but have found their Yes in Jesus Christ the Righteous. *Amen.*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will tread our iniquities underfoot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea. – Micah 7:18-19

*COMMUNION PSALM – Psalm 28A

Inside Prayer Insert (January Psalm of the Month)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN OF RESPONSE – #609

Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me?

***BENEDICTION**

Hebrews 13:20-21

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

(Tune: Duke Street)

*May God be blessed – The LORD alone –
Blessed be the God of Is-ra-el.
For only He has wonders done;
His works all oth-er deeds ex-cel.*

*And may His name of glor-ious worth
Receive its praise e-ter-nal-ly;
And may His glory fill the earth.
A-men, A-men; so may it be.*

**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 **EVENING WORSHIP** tonight. We will resume next week as we begin a new series in Genesis 1-11. 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 – Begin each Lord’s Day with us at 9:15 AM in the Pastor’s Study as we pray for the Advancement of the Kingdom and Ministry of the Word.

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