

HARMONY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

December 24, 2017

The LORD your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your brothers – it is to him you shall listen – Deuteronomy 18:15

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

John 4:23-24

INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE – #218

Angels, from the Realms of Glory

*CONFESSION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q/A. 20-22

Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery? God having, out of his mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, did enter into a covenant of grace, to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.

Who is the Redeemer of God's elect? The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever.

How did Christ, being the Son of God, become man? Christ, the Son of God, became man, by taking to himself a true body, and a reasonable soul, being conceived by the power of the Holy Ghost, in the womb of the Virgin Mary, and born of her, yet without sin.

*PSALM OF CONFESSION – Psalm 22B

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PASTORAL PRAYER

OLD TESTAMENT READING
Psalm 149 (p. 526 in ESV Pew Bible)

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*THE DOXOLOGY (#731)

*HYMN OF PREPARATION – #193
Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

*SCRIPTURE READING
Matthew 13:53-58
(p. 819 in ESV Pew Bible)

SERMON – Rev. Mark Blalack
Exposition of the Gospel of Matthew:
Trusting Jesus for Who He Is

*HYMN OF RESPONSE – #219
All Praise to Thee, Eternal Lord

*BENEDICTION
Hebrews 13:20-21

*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.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE OF LESSONS & CAROLS – Make plans to be in attendance, and invite others to join us this evening at 4:30 PM as we worship the Incarnate Christ through Scripture and song. As we will be coming to Lord's Table, we encourage you to make preparations by meditating upon the completed work of our Lord Jesus.

There will be no **MORNING PRAYER** or **SUNDAY SCHOOL** next week.

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