

November 12, 2017
Divine Service, Lord's Day 46
Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

■ **PREPARING FOR WORSHIP**

Pre-Service Prayer (8:45 a.m.)

Pre-Service Singing (9:10 a.m.)

Welcome and Announcements

Missions Minute

Prelude

Choral Introit – “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

O soul are you weary and troubled?
No light in the darkness you see?
There's light for a look at the Savior,
And life more abundant and free!

Chorus – Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth
Will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.

His Word shall not fail you He promised;
Believe Him and all will be well:
Then go to a world that is dying,
His perfect salvation to tell

The Service of Entrance

■ **GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

*The Greeting

Minister: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 1:7)

All: Amen!

*The Call to Worship – Psalm 98:1-3

Minister: Oh sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things!

All: His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.

Minister: The Lord has made known his salvation; he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.

All: He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

*The Hymn of Praise – “This Earth belongs to God” (BTT 134)

*The Prayer of Adoration

*Confession of Faith - "Apostles' Creed"

Minister: Christians, what do you believe?

All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

*I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.*

*He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.*

The third day he rose again from the dead.

*He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty.*

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

■ GOD CLEANSSES US IN WORSHIP

The Reading of the Law - 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

The Exhortation

The Silent Individual Prayer of Confession

The Corporation Prayer of Confession

The Declaration of Pardon

The Song of Rejoicing: Sanctus - "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord" (BTT 32)

The Service of the Word

■ GOD CONSECRATES US IN WORSHIP

The Old Testament Reading - Zechariah 9:9-17

The Prayer of the Church - Pastor Trey Jasso

Tithes and Offerings

The Song of Preparation - "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" (TH 235)

The Reading of Scripture- Mark 11:1-10

*Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read,
mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting
life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.*

The Sermon - by Pastor Brian Tallman

The Service of the Table

■ GOD COMMUNES WITH US IN WORSHIP

The Song of Preparation - "Of the Father's Love Begotten" (TH 162)

The Lord's Supper

Although both wine and white grape juice are available during communion, the Elders strongly encourage everyone able to take wine.

Bread: "*Hosanna*" (BTT 106)

Wine: "*Celebration Unending*" (BTT 105)

The Pastoral Prayer

■ GOD COMMISSIONS US IN WORSHIP

*The Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*The Benediction

*Postlude
