

**August 12, 2018**  
**Lord's Day 32, 9:30 a.m.**  
**Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost**

*Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.*

■ **WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP**

Pre-Service Prayer (8:30 a.m., Room 202)

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

Missions Minute

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

**The Service of Entrance**

■ **GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

\*The Greeting

**Minister:** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

*All: Amen!*

**Minister:** Grace and peace be multiplied to you (1 Peter 1:2)

*All: And to you.*

**Minister:** The Lord be with you. (Ruth 2:4)

*All: And also with you.*

\*The Call to Worship – Psalm 47:1-7

**Minister:** Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy! For the Lord most high is to be feared, a great king over all the earth.

*All: He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet. He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom he loves.*

*All: God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises. For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm! God reigns over the nations, God sits on his holy throne.*

\*The Hymn of Praise – “All People Who on Earth Do Dwell” (TH 1)

\*Prayer of Adoration and Praise

■ **GOD CLEANSSES US IN WORSHIP**

The Invitation to Confession – Psalm 130

The Exhortation

The Silent Prayer of Confession

The Corporate Prayer of Confession

The Declaration of Pardon

The Sursum Corda

**Minister:** Lift up your hearts.

*All: We lift them up to the Lord.*

**Minister:** Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

*All: It is proper and right to do so.*

**Minister:** It is good, right and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty God, heavenly King . . . Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, and with all the church on earth, we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising you and singing:

Song of Response: Sanctus – “*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*” (BTT 32)

Tithes and Offerings

## The Service of the Word

### ■ GOD CONSECRATES US IN WORSHIP

The Gospel Reading – John 6:35-51

Prayer for the Church – Elder Curt Goodhart

Song of Preparation – “*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*” (TH 38)

\*Reading of Scripture – Romans 1:1-7

The Sermon – “Introduction to Romans” by Pastor Brian Tallman

## The Service of the Table

### ■ GOD COMMUNES WITH US IN WORSHIP

Song of Preparation – “*In Christ Alone*”

*In Christ alone my hope is found; he is my light, my strength, my song.  
This cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease;  
My Comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.  
In Christ alone who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe;  
This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones He came to save.  
'Til on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied;  
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.  
There in the ground His body lay, light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again.  
And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me;  
For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.  
No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the pow'r of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry, to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.  
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand;  
'Til He returns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.*

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: “*Amazing Love*” (BTT 1)

Wine: *"Only by Grace"* (TH 77)

Pastoral Prayer

■ **GOD COMMISSIONS US IN WORSHIP**

\*Doxology

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

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