

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE

*Closing Hymn	<i>Nothing but the Blood</i>	#307
*Benediction		
Postlude	<i>Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove</i>	John Dykes



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**ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD**  
SUNDAY AUGUST 7, 2016  
**COMMUNION**

**Participants in Today's Service**

Pastor	Mark Tippin
Organist	Marilyn Fry
Liturgist	Brad Ward
Head Usher	Judy Schenk
Greeter	MH Hennagin
Nursery	Meagan Vreeman, Lexie Tippin

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If you have any questions, prayer requests, or are ready and excited to join our mission to reach all of Casper for Christ, contact the church office or Pastor Mark.

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**Welcome to our Visitors**

To all who are weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are idle and look for service; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whosoever will come -- this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of Jesus her Lord.

We are glad you are here to worship with us this morning! The pamphlet in the pew pocket will help you get to know our church better, and please fill out and return the visitor form also so that we can get to know you. We have fellowship and refreshments after the service in the parlor, which is through the doors at the front of the sanctuary.

Children are welcomed and encouraged to remain in the worship service, however a nursery is available for infants and pre-school-aged children. Ask anyone around you for directions. Activity bags are also available in the rear of the sanctuary for children to use during the service.

*\*Please stand if you are able*

**Prelude**      *Fantasia on "Forest Green"*      Lani Smith

**Welcome and Announcements**

*GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE FOR WORSHIP*

**\*Invocation**

**\*Call to Worship** (Psalm 65:1-4)

Leader: Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion, and to you shall vows be performed.

**People: O you who hear prayer, to you shall all flesh come.**

Leader: When iniquities prevail against me, you atone for our transgressions. Blessed is the one you choose and bring near, to dwell in your courts!

**People: We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, the holiness of your temple! Let us come and worship you, God of Zion.**

**\*Opening Hymn**      *Holy, Holy, Holy!*      #100

GOD HEARS OUR CONFESSION

**Call to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession** (in unison)

Lord, we know that you are a jealous God. You punish the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate you. Forgive us for provoking your jealousy and send the Holy Spirit into our hearts that we might offer lives which are pleasing to you. We are thankful that, even though you are a jealous God, you desire to shower your grace on us, and you tell us that you show love to a thousand generations who love you. We praise you, Lord, that jealousy does not have the final say, but your grace poured out in Jesus has spoken the final word. (Silent confession) Amen!

**Assurance of Pardon**

Leader: Brothers and sisters, hear, believe and receive the good news of the Gospel, in Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

People: **Thanks be to God, for His grace.**

**Passing of the Peace**

Leader: Peace be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

**Gloria Patri**

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GOD BRINGS US HIS WORD

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Old Testament Scripture**

Isaiah 6, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 571, [Red] p. 726

**New Testament Scripture**

Revelation 4:8-11, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 1030, [Red] p. 1313

**Sermon**      *Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty*

Pastor Mark Tippin

OUR RESPONSE TO HIS WORD

**\*Communion Hymn**      *Holy, Holy, Holy! (verses 1-3)*      #100

**Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

**Nicene Creed** (in unison)      Hymnal p. 846

**Prayer of Praise** (in unison)

Heavenly Father, we give you immortal thanks and praise that upon us you have conferred so great a benefit as to bring us into the communion of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; whom, having been delivered up to death for us, you have given for our food and nourishment unto eternal life.

Now grant us grace that we may never be unmindful of these things, but rather shall carry them engraven upon our hearts, that we may advance and grow in that faith which is effectual unto every good work. Thus may the rest of our lives be ordered and followed out to your glory and to the edification of our neighbors; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns in unity, one God, world without end. Amen

**\*Communion Hymn**      *Holy, Holy, Holy! (verse 4)*      #100

**Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer**

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

Offertory      *Now Thank We All Our God*      Cruger

**\*Doxology**      #731