

***Confession of Faith** *Shorter Catechism Questions 16-17*

Question 16: Did all mankind fall in Adam's first disobedience?

Answer: Since the covenant of life was made with Adam for his descendants as well as for himself, all mankind descending from him in the ordinary manner, sinned in him, and fell with him in his first transgression.

Question 17: Into what state did the fall bring mankind?

Answer: The fall brought mankind into a state of sin and misery.

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE

***Closing Hymn**

#110—*Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah*

***Benediction**

Postlude

Leading Today's Service

Pastor	Zach Vreeman	Head Usher	Clancy Hall
Liturgist	Tim Schenk	Greeter	Mike Fankhauser

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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, March 8, 2020

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

****Please stand if you are able***

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE FOR WORSHIP

***Call to Worship** Psalm 121

Leader: I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?

People: My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

Leader: He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber; The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand.

People: My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

Leader: The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.

People: My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

***Opening Hymn**

#12—*Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim*

***Invocation**

***Singing of Psalm 1 (To the tune of *This Is the Day the Lord Has Made*)**

Verse 1

O greatly bless-ed is the man
Who walketh not astray
In counsel of ungodly men
Nor stands in sinners' way

Verse 2

Nor sitteth in the scorner's chair,
But placeth his delight
Upon God's Law, and meditates
On His law day and night.

Verse 3

He shall be like a tree that grows
Set by the water side,
Which in its season yields its fruit,
And green its leaves abide.

Verse 4

And all he does shall prosper well.
The wicked are not so,
But are like chaff which by the wind
Is driven to and fro.

Verse 5

In judgment, therefore, shall not stand
Such as ungodly are,
Nor in th'assembly of the just
Shall wicked men appear.

Verse 6

Because the way of godly men
Is to Jehovah known,
Whereas the way of wicked men
Shall quite be overthrown.

GOD HEARS OUR CONFESSION

Summary of the Law (in unison)

(Matthew 22:35-40) Pew Bible [Blue] p. 828, [Red] p. 1052

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison) From The Worship Book

O Lord, you tell us in your word that he who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy. We seek mercy this day, most gracious and loving Father, for we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by our own fault. Forgive us for our offenses against you in the mighty name of our blessed savior Jesus Christ. Personal 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— #735

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

***Hymn**

Insert—*How Deep the Father's Love for Us*

GOD BRINGS US HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Scripture

Isaiah 26:1-6 Pew Bible [Blue] p. 586, [Red] p. 746

New Testament Scripture

Philippians 4:21-23 Pew Bible [Blue] p. 982, [Red] p. 1250

Sermon

In Christ Jesus — Dr. Zachary Vreeman

OUR RESPONSE TO HIS WORD

***Hymn of Response**

#347—*The Church's One Foundation*

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology — #731**