

THE MORNING WORSHIP

Second Sunday of Epiphany

“The plowboy in his plowing and the milk maid in her milking are in fact doing priestly work.” -Richard Foster

THE GATHERING OF GOD’S PEOPLE

Prelude (8:30) *Partita on Ode to Joy* Charles Callahan
Marie Hasse, organ

(11:00) *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* Doris Akers
Kay Burklin, flute / Marie Hasse, piano

***Call to Worship** Hebrews 1:1-3 (ESV) Rev. Chad Reynolds

Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world. He is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature, and he upholds the universe by the word of his power. After making purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high...

***Hymn No. 311** *God Has Spoken by His Prophets* ODE TO JOY

***Invocation** Matthew J. Joldersma

***The Lord’s Prayer** (using “debts” – text from Hymnal No. 632)

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Welcome and Announcements

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF CHURCH OFFICERS (11:00)

Statement about Church Leadership

Constitutional Questions

Ordination of Elders

Ansel Bubrman

Ordination of Deacons

Dick Bailey, Bill Bryan, Jake Cockerell, Duane Hull

Declaration of Ordination and Installation

Right Hand of Fellowship

Charge to Officers

Dr. Mark Ross

THE WORD OF GOD REVEALED

Scripture Reading Joshua 15:1-19 (ESV)

¹The allotment for the tribe of the people of Judah according to their clans reached southward to the boundary of Edom, to the wilderness of Zin at the farthest south. ²And their south boundary ran from the end of the Salt Sea, from the bay that faces southward. ³It goes out southward of the ascent of Akrabbim, passes along to Zin, and goes up south of Kadesh-barnea, along by Hezron, up to Addar, turns about to Karka, ⁴passes along to Azmon, goes out by the Brook of Egypt, and comes to its end at the sea. This shall be your south boundary. ⁵And the east boundary is the Salt Sea, to the mouth of the Jordan. And the boundary on the north side runs from the bay of the sea at the mouth of the Jordan. ⁶And the boundary goes up to Beth-hoglah and passes along north of Beth-arabah. And the boundary goes up to the stone of Bohan the son of Reuben. ⁷And the boundary goes up to Debir from the Valley of Achor, and so northward, turning toward Gilgal, which is opposite the ascent of Adummim, which is on the south side of the valley. And the boundary passes along to the waters of En-shemesh and ends at En-rogel. ⁸Then the boundary goes up by the Valley of the Son of Hinnom at the southern shoulder of the Jebusite (that is, Jerusalem). And the boundary goes up to the top of the mountain that lies over against the Valley of Hinnom, on the west, at the northern end of the Valley of Rephaim. ⁹Then the boundary extends from the top of the mountain to the spring of the waters of Nephtoah, and from there to the cities of Mount Ephron. Then the boundary bends around to Baalah (that is, Kiriath-jearim). ¹⁰And the boundary circles west of Baalah to Mount Seir, passes along to the northern shoulder of Mount Jearim (that is, Chesalon), and goes down to Beth-shemesh and passes along by Timnah. ¹¹The boundary goes out to the shoulder of the hill north of Ekron, then the boundary bends around to Shikkeron and passes along to Mount Baalah and goes out to Jabneel. Then the boundary comes to an end at the sea. ¹²And the west boundary was the Great Sea with its coastline. This is the boundary around the people of Judah according to their clans.

¹³According to the commandment of the LORD to Joshua, he gave to Caleb the son of Jephunneh a portion among the people of Judah, Kiriath-arba, that is, Hebron (Arba was the father of Anak). ¹⁴And Caleb drove out from there the three sons of Anak, Sheshai and Ahiman and Talmai, the descendants of Anak. ¹⁵And he went up from there against the inhabitants of Debir. Now the name of Debir formerly was Kiriath-sepher. ¹⁶And Caleb said, "Whoever strikes Kiriath-sepher and captures it, to him will I give Achsah my daughter as wife." ¹⁷ And Othniel the son of Kenaz, the brother of Caleb, captured it. And he gave him Achsah his daughter as wife. ¹⁸When she came to him, she urged him to ask her father for a field. And she got off her donkey, and Caleb said to her, "What do you want?" ¹⁹She said to him, "Give me a blessing. Since you have given me the land of the Negeb, give me also springs of water." And he gave her the upper springs and the lower springs.

THE PEOPLE’S RESPONSE

Pastoral Prayer

***Hymn No. 473** *And Can It Be That I Should Gain?* SAGINA L.M.D.

(11:00) *Children through 2nd grade are now dismissed to attend Children’s Church*

Offertory Prayer

Musical Offering (8:30) *He is Lord* arr. by Harlan Rogers
Marie Hasse, piano

(11:00) *Be Not Afraid* Craig Courtney

Be not afraid: for I have redeemed you; Be not afraid: I have called you by name. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; when you pass through the floods, they will not sweep o’er you; when you walk through the fire, you will not be consumed; you are mine, you are precious in my sight. (Repeat)

My love for you is everlasting, my love for you shall have no end. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; when you pass through the floods, they will not sweep o’er you; when you walk through the fire, you will not be consumed. You are mine, you are precious in my sight, you are precious in my sight. You are precious in my sight.

(Please sign and date the Friendship Pad and pass back to the center aisle.)

***Doxology** (No. 808) OLD HUNDRETH

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 WORD PROCLAIMED

Sermon The Conquest Paradox: Our Portion
Rev. Chad Reynolds

THE SENDING FORTH

*Hymn No. 710	<i>We Are Called to Be God's People</i>	AUSTRIAN HYMN
*Benediction		
Postlude (8:30)	<i>Toccata</i>	Johan Sweelinck
	Marie Hasse, organ	
(11:00)	<i>Tanz der Flöte</i>	David Plüss
	Kay Burklin, flute / Marie Hasse, piano	

**Congregation please stand*

SPECIAL INVITATION: Anyone who has come this morning in need of special prayer or spiritual counsel, we invite you to meet with prayer partners immediately after the worship services. Prayer partners will be waiting in the front of the Sanctuary beneath the high pulpit.

WELCOME VISITORS: We trust you will find your time with us enriching. If you would like to know more about our church or talk with one of the pastors, please fill out a visitor's card and give it to one of the pastors at the door following this morning's service. Please visit our Information Desk in the Church Parlor for information on our Church's activities, Sunday School classes, etc.

Announcements

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of the parents of Larry & Pearl Oliszewski.

The rosebud on the pulpit this morning is in celebration of the birth of a son, Hunter James Hulsey, born to Dallas and Heather Hulsey, January 9, 2010. Lindsay and Tracey Pooser are the proud grandparents. Laura Pooser is the happy great-grandparent.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER FOCUS: Please pray for our Elders and Deacons as they seek God's will and guiding this His church.

JANUARY SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE: But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God. Galatians 4:4-7

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR JANUARY 17 Dr. Mark Ross will be teaching a joint Sunday school class this morning on the subject of elders and deacons for all classes from Middle School and up. Mark E. Ross is Associate Dean and Associate Professor of Systematic Theology at the Columbia campus of Erskine Theological Seminary and Director of the Institute for Reformed Worship. Dr. Ross will also be giving a charge to the elders and deacons during the 11 am worship service when the incoming classes of elders and deacons will be ordained and installed.

THIS WEDNESDAY'S WHO-U PICKUP: 6th grade

Next week's sermon: The Conquest Paradox: Seize the Day, will be from Joshua 16-17.

EKKLESIA dinner for Wednesday, January 20th, is spaghetti, rolls, and salad bar. The Ekklesia meals and the salad bar will each cost \$3 per person if you sign up before 10:00 am on Wednesday by either calling the church office or signing up on the Friendship Pad during Sunday services. (Example: HM2 = Hot Meal 2 people, SB1 = Salad Bar 1 person). Families are \$12 maximum (\$14 if you sign up after 10:00 on Wednesday). Pizza is \$1 per slice while supplies last.

MUSIKGARTEN SPRING SEMESTER BEGINS JANUARY 20TH We are offering 14 classes for babies and toddlers (0-2 years) from 4:40 – 5:10 pm and preschoolers (3-5 yrs) from 5:15 – 6:00 pm on Wednesday's from January 20th - April 28th, 2010 in the Children's Chapel. The cost is \$40 (materials fee) for the semester. The class is a musical beginning for children ages birth to Pre-K. Nursery is provided for siblings during both classes! Everyone is welcome, members and non-members! Tell a friend!

INQUIRERS CLASSES BEGIN JANUARY 24, 2010. The class will meet in the Lecture Hall from 9:45 – 10:45 am. If you are interested in signing up please contact the church office at 676-0711.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS THIS WEEK: Membership/Visitation Mtg. (Library) Monday at 5:00 pm; **Deacons' Mtg.** (Library) Tuesday at 7:00 pm; **Children's Council** (Library) Wednesday at 5:00 pm; **Steering Comm. Mtg./HIS Mtg. Captain Training/Media Info** (Fellowship Hall) Thursday at 7:00 pm.

CIRCLE & K-GROUP MEETINGS THIS WEEK: K-1 Adult Study Group will meet on today, at 7:00 pm at the home of Gene and Bobbie Culberson (678-1090). **K-5** will be meeting today at 3:P.M.in the game room of the Family Life Center. (Notice new meeting place.)

HAITI EARTHQUAKE RELIEF FUND Tuesday, January 12, 2010 a 7.0 magnitude earthquake in Haiti caused substantial damage in the capital city of Port-au-Prince. Lumiere Medical Ministries, based in Gastonia, NC, has medical work in that city and is well placed to bring aid to those in need. Dr Robert Belding, an ARP volunteer medical missionary to Pakistan, has also been involved with Lumiere Medical Ministries to Haiti for several years and has assured us that funds directed to this ministry would be used wisely. If there is any ARP person or church interested in giving to the "Haiti Earthquake Relief" fund, then these funds can be sent to World Witness, One Cleveland St, Greenville, SC and they will be forwarded to Lumiere Medical Ministries. This will ensure that there is oversight and accountability as World Witness will receive reports on how the funds are spent.

CONCERT SERIES Sunday, January 31st at 4:00 pm, in the Sanctuary will be the fourth in a series of concerts. Our guest for this concert is Stephen Hamilton. Mr. Hamilton is the current Minister of Music at the historic Church of the Holy Trinity in New York City. In addition to the concert on January 31st Mr. Hamilton will be hosting a workshop on Saturday, January 30th from 10 am until noon in the sanctuary.

ALICE PARKER will be here February 6, 2010 for choral workshops and February 7, 2010 for a Hymn Festival. She will also be participating in the Sunday worship service.

THIS MORNING'S GREETERS & USHERS:

Greeters:	8:30	Frank & Laura Hunt, George & Evelyn White
	11:00	Bob & Diane Armington, Dale & Lea Simmons
Ushers:	8:30	David and Carter Ullman
	11:00	Emil Jahna, Jimmy Kahler, Ron Odoski, Victor Story



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THE LORD'S DAY

The Seventeenth Day of January
Two Thousand Ten

*To all who are weary and need rest;
to all who are lonely and want fellowship;
to all who mourn and need comfort;
to all who pray and to all who do not, but ought;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
and to whosoever will come –
this church opens wide the door and says in the
name of the Lord Jesus, "Welcome."*