

Scripture Reading

Matthew 28:16-20

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~

People: Thanks be to God ~

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Sermon

'The Commission of Christ'

Series: Renewed

Rev. Dr. Marc Shefelton

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

"Our Father, who 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen."

***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.

***Dedication of Offering**

***Dismissing Hymn No. 295**

'Revive Us Again'

***Benediction**

Postlude

'Love Divine, All Loves Excelling'

~ Zundel

We're glad you joined us for worship today! We invite you to place your financial tithes and offerings in one of the boxes in the back of the sanctuary before or following service. Thank you for placing the Bibles, hymnals and attendance books back on the chairs. Thank you.

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Matthew 16:13-18	Luke 19:1-10	Leviticus 19:17-18
Isaiah 7:14	Daniel 7:13-14	Matthew 24:14
Acts 2:42-47	Ephesians 2:19-21	Nehemiah 1:1-11
Isaiah 6:1-8	Matthew 28:16-20	1 John 4:13-15

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50 Days to Vitality

Luke 15:21-24	Romans 12:1-2	Nehemiah 6:15-16
Hebrews 12:1-2	Matthew 9:35-38	2 Timothy 3:16-17
Luke 14:25-27	Philippians 4:4-7	1 John 4:1-4
1 Peter 2:5-8	Deuteronomy 6:4-6	Malachi 3:6-10

Jeremiah 31:31-34

1 John 2:1-6

Revelation 7:9-10

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“Join us for a drink of Living Water”

October 22, 2023

We welcome you to the worship of God Almighty this Lord's Day. It is our intention to bring glory and honor to Him. God enters our time of worship and we remember this time belongs to Him. Your Worship Commission

**Please stand, if you are able.*

Nursery for children infant to 4 yrs. old is available upstairs in the Christian Education Wing (please see Usher for directions)

Meditation

"To be a disciple is to make other disciples, not just to continue to be taught, or continue to teach already-made disciples. The vital church makes new disciples, living the Great Commission in the authority of Jesus Christ."

~ Ken Priddy

Westminster Chimes and Announcements

(During announcements, we ask members and visitors to please sign the Friendship Register and pass it on. Send them back down your row so you can note who is worshipping with you today. We invite visitors to give us your complete address.)

Opening Prayer

Prelude

'In His Time'

~ Ball

*Call to Worship

Jud Herter, Lay Assistant

Leader: In your wisdom, O God, you call us here to worship you.

People: We gather, alive to the Word of God.

Leader: You call us to be fully alive with your life abundant, ready to listen and respond with heart, soul, strength, and mind.

People: We listen, alive to the Word of God.

Leader: You call us to be always watchful for your Word of wisdom, sometimes startling and unexpected, sometimes still and quiet, but always dwelling among us.

People: We watch and wait for the Word of God.

*Opening Hymn No. 51

'Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah'

*Praise Songs

'Unstoppable God'

'King of Kings'

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (In unison)

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen... (silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

*Creed

Westminster Confession of Faith, Chapter 35

Since there is no other way of salvation than that revealed in the gospel, and since in the divinely established and ordinary method of grace faith comes by hearing the word of God, Christ has commissioned his church to go into all the world and to make disciples of all nations. All believers are, therefore, under obligation to sustain the ordinances of the Christian religion where they are already established, and to contribute by their prayers, gifts, and personal efforts to the extension of the kingdom of Christ throughout the whole earth.