ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Lord's Day, July 21, 2024

Welcome and Announcements

*God Calls Us to Worship Him: Responsive Reading of Psalm 63:1-4

Pastor: O God, you are my God; earnestly I seek you; my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

Congregation: So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory.

Pastor: Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you. **All:** So I will bless you as long as I live; in your name I will lift up my hands.

* We Sing in Response: #498 Red Hymnal "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!"

*We Seek God's Presence in Prayer

We Confess Our Sins Together: Heavenly Father, save us entirely from sin. We know we are righteous through the righteousness of another, but we long to reflect your likeness; We are your children who bear your image, enable us to recognize our death unto sin; when it tempts us may we be deaf unto its voice. Deliver us from the invasion as well as the dominion of sin. Grant us to walk as Christ walked, to live in the newness of his life, the life of love, the life of faith, the life of holiness. Cleanse our spiritual adultery and give us purity; close our hearts to all but you.

— Adapted from the Valley of Vision

We Pray Silent Prayers of Confession

God Assures Us We Are Forgiven: Proverbs 28:13-14

- * We Sing In Response to God's Forgiveness: #286 Black Hymnal "Beneath the Cross"
- * We Confess Our Faith Together: O Lord God, who inhabits eternity, the heavens declare Your glory, the earth Your riches, The universe is Your temple; Your presence fills immensity, yet You have made us what we are, and given us what we have; In You we live and move and have our being; Your providence has set the bounds of our habitation, and wisely administers all our affairs. We thank You for Your riches to us in Jesus, for the unclouded revelation of him in Your Word, where we behold his Person, character, grace, glory, humiliation, sufferings, death, and resurrection.

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We Read From God's Word: Acts 3:1-21

We Pray For The Congregation and Community

We Memorize God's Word: John 1:11-12 "He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God."

We Present Our Tithes & Offerings In Worship

We Worship Through the Music of Offertory

- * We Sing the Doxology: #731 Red Hymnal "Doxology"
- * We Give Thanks to the Lord
- * We Sing In Preparation for the Word: #2 CG Hymns "Christ, the True and Better"

Children ages 4 through kindergarten dismissed to Children's Worship. Parents, please pick up your child in the lobby on your way to the Lord's Supper.

Pastor Reads the Sermon Text: Luke 23:6-25

Pastor Preaches God's Word: "Crucify, Crucify Him!" - Pastor Wes James

We Celebrate the Lord's Supper

- * We Sing In Response to the Word: #159 Black Hymnal "O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"
- * The Lord Sends Us Out (Benediction)

Sermon Outline Luke 23:6-25 "Crucify, Crucify Him!" 07-21-24

Proposition: United in their contempt for Jesus, the Jews demand that Pilate execute their King as they persistently cry out, "Crucify, Crucify Him!"

Main Point One: Herod's
Sub Point One: Pilate Sends Jesus to Herod
Sub Point Two: Herod's Desire to Meet Jesus
Sub Point Three: Jesus' Response
Sub Point Four: The Jews Contempt for Jesus
Sub Point Five: Herod and Pilate's Friendship
Main Point Two: Pilate's
Sub Point One: Jesus' Innocence
Sub Point Two: Pilate's Solution
Sub Point Three: What to do with Jesus?
Main Point Three: Jews
Sub Point One: "Release to us Barabbas"
Sub Point Two: The Irony of Barabbas
Sub Point Three: The Mob Riots "Crucify, Crucify Him!"
Sub Point Four: The Coming Judgment of God