

Sunday, March 16, 2014

8:30am

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As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord's presence.  
Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ who is here to meet you today.  
*"Be still and know that I am God."* Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE *"Meditation on Three Lenten Hymn Tunes" – Callahan*

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL  
(Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor)

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 99*

Leader: The Lord is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples.  
**People: Let them praise Your great and awesome name. Holy is He!**

\*HYMN *"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"* No. 446

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION  
**Faithful and unfailing Lord, Your love is everlasting and Your grace is overwhelming. You daily meet our needs and constantly provide solutions to real problems in our lives. We praise You for assurances that always are backed up by Your saving action. But we continue to doubt. We continue to think that You won't come through this time. Forgive us for our unbelief; lead us away from needing something more than what You have already given us. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray, Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE  
*[Please share Christ's peace with one another with handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]*

\*HYMN *"In the Cross of Christ I Glory"*  
**When the sun of bliss is beaming light and love upon my way,  
From the cross the radiance streaming adds more luster to the day.**  
(Children may come up front during the hymn for the Children's Message)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Jean Pontz

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING *Exodus 17:1-7 (OT p64)*

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING *James 1:5-8 (NT p228)*

SERMON **BOOK OF JAMES: "Is Doubting Sin?"** Rev. Robert Bronkema

\*HYMN *"My Song Is Love Unknown" (v. 1 Choir, vs. 2-5 All)* No. 76

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER *(pg. 16 in the hymnal)*

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD  
OFFERTORY *"How Can I Keep From Singing" – Carter* Chancel Choir

\*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.*

\*APOSTLES' CREED *(p.14 in the hymnal)*

"HYMN *"Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"* No. 81

\*BENEDICTION & RESPONSE  
**Jesus, remember me when You come into Your kingdom.  
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\*POSTLUDE: As a sign of our observance of Lent, no postludes will be played until Easter Sunday.

**NEXT WEEK**  
Proverbs 23:4-5  
James 1:9-11  
*"Some People Have it All"*

# *“Come As You Are”*

11:00am

\*Praise & Worship

*Endlessly*

*At Your Name*

*The More I Seek You*

Prayer & Peace

Children’s Message: Jean Pontz

Scripture Reading:

*Exodus 17:1-7; James 1:5-8*

Sermon                    **BOOK OF JAMES: “Is Doubting Sin?”**

\*Closing Song

*You Are*

\*Benediction

SERMON NOTES:

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