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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP: 8:30am / CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP: 11:00am
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP: 9:30am in Fellowship Hall / SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10:00

Sunday, January 11, 2015

8:30am

PRELUDE

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

(Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 129

Leader: The Lord is righteous, He has cut the cords of the wicked.

People: The blessing of the Lord be upon you!

We bless you in the name of the Lord!

*HYMN

"Blest Be the Tie that Binds"

No. 438

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

Faithful, everlasting, and loving God, from generation to generation You have strengthened and supported us with Your presence and Your guidance. You have shown us the way to live our lives with complete devotion to Jesus our Savior. You have reminded us of those who have gone before us and the path that they paved for Your kingdom. Help us to remember that we are not on this journey alone, and should we despair, to remember Your faithfulness in all generations. We pray this through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

*HYMN

"Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show"

Praise the Lord, Gods' glories show, Alleluia!

Saints within Gods' courts below, Alleluia!

Angels round the throne above, Alleluia!

All that see and share God's love. Alleluia!

CHILDREN'S SONG

"When the Saints Go Marching In"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Jean Pontz

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Joshua 1:5-7 (OT p194)

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 12:1-3 (NT p226)

SERMON: APOSTLES' CREED: FAITH 101

Rev. Robert K. Bronkema

"The Cloud of Witnesses"

*HYMN

"For All the Saints"

No. 526

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

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

"Ye Holy Angels Bright" - Thiman

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

"The Church's One Foundation"

No. 44

*BENEDICTION and RESPONSE

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me. Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God as our Father, brothers all are we. Let me walk with my brother in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now. With every step I take let this be my solemn vow. To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.

*POSTLUDE

"Come As You Are"

11:00am

Greeting & Announcements

*Praise & Worship

Holy is the Lord

Rescue

Cast My Cares

Prayer & Peace

Children's Message: Jean Pontz

Scripture Readings:

Joshua 1:5-7; Hebrews 12:1-3

Sermon: **APOSTLES' CRED: FAITH 101**

"The Cloud of Witnesses"

*Offering/Closing Song

Majesty

*Benediction

SERMON NOTES:
