

The Morning Worship

Liturgists

9:00am – *Kate Knutson, seminarian*

10:00 & 11:00am – *Pastor Morehouse*

The Prelude *Elegy*- - - - - James Biery

The Processional Hymn - - - - - **858:1, 2, 3**

(Please stand as you are able as the pastors enter the Chancel)

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!
Let all who hear now to his temple draw near,
joining in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning
and, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.
Have you not seen all that is needful has been
sent by his gracious ordaining?

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;
surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do
if with his love he befriend you.

The Invocation

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: Amen. *(Please sing)*

The Confession of Sins and Assurance of Forgiveness

Pastor: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you
and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Congregation: Amen. *(Please sing)*

Pastor: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is
not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will
forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Congregation: Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage
to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in
thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have
left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have
not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus
Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we
may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your
holy name. **Amen.** *(Please sing)*

Pastor: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die
for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who
believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of
God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: Amen. *(Please sing)*

The Hymn of Praise - - - - - **Page 140**

Refrain: This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to
be people of God. *Refrain.*

Power, riches, wisdom, and strength, and honor, blessing, and glory
are his. *Refrain.*

Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation:
blessing, honor, glory, and might be to God and the Lamb forever.
Amen. *Refrain.*

For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. *Refrain.*

The Salutation and Prayer of the Day

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you. *(Please sing)*

Pastor and Congregation: God of compassion, you have opened the
way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts,
that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your
realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord.

Amen. *(Please sing)*

(Please be seated)

The Lesson - - - - - **Exodus 19:2-8a** *(page 57)*

*Moses tells the Israelites they are called to be a priestly people. From the Lord's table,
we go out to extend God's grace to the world.*

The Gradual Hymn - - - - - **824:1, 3**

This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears
all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world; I rest me in the thought
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world; oh, let me not forget
that, though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father's world; why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is king, let heaven ring; God reigns, let earth be glad!

(Before the reading, please stand as you are able and sing)

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel - - - - - **Matthew 9:35-10:8** *(page 790)*

*The mission of Jesus' followers is to continue the mission of Jesus himself. We
proclaim the good news through our words and deeds.*

(After the reading, please sing)

Praise to you, O Christ.

The Profession of Faith - The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived
by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He
descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into
heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come
again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion
of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the
life everlasting. Amen.

(Please be seated)

The Welcome

The Offertory *My Life Flows on in Endless Song* Robert Lowry
Justin Staebell, baritone

(Please stand as you are able)

The Offertory Prayer

(Please be seated)

The Pulpit Hymn- - - - - **640:1, 2**

Our Father, by whose name all parenthood is known,
in love divine you claim each fam'ly as your own.
Bless mothers, fathers, guarding well, with constant love as sentinel,
the homes in which your people dwell.

O Christ, yourself a child within an earthly home,
with heart still undefiled to full adulthood come:
our children bless in ev'ry place that they may all behold your face
and, knowing you, may grow in grace.

The Sermon **Pastor Cornils**

"Grace in Action"

(Please stand as you are able)

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Words of Institution

The 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 trespasses, as we forgive
those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and
the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

(Please be seated)

