# DIVINE WORSHIP

# **Morning Service**

April 13, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

**Prelude** 

Welcome and Announcements

#### God Calls Us into His Presence

# \*Call to Worship

Psalm 107:1-2, 29-30

**Minister:** Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble

**All:** He made the storm be still, and the waves of the sea were hushed. Then they were glad that the waters were quiet, and he brought them to their desired haven.

#### \*Votum and Salutation

### \*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Our Father which 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*Hymn No. 247

We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator

# **God Cleanses Us from Sin**

Reading of the Law

Matthew 22:36-40

# **Corporate Confession of Sin**

Almighty God and Heavenly Father, we confess before You that we have sinned against Your holy law from our earliest days until now—in our thoughts, our words, our desires, and our actions, in ways too many to count, and above all, in our failure to trust You as we ought. We are not worthy to be called Your children or even to lift our eyes to heaven. O God, we grieve that we have offended You. Yet for the sake of Your steadfast love and for the glory of Your name, receive us once more into Your grace. Forgive all our sins through the finished work of our Lord Jesus Christ, and renew us by Your Holy Spirit, that we may walk in Your ways to the praise of Your glorious name. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon** 

1 Corinthians 1:23-25

## God Consecrates Us to His Service

#### \*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe** in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

**I believe** in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come 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.

\*Gloria Patri No. 572

#### **Receiving of Tithes and Offerings**

### **Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination**

\*Sermon Text Pg. 839-840 Sermon

Rev. John Gordv

Mark 4:35-41

Comfort in the Storm

# God Communes with Us and Puts His Blessing Upon Us

\*Hymn No. 459

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

The Lord's Supper\*\*

**\*Hymn** No. 532

Be Still, My Soul

#### \*Benediction

2 Thessalonians 3:16, 18

Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

\***Doxology** No. 567

\*Postlude

\*Please stand

\*\*The clear cups are wine, the tinted cups are grape juice

# **DIVINE WORSHIP**

# **Evening Service**

April 13, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

**Prelude** 

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 96:9-10

Minister: Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness;

All: tremble before him, all the earth!

Minister: Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns!

All: Yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved; he will judge

the peoples with equity."

\*Votum and Salutation

\*Invocation

\*Hymn No. 288

We Come, O Christ, to You

Catechesis Pg. 907

Canons of Dort, Third and Fourth Point, Article 6

**Old Testament Reading** Pg. 569

Isaiah 3:13-26

New Testament Reading Pg. 1015-1016

1 Peter 3:8-17

\*Psalm No. 119T

See My Distress and Save Me

# **Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination**

\*Sermon Text Pg. 700-701

Ezekiel 13:20-23 Dr. Steven G. Simmons

Sermon Dr. St When God Stands Against You—Part 2

\*Psalm No. 70

Make Haste, O God, to Save Me

\*Benediction

Ephesians 6:23-24

Peace be to the brothers, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible.

\*Postlude

\*Please stand