

## MORNING PRAISE Ordination and Installation Sunday July 12<sup>th</sup> 2020

STAND

### MORNING HYMN

(Sing) 1 Father, we praise you, now the night is over,  
Active and watchful, standing now before you.  
Singing, we offer prayer and meditation;  
Thus we adore you.

Bring us to heaven, where your saints united  
Joy without ending.

2 Monarch of all things, fit us for your mansions;  
Banish our weakness, health and wholeness  
sending.

3 All-holy Father, Son, and equal Spirit,  
Trinity blessed, send us your salvation.  
Yours is the glory, gleaming and resounding  
Through all creation.

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M: O Lord, open my lips.

C: **And my mouth shall declare your praise.**

M: Hasten to save me, O God.

C: **O Lord, come quickly to help me.**

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M: The Spirit of the Lord fills the world: let us  
worship him.

### God of Mercy, God of Grace

(Sing) 1 God of mercy, God of grace, Show the brightness  
of your face.  
Shine upon us, Savior, shine; Fill your Church with light  
divine,  
And your saving health extend To the earth's remotest end.

Let the nations shout and sing Glory to their Savior  
King,  
At your feet their tribute pay, And your holy will obey.

2 Let the people praise you, Lord! Be by all that live  
adored.

3 Let the people praise you, Lord, Then enjoy your  
rich reward!  
God to us his blessing give, We to God devoted live,  
All below and all above One in joy and light and love.

### LESSONS

#### Romans 7:15–25a (NIV84)

15 I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do.

16 And if I do what I do not want to do, I agree that the law is good.

17 As it is, it is no longer I myself who do it, but it is sin living in me.

18 I know that nothing good lives in me, that is, in my sinful nature. For I have the desire to do what is good, but I cannot carry it out.

19 For what I do is not the good I want to do; no, the evil I do not want to do—this I keep on doing.

20 Now if I do what I do not want to do, it is no longer I who do it, but it is sin living in me that does it.

21 So I find this law at work: When I want to do good, evil is right there with me.

22 For in my inner being I delight in God's law;

23 but I see another law at work in the members of my body, waging war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin at work within my members.

24 What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death?

25 Thanks be to God—through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself in my mind am a slave to God's law, but in the sinful nature a slave to the law of sin.

#### Matthew 11:25–30 (NIV84)

25 At that time Jesus said, "I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them to little children.

26 Yes, Father, for this was your good pleasure.

27 "All things have been committed to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

28 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.

29 Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

30 For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

### **Holy Spirit, Light Divine**

(Sing) 1. Chase the gloom of night away; Turn the darkness into day.

2 Holy Spirit, Love divine, Cleanse this guilty heart of mine;  
In your mercy pity me; From sin's bondage set me free.

3 Holy Spirit, Joy divine, Cheer this saddened heart of mine;

Fill me with your heav'nly peace; Let it grow and still increase.

4 Holy Spirit, Pow'r divine, Dwell within this heart of mine;  
Cast down ev'ry idol throne; Reign supreme and reign alone.

5 See, to you I give my heart; Cleanse my life in ev'ry part;  
Your own temple I would be Now and for eternity.

### **The SERMON**

#### **Holy God, We Praise Your Name**

(Sing) Holy God, we praise your name;  
Lord of all, we bow before you.  
All on earth your scepter claim;  
All in heav'n above adore you.  
Infinite your vast domain,  
Everlasting is your reign.

Holy Father, holy Son,  
Holy Spirit, three we name you;  
Though in essence only one,  
Undivided God we claim you,  
Then, adoring, bend the knee  
And confess the mystery.

LORD, HAVE MERCY

Kyrie

M: In the morning, O Lord, I call to you; be merciful to me and hear my prayer.

C: **(spoken) Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.**

LORD'S PRAYER

C: **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.**

PRAYER FOR GRACE

M: O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us safely to this new day. Defend us with your mighty power, and grant that this day we neither fall into sin nor run into any kind of danger; and in all we do, direct us to what is right in your sight, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.

C: **(spoken) Amen.**

M: Let us praise the lord.

C: **(spoken) Thanks be to God.**

BLESSING

M: The grace of our Lord (+) Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **(spoken) Amen.**