

Wednesday, March 13, 2024

'Guided to Trust'

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. 1 Timothy 1:15

Opening Hymn ... "Glory Be to Jesus" LSB 433; vrs. 1-2, 4, 6

Invocation and Call to Worship

- P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen.**
- P: We place our trust in many things and in many people, yet often that trust is misplaced. Things do not work out as we planned, and people may fail us.
- C: Where do we place our trust?
- P: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths" (Proverbs 3:5-6).
- C: How do we know that the Lord can be trusted?
- P: "He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?" (Romans 8:32). God sent his own Son to suffer and die on the cross for the sake of our salvation. In him, we place our trust, and he will never fail us.
- C: Lord, set the cross before us to guide us in trusting you.

Confession and Forgiveness

- P: Let us confess our sins to God, and ask his forgiveness.
- C: Almighty God, you have called us to trust in you and to acknowledge you in all our ways. Yet we often fail to trust you as we should. We would rather acknowledge our own desires instead of your will. We do not love others as we should. We follow the temptations of the world around us instead of walking in your ways. Have mercy on us and forgive our sins.
- P: The apostle Paul wrote, "The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners". God has had mercy on us and sent his Son to be our Savior. I announce to you that your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.
- C: Lord, lead us to walk in your ways and to trust you in all things.

Prayer of the Day

P: Almighty God...in Jesus' name. Amen.

Hymn ... "Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us " LSB 851; vrs. 1-2, 4

7:00 PM Children's Message

Old Testament Reading ... Proverbs 3:5-6

Epistle Reading ... 1 Timothy 1:15-17

Gospel Reading ... John 19:29-30

Sermon Hymn ... "Salvation Unto Us Has Come" LSB 555; vrs. 1, 6

Sermon

Apostles' Creed

Offering & Attendance/Involvement Cards (The Offering of Peace is exchanged during Offering)

Prayers

P: Our God and Savior, during this Lenten season,

C: Set the cross of Jesus before us to guide us in the way of trust.

Lord's Prayer

The Blessing

- P: Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.
- C: In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.
- P: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **C: Amen.**

Closing Hymn ... "I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus" LSB 729; vrs. 1-3, 6

Midweek Lenten & Holy Week Worship Services at Redeemer

Wednesday, March 13 11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Spaghetti

hosted by Confirmation

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Wednesday, March 20

II:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Vegetable Beef, Chili, & Potato Soups, Ham Sliders, Cornbread,

and Dessert

hosted by Bibi's Hope

Theme: 'Guided to Persevere'

Palm Sunday, March 24

Worship 6:30 PM Thursday, March 21; 8:15 & 10:45 AM

Sunday, March 24

Theme: 'Guided to Humility'

Maundy Thursday, March 28

II:30 AM & 7 PM Worship with Holy Communion

Theme: 'Guided to Service'

Good Friday, March 29

II:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

Theme: 'Guided to Sacrifice'

Easter Sunday, March 31

6:30 AM, 8:30 AM, & 10:30 AM Worship w/Holy Communion

Theme: 'Guided to New Life'

7:30-10 AM Redeemer Youth serve Easter Breakfast