



EMMANUEL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Morning Worship

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9:30 AM

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Prelude

Apostolic Greeting

- * **God's Call to Worship**
[Congregation – bold print]

Psalm 24:7-10

Lift up your heads, O gates!

And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

Who is this King of glory?

The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle!

Lift up your heads, O gates!

And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

Who is this King of glory?

The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!"

- * **Hymn of Praise #241**

O God Beyond All Praising

- * **Prayer of Adoration**

- * **Affirmation of Faith**

Apostles' Creed

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary;
suffered under Pontius Pilate;
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;¹
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit;
the holy catholic² church; the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.

¹He descended to the dead. ²Universal, Christian

* **Westminster Shorter Catechism**

[Minister – bold print]

Q. 79. Which is the tenth commandment?

A. The tenth commandment is, Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor anything that is thy neighbor's.

Q. 80. What is required in the tenth commandment?

A. The tenth commandment requireth full contentment with our own condition, with a right and charitable frame of spirit toward our neighbor, and all that is his.

Q. 81. What is forbidden in the tenth commandment?

A. The tenth commandment forbiddeth all discontentment with our own estate, envying or grieving at the good of our neighbor, and all inordinate motions and affections to anything that is his.

* **Confession of Sin**

O Almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor sinful being.

* **Assurance of Pardon**

John 3:16-18

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God."

* **Hymn of Thanks #181**

Now Thank We All Our God

Offertory Prayer

Reading of God's Word

Matthew 15:10-20

p. 821

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

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 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 of Preparation #397** *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

Reading of God's Word Proverbs 4:20-27 p. 530

Prayer for Illumination

Preaching of God's Word Rev. Dave Lort
"Guard Your Heart"

Prayer of Commitment & Dedication

* **Hymn of Response SB#19** *The Mighty God, the Lord*

* **God's Commission and Blessing**

* **Closing Response #567** *Doxology*

Postlude

*Please stand if you are able. SB – Songbook