

# THE LORD'S DAY ~ October 25, 2009

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.  
Reformation Sunday

## Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 105:1-3

\*Hymn of Praise (C151)

*"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"*

\*Invocation

\*Confession of Faith

*Leader: What is justification?*

People: Justification is the act of God's free grace by which He pardons all our sins and accepts us as righteous in His sight. He does so only because He counts the righteousness of Christ as ours. Justification is received by faith alone.

*Leader: What is adoption?*

People: Adoption is the act of God's free grace by which we become His sons with all the rights and privileges of being His.

*Leader: What is sanctification?*

People: Sanctification is the work of God's free grace by which our whole person is made new in the image of God, and we are made more and more able to become dead to sin and alive to righteousness.

*Leader: What benefits in this life go with or come from justification, adoption, and sanctification?*

People: The benefits that in this life go with or come from justification, adoption, and sanctification are: the assurance of God's love, peace of conscience, joy in the Holy Spirit, and growing and persevering in grace to the end of our lives.

Scripture Reading

Luke 18:9-14

Pastoral Prayer

## Confession of Sin

Almighty and most merciful Father; we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and there is no health in us. But You, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; According to Your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O merciful Father; that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 5:1-2

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

1 Chronicles 29:14

Offertory Special Music

*"God of This City"*  
*"A New Hallelujah"*

Mercy Uganda Choir

Prayer of Illumination

Psalm 119:93

Sermon

*"Justification by Faith Alone: Heaven's Gift"*  
Rev. Cory D. Colravy

Romans 3:21-26

\*Hymn of Response (Bulletin Insert)

*"Heaven's Gift"*

\*Charge and Benediction

2 Thessalonians 3:16a, 18

\*Hymn of Benediction (C233)

*"Grace, Love and Fellowship"*

\*Postlude

### Today's Worship Leaders:

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Pastor  
Rev. Robert S. Hayes, Associate Pastor  
R. Leigh Hinkle, Music Leader  
Douglas A. DeVries, Service Deacon

EVENING WORSHIP  
6:00 P.M.

Prelude

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 99:9

\*Hymn of Praise (T353)

*"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"*

\*Invocation

\*Hymn of Adoration (C351)

*"Amazing Love"*

Confession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism, Questions 108 - 109

*Leader: What is God's will for us in the seventh commandment?*

*People: God condemns all unchastity. We should therefore thoroughly detest it and, married or single, live decent and chaste lives.*

*Leader: Does God, in this commandment, forbid only such scandalous sins as adultery?*

*People: We are temples of the Holy Spirit, body and soul, and God wants both to be kept clean and holy. That is why he forbids everything which incites unchastity, whether it be actions, looks, talk, thoughts, or desires.*

Scripture Reading

II John 1:13

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

2 Corinthians 9:8

Offertory Hymn (Tune: "Immortal, Invisible")

Psalm 95:1-7

O come, let us joyfully sing to the LORD;  
To the Rock of salvation let us raise our voice.  
Let us come before him expressing our thanks;  
Let us with loud singing praise him and rejoice.

The LORD is the great God, King over all gods.  
The earth's deepest places he holds in his hand;  
The heights of the mountains belong to the LORD.  
The oceans are his, and he formed the dry land.

Come, let us bow humbly and worship the LORD;  
Let us kneel before him, our Maker, in prayer.  
For we are his people and he is our God;  
He shepherds and feeds us in his loving care.

Prayer of Illumination

Psalm 119:94

Sermon

James 2:14-26

"Justification by Faith That Is Not Alone"

Rev. Cory D. Colravy

\*Hymn Medley of Response

*"I Surrender All"* (C596, vv 1,4)

*"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"* (C597, vv 1,5,6)

\*Benediction

Romans 16:20

\*Postlude

THIS WEEK, October 25 ~ 31, 2009

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| Today     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Prayer Meeting, Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.</li><li>•Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.</li><li>•Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 - 10:25 a.m.</li><li>•Praise Band practice, Sanctuary, 5:30 p.m.</li><li>•Worship Service, 6:00 p.m.</li></ul>                         |
| Tuesday   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Men's Group, Conference Room, 11:15 a.m.</li><li>•WIC Bible study, Library, 11:15 a.m.</li></ul>   |
| Wednesday | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Chocolate Circle, Room 108, 6:00 p.m.</li><li>•Youth Group, Youth House, 6:30 p.m.</li><li>•Kid's Quest Catechism Club, 6:30 p.m.</li><li>•Adult Bible Study, Fellowship Hall, 6:30 p.m.</li><li>•Worship Committee meeting, Conference Room, 6:30 pm.</li></ul> |
| Friday    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Men's Prayer Group, Conference Room, 7:30 a.m.</li><li>•CCS Fall Festival, 5:00 p.m.</li></ul>   |

\*For those who are able, please stand.

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### *The Session*

Cory D. Colravy, Moderator  
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### *The Diaconate*

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