

THE LORD'S DAY ~ August 20, 2017

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

Preparation for Worship *Thank you for silencing all electronic devices.*

“The promise of glory is the promise, almost incredible and only possible by the work of Christ, that some of us, that any of us shall please God . . . to be loved by God, not merely pitied, but delighted in as an artist delights in his work or a father in a son ~ it seems impossible, a weight or burden of glory which our thoughts can hardly sustain. But so it is.”

~ C. S. Lewis

Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

A cry room for small children with televised worship is available in the Fellowship Hall during the service.

Prelude

“Come People of the Risen King” (1)

Come, people of the risen King, who delight to bring Him praise.
Come, all, and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace.
From the shifting shadows of the earth we will lift our eyes to Him.
Where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in.

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Let ev'ry tongue rejoice!
One heart, one voice, O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

Come, those whose joy is morning sun, and those weeping through the night.
Come, those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight.
For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease,
But follow us through all our days with the certain hope of peace.

Come, young and old from ev'ry land, men and women of the faith.
Come, those with full or empty hands; find the riches of His grace.
Over all the world His people sing; shore to shore we hear them call ~
The Truth that cries through ev'ry age: “Our God is all in all!”

Invocation

*Call to Worship Psalm 48:1

*Hymn of Praise *“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”* (C128)

*Hymn of Adoration *“Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners”* (T498)

*Confession of Faith Heidelberg Catechism Questions 92-95

Leader: *What does the Lord say in his Law?* (2)
People: God spoke all these words:

Leader: *THE FIRST COMMANDMENT*
People: I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. You shall have no other gods before me.

*For those who are able, please stand at these times.

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Leader: *THE SECOND COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not make for yourself a graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; you shall not bow down to them or serve them; for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

Leader: *THE THIRD COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

Leader: *THE FOURTH COMMANDMENT*
People: Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work; but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God; in it you shall not do any work you, or your son, or your daughter, your manservant, or your maidservant, or your cattle, or the sojourner who is within your gates; for in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day; therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.

Leader: *THE FIFTH COMMANDMENT*
People: Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land which the Lord your God gives you.

Leader: *THE SIXTH COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not murder.

Leader: *THE SEVENTH COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not commit adultery.

Leader: *THE EIGHTH COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not steal.

Leader: *THE NINTH COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

Leader: *THE TENTH COMMANDMENT*
People: You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant, or his maidservant, or his ox, or his ass, or anything that is your neighbor's.

Leader: *How are these Ten Commandments divided?* (3)
People: Into two tables. The first has four commandments, teaching us what our relation to God should be. The second has six commandments, teaching us what we owe our neighbor.

Leader: *What does the Lord require in the First Commandment?* (4)
People: That I, not wanting to endanger my very salvation, avoid and shun all idolatry, magic, superstitious rites, and prayer to saints or to other creatures.

That I sincerely acknowledge the only true God, trust him alone, look to him for every good thing, humbly and patiently, love him, fear him, and honor him with all my heart.

In short, that I give up anything rather than go against his will in any way.

Leader: *What is idolatry?* (5)
People: Idolatry is having or inventing something in which one trusts in place of or alongside of the only true God, who has revealed himself in his Word.

Responsive Scripture Reading Luke 10:25-37 (PB1063)

Hymn of Confession *Psalm 15* (Tune: T647)

LORD, who may stay within your tent, Your sacred dwelling-place?
And who upon your holy hill may live before your face?

Whoever walks a blameless path, who acts in righteousness,
And who will always from the heart sincerely truth express.

He casts no slur on anyone nor does his neighbor wrong;
He has no spite within his heart or slander on his tongue.

He honors those who fear the LORD; the worthless he'll despise.
He keeps the oath which he has sworn, however high the price.

He lends his money at no charge; no bribe can he endure.
Those who behave in life like this will always stand secure.

Call to Confession Romans 12:11; 13:11-12

Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before You our sinful nature~prone to evil and slothful in good~and all our shortcomings and offenses against You. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your ways, in wasting Your gifts, in forgetting Your love. O Lord, have mercy on us, who are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease You. Teach us to hate our errors, cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins for the sake of Your dear Son. And O most holy and loving Father, send Your purifying grace into our hearts, we beseech You, that we may henceforth live in Your light and walk in Your ways, according to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Hebrews 12:1-3

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings Matthew 16:26

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Offertory Hymn *“How Deep”* (Bulletin Insert)

Prayer of Illumination Psalm 119:102

Sermon Romans 1:16-17

Romans (29): A Gospel Preaching Introduction ~ G(29)



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“The Anatomy of Faith”
The Romans Series
Rev. Cory D. Colravy

*Hymn of Response *“By Faith”* (6)

By faith we see the hand of God; in the light of creation's grand design
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness; who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth, with the power of His promise in their hearts
Of a Holy City built by God's own hand: a place where peace and justice reign.

*We will stand as children of the promise; we will fix our eyes on Him, our soul's reward.
Till the race is finished and the work is done; we'll walk by faith and not by sight.*

By faith the prophets saw a day when the longed for Messiah would appear
With the power to break the chains of sin and death and rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith the church was called to go; and the power of the Spirit to the lost;
To deliver captives and to preach good news, in every corner of the earth.

By faith this mountain shall be moved and the power of the gospel shall prevail;
For we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon His name.

*Charge and Benediction Revelation 2:25

*Hymn of Benediction *“He Is Lord”* (C34)

*Postlude

THIS WEEK, August 20-26, 2017

- Today •Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.
•Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 - 10:25 a.m.
•Morning worship, 10:30 a.m.
- Monday •CCS First Day of School
- Wednesday •Praise Team Rehearsal, 5:15 p.m.
•Youth Group, 5:30 p.m.
•Men's Bible Study, 5:30 p.m., Room 108

Announcements

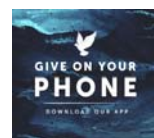
- ◆ **Nursery Next Week** Sunday School ~ Lexi Colravy
Morning Worship ~ Ann Bingham
- ◆ **Ushers Today:** John Moody, George Goehring, Warren Furches, Zeke Zechman
- ◆ **Ushers Next Week:** James Thompson, Joe Steele, John Armstrong, John Moody
- ◆ **Budget Summary:**

Weekly Operational Budget Requirement	\$	5,450.00
Tithes/Offerings, August 13, 2017	\$	3,407.21
FYTD Tithes/Offerings Received	\$	13,508.16
FYTD Operational Budget Expenses	\$	4,380.42
Mortgage Balance	\$	193,889.98

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COVENANT FAMILY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

- Esme Bahati, August 20th
- Tracy Mick, August 20th
- Tyler Moore, August 22nd
- Anna Denny, August 25th
- Roseanne Culpepper, August 26th

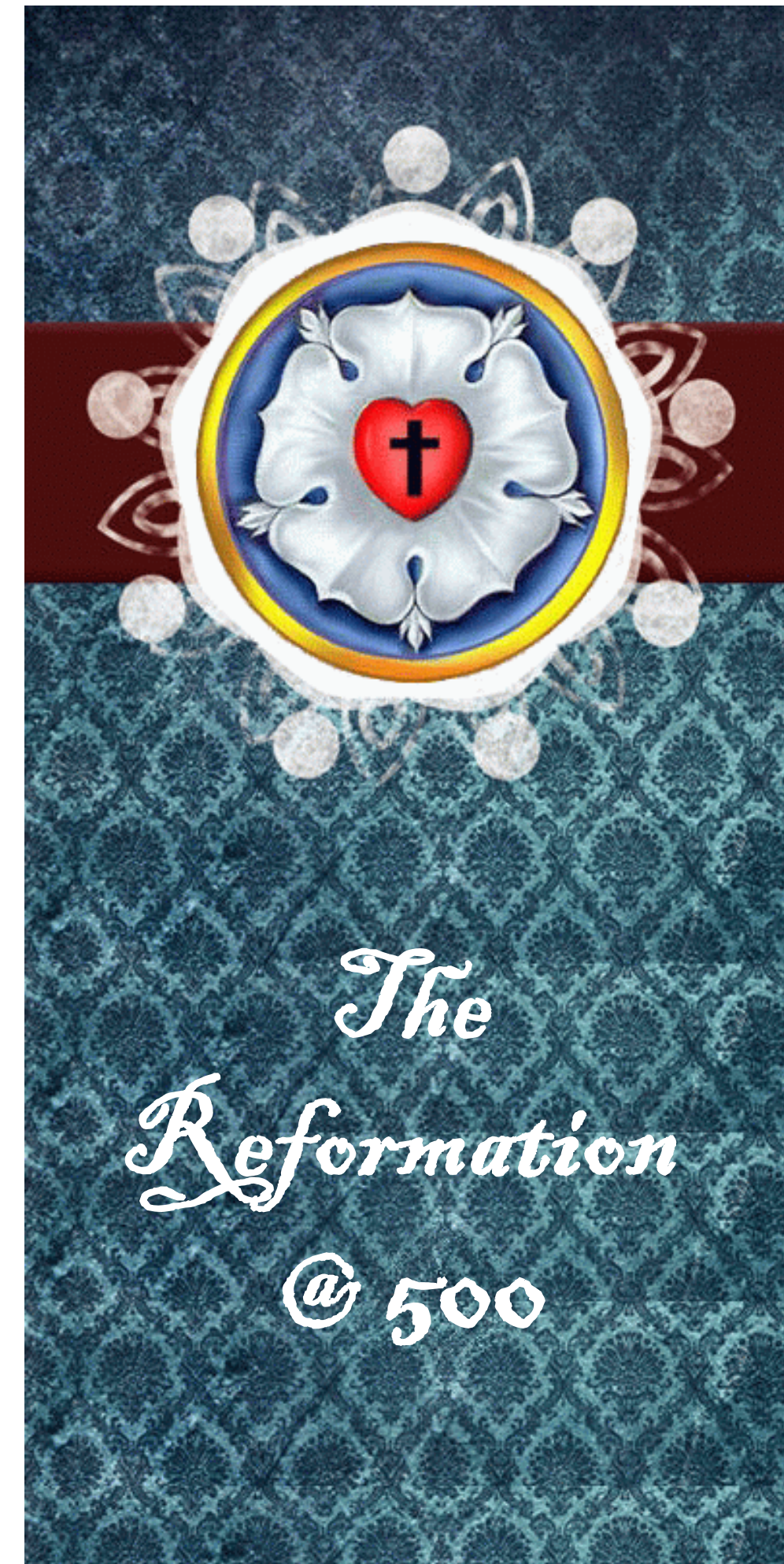
CPC On-Line Prayer Room

View the on-going prayer requests on the church website:
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AM Sermon Notes
Romans (29): A Gospel Preaching Introduction ~ G(29)
"The Anatomy of Faith"
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August Collection Items: "School Supplies Month"
pens, pencils, markers, notepads



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