



SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Grace Orthodox Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day - August 27, 2023 11:00 am

"I will extol the LORD at all times; His praise will always be on my lips.
My soul will boast in the LORD; let the afflicted hear and rejoice.
Glorify the LORD with me; let us exalt his name together."
-Psalm 34:1-3

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Hornfeld

SILENT PRAYER

SALUTATION

INVOCATION

*HYMN *"Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God"* TH11

THE LAW OF GOD Responsive Reading Exodus 20:1-17 (p.1049)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty, eternal God and Father, we confess and acknowledge unto you that we were conceived in unrighteousness and are full of sin and transgression in all of our life. We do not fully believe Your Word nor follow Your holy commandments. Remember Your goodness, we beseech You, and for Your name's sake be gracious unto us, and forgive us our iniquity, which, alas, is great. Amen.

-Martin Bucer

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: 1John1:9; 2:1-2

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

"My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world."

SCRIPTURE READING 2 Corinthians 5 (p.966)

PRAYER of the Covenant Community

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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.

OFFERING & ANTHEM: See insert for lyrics

*HYMN *"What Wondrous Love Is This"* TH261

*SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 44 (p.38)

SERMON *Pastor Hornfeld*

Testing and Transformation

*HYMN *"O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!"* TH535

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below:

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:

Alleluia, Alleluia,

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

*Stand if you are able