

Morning Worship – December 11, 2016

* Greeting

* Call to Worship

* Song of Praise

Hymn 196 – Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

* Hymn

Hymn 195 – Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come

Responsive Reading

Leader: Which is the second commandment?

People: The second commandment is, Thou shalt not make unto thee any 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: Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; and showing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments. (Shorter Catechism 49)

Corporate Confession of Sin

Leader: Our one and only Triune God, we confess that we have not worshiped you as you have commanded us to worship you.

People: We confess that we have not only created idols of things, and desired them more than you, but that we have created for ourselves our own ideas of who you are and what you have done, are doing, and will do.

All: Have mercy on us for this idolatry, and create in us clean hearts and pure minds, so that we might worship you in Spirit and Truth, as your Son Jesus Christ has taught us is your great desire.

Personal Confession of Sin (silent)

Assurance of Pardon

Therefore having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 5:1)

Responsive Song

Hymn 197 – Comfort, Comfort Ye My People

Old Testament Scripture Reading

Proverbs 6:6-11 & 26:12-16

New Testament Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 13

Hymn

Hymn 205 – Away in a Manger

Confession of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism 94-97 (insert)

Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

Sermon

Hebrews 6:9-12 – Inheriting the Promises of Salvation

Lord’s Supper

Offering

* Hymn

Hymn 203 – Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

* Benediction

* Doxology (#731)

Announcements

* Please stand if you are able

Join us for lunch after the worship service!

PRAYER REQUEST

We are glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs.

Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or in the prayer request box in our lobby.

Please pray for: _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

____ My request is confidential; I

would like to meet in person

Contact info: _____

Please share with us how God answers your prayer and meets your needs so that we may rejoice with you!