ST. STEPHEN REFORMED CHURCH (PCA) 249 E. Main St., New Holland, PA 17557 August 2, 2020

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Timothy Witmer

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 113:1-4)

"Praise, O servants of the Lord, Praise the name of the Lord!
Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time forth and forevermore!
From the rising of the sun to its going down The Lord's name *is* to be praised.
The Lord *is* high above all nations, His glory above the heavens."

HYMN #19 "Thee We Adore, Eternal Lord!"

1 Thee we adore, eternal Lord!
We praise thy name with one accord.
Thy saints, who here thy goodness see,
through all the world do worship thee,
through all the world do worship thee.

2 To thee aloud all angels cry, the heav'ns and all the pow'rs on high: thee, holy, holy, holy king, Lord God of Hosts, they ever sing, Lord God of Hosts, they ever sing.

3 Apostles join the glorious throng, and prophets swell th'immortal song; thy martyrs' noble army raise eternal anthems to thy praise, eternal anthems to thy praise.

4 From day to day, O Lord, do we exalt and highly honor thee!
Thy name we worship and adore, world without end, forevermore, world without end, forevermore.

INVOCATION

Nathan Titus, Pastoral Intern

MUSICAL OFFERING "Know My Heart" (based on Psalm 139) Benjamin Harlan Clair & Charlene Leaman

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 42

SERMON "Guilty!" Dr. Timothy Witmer

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN # 465 "Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord"

1 Marvelous grace of our loving Lord, grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt, yonder on Calvary's mount out-poured, there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

Refrain:

Grace, grace, God's grace, grace that will pardon and cleanse within; grace, grace, God's grace, grace that is greater than all our sin.

2 Sin and despair like the sea waves cold, threaten the soul with infinite loss; grace that is greater, yes, grace untold, points to the Refuge, the mighty cross. [Refrain]

3 Dark is the stain that we cannot hide, What can avail to wash it away? Look! there is flowing a crimson tide; Whiter than snow you may be today. [Refrain]

BENEDICTION Dr. Timothy Witmer

POSTLUDE Douglas Wimer, Organist