

The Order for the Worship of God

January 31, 2021

11:00 a.m.

“To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.”
(Revelation 1:5b-6)

Welcome and Announcements (Please turn your cell phone to “silent” mode. Thank you!)

Prelude *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* arr. Brandt Adams
Deborah Davis, piano and Norm Malenke, cello

Call to Worship from Philipians 2

PASTOR: Christ Jesus, being found in human form, humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore, God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

ALL: and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

*Hymn #296 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* words on back and on screen

Morning Prayers for Christ's Church and the World

Scripture Lesson Mark 1:21-28

Sermon Series on Mark #5 Rev. Dr. H. Andrew Silman

Please read the following prayer after which confess personal sins to God.

Great God of mercy and grace, we confess how prone our hearts are to wander from you. Even though you interposed your precious blood to rescue us from the death our sins deserved, we still easily wander astray like lost sheep. Instead of reverently trembling in awe and wonder before you and eagerly pursuing holiness, we turn aside after our idols, and ignore the life-giving statutes and wise rules you have laid down for us in your Word. Our eyes are filled with covetousness, our minds and mouths are filled with unclean thoughts and words. Our hearts are set firmly on things that will rust, break, decay, and die, instead of being devoted to the one who loved us and gave himself for us. Father, by your Word and Spirit, be at work in us more and more. Remove the numbness of our hearts toward you. Jesus, thank you for perfectly working out your own salvation and ours. You loved and obeyed your Father flawlessly while you lived on earth. You lived your life for us so we could live as we were created to live. Holy Spirit, continue to transform our hearts and renew our minds. Amen.

*Hymn #163 *At the Name of Jesus* words on back and on screen

Postlude Deborah Davis

*Congregation Stands. (Please feel free to be seated at any time.)

WELCOME TO ALL who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whoever will come this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

DR. SILMAN'S SERMONS are prerecorded and aired at 8:00 a.m. on WSQL Radio (1240 AM or 102.1 FM or may be accessed online at www.wsql.info) each Sunday. They are also emailed to those who are unable to attend worship in person. If you would like to receive the sermon by email and are not currently a recipient, please contact Leigh Lipsi to be added to the list (leighlipsi@gmail.com).

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN benefitting The Center for Women is underway. The return date on the bottles is Sunday, February 28th. Last year, an amazing \$27,000 was received as believers across the city and county stuffed the bottles with coins, cash, and/or checks. Due to COVID-19 the Spring Life Banquet and the 5k Reindeer Run (two important fund-raisers) were cancelled last year; nevertheless, there were 455 client visits, 7 fathers were mentored in our Fatherhood Ministry. Twenty-one babies were given life, and twenty women were given a free ultrasound which greatly influenced their decision to give life to their newly developing baby. Robin Moffitt says, “We are thankful to be a part of this life-saving and life-changing work. Through your support of this ministry, you also share an integral part of saving lives.”

ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME!

**All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name! Let angels prostrate fall.
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all. (repeat)**

**Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall,
Go, spread your trophies at his feed, and crown him Lord of all. (repeat)**

**Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe on this terrestrial ball,
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all. (repeat)**

**O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall.
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all. (repeat)**

AT THE NAME OF JESUS (Hymn Tune: ST. GERTRUDE)

**At the name of Jesus ev'ry knee shall bow,
Every tongue confess him King of glory now.
'Tis the Father's pleasure we should call him Lord,
Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.**

**Refrain: Christ shall have dominion over land and sea.
Earth's remotest rejoins shall his empire be.**

**In your hearts enthrone him; there let him subdue
All that is not holy, all that is not true.
Crown him as your Captain in temptation's hour:
Let his will enfold you in its light and pow'r. (Refrain)**

**Brothers, this Lord Jesus shall return again,
With his Father's glory, with his angel train.
For all wreaths of empire meet upon his brow,
And our hearts confess him King of glory now. (Refrain)**