

Providence Church

11:00 am July 14, 2024

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

* Opening Praise

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him, all creatures here below
Praise him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

* Call to Worship

From Psalm 66

Leader: Come and hear, all you who fear God.

People: And I will declare what He has done for my soul.

Leader: I cried to Him with my mouth.

People: And He was extolled with my tongue.

Leader: Jesus Christ is risen!

People: He is risen indeed!

* Hymn

With Joy Let Us Sing to the Lord

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Scriptural Exhortation

Psalm 51:1-5

Prayer of Confession: **O God our Father, You are holy and wise, and just and true in all Your ways. We confess we minimize You in our thoughts; our view of You is not high enough. We do not think of ourselves as ruined sinners before a completely just and holy God; all our sins condemn us. Dear Father, forgive us and pardon us through Christ's atoning sacrifice. We thank You for what our Lord Jesus has done for us on the cross; cleansing us, purifying us before You. What a blessing to**

know we have been restored to You. May we live in Your strength day by day. Through Christ our Lord we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

II Corinthians 5:17-21

* Hymn of Response

Jesus Calls Us

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* Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Larger Catechism

Q24: What is sin?

A24: Sin is any want of conformity unto, or transgression of, any law of God, given as a rule to the reasonable creature.

Q25: Wherein consists the sinfulness of that estate whereinto man fell?

A25: The sinfulness of that estate whereinto man fell, consisteth in the guilt of Adam's first sin, the want of that righteousness wherein he was created, and the corruption of his nature, whereby he is utterly indisposed, disabled, and made opposite unto all that is spiritually good, and wholly inclined to all evil, and that continually; which is commonly called Original Sin, and from which do proceed all actual transgressions.

Q26: How is original sin conveyed from our first parents unto their posterity?

A26: Original sin is conveyed from our first parents unto their posterity by natural generation, so as all that proceed from them in that way are conceived and born in sin.

Prayer of the Congregation and
The Lord's Prayer

Ruling Elder Terry
Larsen

**Our Father, Who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done, on 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.**

Hymn *Take my Life, and Let it Be* #538

Reading of Scripture for the Sermon Esther 2:19-22

Sermon Title: Rev. Harry Monroe

The Saints' Secular Callings

* The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
And born of the virgin Mary,
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven.
And is seated at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty.
From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
The communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
The resurrection of the body, and the life Everlasting.**

* Hymn *Soldiers of Christ, Arise* #540

* Benediction