

ORDER OF WORSHIP – December 6, 2020

***Call to Worship – Psalm 119:81-82**

“My soul longs for your salvation; I hope in your word. My eyes long for your promise; I ask, ‘When will you comfort me?’”

***Hymn of Praise: “Joy to the World” #195**

***Prayer of Adoration and The Lord’s Prayer**

Call to Confession: Psalm 119:116-117

“Uphold me according to your promise, that I may live, and let me not be put to shame in my hope! Hold me up, that I may be safe and have regard for your statutes continually!”

Prayer of Confession:

We need you to speak to us, O God, because we have, each in our own way, forgotten your Law, forgotten your love for us. We are in need of your deliverance, because we have, too often, given ourselves to powers and practices that would destroy us. We are lost, in need of rescue. Come, Lord Jesus; forgive us and restore us; guide us and deliver us; teach us and renew us. Come, Lord Jesus. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 119:174-176

“I long for your salvation, O LORD, and your law is my delight. Let my soul live and praise you, and let your rules help me. I have gone astray like a lost sheep; seek your servant, for I do not forget your commandments.”

Sacrament of Baptism – Sophia Honor Knaebel

***Hymn of Response: “Break Thou the Bread of Life” #251**

Scripture Reading: John 1:1-18

Pastoral Prayer – Mr. Bob Rhodes

***Scripture Reading: Hebrews 1:1-14**

Sermon: “The Incarnate Word”

***The Nicene Creed**

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;

And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Lord's Supper

Hymn of Response: "Rejoice, the Lord Is King" #310

Benediction: 2 Corinthians 13:14

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all."