Sierra View Presbyterian Church Liturgy Sunday, March 3, 2024

Welcome and Announcements: Rick Moore

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship Psalm 47

Pastor: Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy!

Congregation: For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared, a great king over all the earth.

Pastor: He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet.

Congregation: He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom he loves.

Pastor: God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.

Congregation: Sing praises to God, sing praises!

Sing praises to our King, sing praises!

Pastor: For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!

Congregation: God reigns over the nations; God sits on His holy throne.

Pastor: The princes of the peoples gather

as the people of the God of Abraham.

Congregation: For the shields of the earth belong to God; All: He is highly exalted!

Song of Adoration: Red Book #54- Open the Eyes of My Heart

Prayer of Invocation

Song of Praise: Hymn #688- Have Thine Own Way, Lord!

Song of Thanksgiving: Hymn #646- Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

Profession of Faith: Westminster Shorter Catechism

20. Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

God having, out of His mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, did enter into a covenant of grace, to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a redeemer.

21. Who is the redeemer of God's elect?

The only redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever.

Scripture Reading: Matthew 5:1-16

Confession of Sin
Eternal and merciful God,
you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding,
and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake.
Yet we have strayed from your way;
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
through what we have done and what we have left undone.
As we remember the lavish gift of your grace
symbolized in baptism, O God,
we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again.
Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin,
and to rise daily to new life in Christ,
who lives and reigns with you,
and in Jesus' strong name we pray. Amen

Assurance of Pardon Isaiah 44:21-22
Remember these things, O Jacob,
and Israel, for you are my servant;
I formed you; you are my servant;
O Israel, you will not be forgotten by me.
I have blotted out your transgressions like a cloud and your sins like mist;
return to me, for I have redeemed you.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession: Dennis Ferris

The Collection of Tithes and Offerings

Song of Preparation: Hymn #703 (Tune #715)- Loved with Everlasting Love

Sermon: Living out the New Self, part 2: The Love of God to us and through Us Scripture: Ephesians 4:25-32

Outline:

- I. Loved by God
- II. Living out of Love
- III. Forgiven by God
- IV. Forgiving Others

The Lord's Supper Invitation to Communicants Words of Institution Distribution of the elements Prayer of Thanksgiving

Closing Song: Hymn #726- Spirit of the Living God

Benediction