Sierra View Presbyterian Church Liturgy Sunday, July 28, 2024

Welcome and Announcements: Rev. Brandon Edmonds

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship Exodus 15:1-2, 11-13

Pastor: I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously;

the horse and his rider he has thrown into the sea.

Congregation: The LORD is my strength and my song,

and he has become my salvation;

Pastor: this is my God, and I will praise him,

my father's God, and I will exalt him. . . .

Congregation: Who is like you, O LORD, among the gods?

Pastor: Who is like you, majestic in holiness, awesome in glorious deeds, doing wonders?

Congregation: You stretched out your right hand;

the earth swallowed them.

All: You have led in your steadfast love the people whom you have redeemed;

you have guided them by your strength to your holy abode.

Song of Adoration: Hymn #345- Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

Prayer of Invocation

Song of Praise: Red Book \$32- How Great Is Our God

Song of Thanksgiving: Holy Forever

Profession of Faith: Westminster Shorter Catechism

70. What is the seventh commandment?

The seventh commandment is, You shall not commit adultery.

71. What is required in the seventh commandment?

The seventh commandment requires the preservation of our own and our neighbor's chastity, in heart, speech, and behavior.

72. What is forbidden in the seventh commandment?

The seventh commandment forbids all unchaste thoughts, words, and actions.

New Testament Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Confession of Sin

Pastor: Father, your love draws us to confess our sins.

Your love is greater than our deep brokenness.

Congregation: We have wandered our own way,

declared ourselves in charge of our lives,

and made ourselves outcast from you and others.

Pastor: Your love is greater than our blindness to our brokenness.

Congregation: We minimize our sin,

acting like we're fractured but not broken,

like we can get by on our own strength.

Pastor: Your love is greater than our complacency in our brokenness.

Congregation: We sometimes treat the truth of brokenness like a get out of jail free card.

We don't push forward and fight.

We under-believe that you can transform us.

All: Cover over our sins, Father, in the depths of your love.

Assurance of Pardon 1 John 4:15-18

Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God. So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him. By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world. There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession: Harry Jameson

The Collection of Tithes and Offerings

Song of Preparation: Hymn #108- Whate'er My God Ordains Is Right

Sermon text: Exodus 3:1-10

Children's Message

Sermon: "A Call from God", Rev. Ed Veldheizen

Outline:

Introduction: What is an authentic call from God?

I. The Call to Moses

The context

The Bush was the Presence of God

The Bush was the Power of God

II. The Message to Moses

- "I have heard"
- "I have remembered"
- "I have seen"
- "I have come down to deliver"
- "I will bring them"

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

Closing Song: Red Book #48- Go Tell He Is Risen

Benediction 2 Corinthians 13:14

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