



## Order of Service

*Twenty-Fourth Sunday After Pentecost*

*November 15th, 2009*

### ***God is Renewing Covenant With His People***

#### ***God Calls Us and Cleanses Us***

Prelude

Exhortation: Pastor Brito, *What are we doing on Sunday? Part VII*

Interlude

\*Call to Worship Psalm 130:1-4

Salutation:

Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit!

**People: Amen!**

The Lord be with you!

**And also with you!**

Our help is in the Name of our Lord,

**Who made heaven and earth!**

Confession of Sin (*The congregation is invited to kneel if able*)

**Unison: Almighty God, merciful Father, we are poor miserable sinners, confessing to you all our sins and iniquities with which we have ever offended you. We justly deserve your punishment now and forever. But we are heartily sorry for our sins, and sincerely repent of them, and we pray you of your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious to us, poor sinful beings. Lord, be gracious to us, for Jesus' sake we pray. *Silent Prayer.***

Assurance of Pardon: (*Rise and Hear the Word of the Lord*)

Pastor: The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in loving-kindness. He has not dealt with us according to our sins, nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. Know surely, your sins are forgiven through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen!**

\*Hymns of Faith: #501 Guide me, O Thou Great Jehovah  
Psalm 65, Genevan Psalter (insert)

**People: Amen!**

#### ***God Consecrates Us***

\*Responsive Psalm Psalm 16

Pastor: Guard me, O God,

**People: Because I take refuge in you!**

You have said to Yahweh, You are my Lord.

**There is nothing good for me apart from you.**

As for the holy ones who are in the land,

**They are also majestic. All my delight is in them.**

Multiplied are their troubles who set a bride-price with another.

**I will not pour out their libations of blood  
and will not take their names upon my lips.**

Yahweh is my allotted portion and my cup;

**You yourself will hold my lot.**

The boundary lines have fallen to me in pleasant places;

**Yes, my inheritance is pleasing to me.**

I will bless Yahweh who has counseled me;

**Yes, by night my heart instructs me.**

I have set Yahweh before me continually;

**Because he is at my right hand I will not be shaken.**

Therefore my heart is glad and my glory rejoices;

**Yes, my flesh will dwell in security,**

Because you will not abandon my soul to Sheol  
**Nor will you make your holy one to see decay.**  
You make known to me the path of life;  
Fullness of joys are with your face;  
**Pleasures are in your right hand forever.**

**All: Amen! Yes! Amen!**

Confession of the Apostles' Creed

*We confess our common faith with one voice as the people of God. Confess your Trinitarian faith remembering our Lord Jesus' promise: "Therefore whoever confesses me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven" (Matthew 10:32).*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into Hades, the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.  
Amen.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer Psalm 16:1

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen.

\*Reading of God's Word

Old Covenant Reading: Daniel 12:1-3

New Covenant Reading: Mark 13:1-13

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

\*Hymn of Faith: #175 Man of Sorrows!

**People: Amen!**

Pastor: This is our prayer, O Lord. **People: Amen.**

Sermon: Rev. Uriesou T. Brito

Text: Hebrews 10:19-25

Title: Hebrews: The Sacred Triad of Faith, Hope, and Love, Part IV, Final

Prayer for Illumination

### ***God Communes With Us***

Observance of Holy Communion

*God in His Word has graciously promised His children eternal life in Christ, and our Father has added this Communion meal as a confirmation of His unchangeable promise. The deacons and elders will serve the meal to the congregation. Please pass the elements to one another as the Body of Christ. Let us together take the cup and eat the bread, partaking worthily and discerning the Lord's body.*

Passing of the Bread (Singing Together #216 Crown Him with many Crowns)

Passing of the Wine (Passing the Peace of Christ to one another)

\*†Congregational Response *Gloria Patri*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end, Amen, Amen.

### ***God Commissions Us***

\*The Lord's Commission Matthew 28:18-20

\*Closing Hymn: #111 Thy Might Sets Fast the Mountains

†Benediction

\* Three-Fold Amen & Postlude

*\*The congregation will please stand*

†Hands Raised

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## ***Announcements***

### • **Calendar items**

- Sunday 15th, 4PM - Basics of the Reformed Faith at Trinitas.
- Sunday, 22nd - Fellowship Meal; End of the Church Calendar.
- Sunday, 29th – First Sunday of Advent.

### • **Cantus Christi Update**

- Mt. Zion Baptist has agreed to purchase our Baptist Trinity Hymnals. In light of that, we have reached our goal. We have ordered fifty copies of the Cantus Christi and intend to begin using our new Psalter-Hymnals by the beginning of Advent on November 29<sup>th</sup>.

### • **Hospitality Sunday schedule:**

- After worship this morning we invite you to gather for conversation and fellowship. Rev. James B. Jordan will continue his study through the book of Esther.

## ***This Week in Family Worship***

Scriptures: Isaiah 51:4-6; Psalm 93; Revelation 1:4b-8; Mark 13:24-37

## **Basics of Family Worship**

Parents are responsible to teach the Word of God to their children and make sure they understand what they hear from the pulpit on the Lord's Day (Deuteronomy 6:6-9). Set aside a brief time each day to sit down as a family and worship the Lord together. You can do the following three things in 15 minutes or less, but the benefits you reap will be eternal.

1. Sing a psalm/hymn.
2. Read a Scripture passage, and then discuss and apply it.
3. Pray together, taking your petitions to the Lord.

## ***Meditation for the Week***

God doth continue to forgive the sins of those that are justified; and, although they can never fall from the state of justification, yet they may, by their sins, fall under God's fatherly displeasure, and not have the light of his countenance restored unto them, until they humble themselves, confess their sins, beg pardon, and renew their faith and repentance.

—Westminster Confession of Faith

## **Sermon Outline:**

- I. Examples of Apostasy.
- II. Textual Observations: The Sacred Triad
- III. Baptismal Language and Infants
- IV. Application: Faith, Hope, and Love in the Community of Saints.

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## ***Welcome***

We extend a warm welcome to our guests this morning. We are glad you are joining in worship with Providence Church this Lord's Day, and we pray that your soul will be challenged and fed by the Word of Christ. We invite our guests to remain after the service so that our members may greet you.