SENDING GOD'S PEOPLE

Benediction

Pastor: May the LORD bless you and keep you; may the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; may the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace, both now and forevermore.

Number 6:24-26

All: Thanks be to God! Amen.

James 4:13-17

Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit"— ¹⁴yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. ¹⁵Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that." ¹⁶As it is, you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil. ¹⁷So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

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Fellowship Hall Service | February 16, 2020 Communion Sunday

RENEWING GOD'S PEOPLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

(Psalm 107:1-3, 8-9)

Leader: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

People: Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble

Leader: and gathered in from the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

People: Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!

All: For he satisfies the longing soul, and the hungry soul he fills with good things.

Hymns of Praise

Offering

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S PEOPLE

Greeting of Peace

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And also with you.

Children's church for 4 yrs old through 1st grade is available. Please walk your children to the PreK-K room (out the doors, to the right, and past the stairwell, on the same floor as the Fellowship Hall).

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading

James 4:13-17

Sermon

"What is your life?" Rev. Mike Haberkorn Assistant Pastor

TASTING GOD'S GRACE

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be,

so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your holy name, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Words of Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you. **People: And also with you.** Pastor: Lift up your hearts. **People: We lift them to the Lord.** Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

The Words of Institution

Words of Praise

Pastor: Christ, our Passover, was sacrificed for us. Alleluia.

People: Alleluia

Pastor: These are the gifts of God for the people of God. Take these in remembrance that Jesus Christ died for you. Feed on them in your heart by faith and drink remembering that Christ's blood was shed for you.

During the serving of Communion: Please come forward when you are ready, lining up in the center aisle. Please wait until the person has finished taking the elements before coming to an available elder. Receive the bread first from the elder and eat, followed by the cup. Return to your seat via the outside aisle.

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