



"LET YOUR
LIGHT

shine

BEFORE OTHERS,
THAT THEY MAY...

glorify your Father
IN HEAVEN."

— Matthew 5:16 —

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Wednesday March 9th, 2022 – Lenten Service

PRELUDES

RINGING OF THE BELL

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

- * OPENING HYMN *“Come THOU Fount Of Every Blessing”* #98
- * CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive) from Evangelical Catechism Question # 73
Leader: In our summary of the Second Article of the Christian Faith - Who is JESUS CHRIST?
- Cong: I believe that JESUS CHRIST – true GOD, begotten of the FATHER from eternity and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary – is my Lord.**
- Leader: What did CHRIST do for you?*
- Cong: HE has redeemed, purchased and delivered me, a lost and condemned creature, from all sins, from death and the power of Satan.**
- Leader: How did HE redeem you?*
- Cong: Not with silver or gold, but with HIS holy precious blood, and with HIS innocent suffering and death.**
- Leader: To what purpose did HE redeem you?*
- All: That I might be HIS own. Live under HIM in HIS Kingdom, and serve HIM in everlasting righteousness, innocence, blessedness, even as HE is risen from the dead, lives and reigns in all eternity Amen! Amen!**

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Our Heavenly FATHER: Forgive us that we have not lived in the righteousness YOUR SON has called us to. Forgive our wandering minds that we have not maintained our focus on CHRIST’S Kingdom and HIS return. And forgive these things we confess to YOU in this time of silence.

(please pray in silence)

All Knowing GOD: Help us to love and show mercy, walk humbly, to look forward to CHRIST'S Return and to let YOUR Light shine though us like a City on Hill so that YOU may draw others unto YOU, for we ask it in CHRIST JESUS' Name. Amen.

* ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

from Romans 8:1

There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in CHRIST JESUS, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the SPIRIT.

* RESPONSE

"Oh How HE Loves You"

vs 2 #170

JESUS to Calvary did go, HIS love for sinners to show.

What HE did there brought hope from despair.

Oh, how HE loves you; Oh, how HE loves me;

Oh, how HE loves you and me.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

OFFERING

* OFFERTORY

* RESPONSE

"HE is Lord"

#277

HE is Lord, HE is Lord! HE is risen from the dead, and HE is Lord!

Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess, that JESUS CHRIST is Lord.

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

READING FROM THE SACRED SCRIPTURE

Luke 23:39-43 (p 919)

MESSAGE *"Truly, I say to you, this day you shall be with ME in Paradise"*

* CLOSING HYMN

"To GOD Be The Glory"

#28

* BENEDICTION

I Corinthians 2:9

But, as it is written, "What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what GOD has prepared for those who love HIM"

*POSTLUDES

