

HEBRON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 19, 2014

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 A.M.

PRELUDE

Luis González

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Make a Joyful Noise

Chancel Choir

***RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP** ~ Psalm 100: 1-5

L: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the lands! Serve the LORD with gladness!

P: Come into his presence with singing! Know that the LORD is God!

L: It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

P: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

L: Give thanks to him, bless his name! For the LORD is good;

P: His steadfast love endures for ever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

***UNISON OPENING PRAYER** ~ From the PCUSA *Book of Common Worship*

Eternal Father, God of power and love, you raised Jesus from death to life, resplendent in glory to rule over all creation. Free the world to rejoice in his peace, to glory in his justice, and to live in his love. Unite all humanity in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you, and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

***OPENING HYMN**

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

#97

CALL TO CONFESSION

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION ~ From the PCUSA *Book of Common Worship*

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, and we are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world, honoring those economic and cultural structures to which we submit. We neglect our commitment to you, and we fail to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim Jesus as ruler of all, so that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of Jesus Christ our Lord.

(Silent prayer and personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

***GLORIA PATRI**

#813

ANTHEM

African Psalm

Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S LESSON (*Preschool through 2nd grade children may be led to Junior Church following the children's message. Older children's bulletins are in the vestibule.*)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON ~ Deuteronomy 10: 12-15, 17, 20-21 ~ Page 161 in the pew Bible

[Moses said] "And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you, but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all his ways, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to keep the commandments and statutes of the LORD, which I command you this day for your good? Behold, to the LORD your God belong heaven and the heaven of heavens, the earth with all that is in it; yet the LORD set his heart in love upon your fathers and chose their descendants after them, you above all peoples, as at this day... For the LORD your God is God of gods and Lord of lords, the great, the mighty, and the terrible God, who is not partial and takes no bribe... You shall fear the LORD your God; you shall serve him and cleave to him, and by his name you shall swear. He is your praise; he is your God, who has done for you these great and terrible things which your eyes have seen."

1st GOSPEL LESSON ~ Matthew 22: 15-22 ~ Page 857 in the pew Bible

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, showing deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar, or not?" But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" They answered, "Caesar's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away."

2nd GOSPEL LESSON ~ John 18: 33-37 ~ Page 943 in the pew Bible

Pilate entered the praetorium again and called Jesus, and said to him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?" Pilate answered, "Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me; what have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingship is not of this world; if my kingship were of this world, my servants would fight, that I might not be handed over to the Jews; but my kingship is not from the world." Pilate said to him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I have come into the world, to bear witness to the truth. Every one who is of the truth hears my voice."

L: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Rendering Unto Caesar" Rev. Frank Wyche
***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles' Creed* Inside front cover of hymnal
***HYMN** *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord* #405
 OFFERING AND OFFERTORY
***DOXOLOGY** #815
 PRAYER OF DEDICATION
 JOYS AND CONCERNS
 MORNING PRAYER AND **THE LORD'S PRAYER** (...debtors/debtors...)
***HYMN** *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* #682
***BENEDICTION**
***CHORAL RESPONSE** *The Lord Bless You and Keep You* Chancel Choir
 POSTLUDE Luis González

*Those who are able may stand.

BOLDFACE TYPE indicates words spoken or sung by the congregation.

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Hannah Bush
 Tom Cook
 Lorrie Dean
 Robin Moyer
 Doug Trimble

Class of 2016

Jan Botkin
 Allen Martin
 Jim McGavock
 Ross Shull
 Joann Weikert

Jesus said, "You shall
 worship the Lord
 your God, and him
 only shall you serve."

~Matthew 4:10b

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