NOVEMBER 30, 2025

THE LORD'S DAY

10:00 AM 10:35 AM Sunday School Congregational Prayer

11:00 AM

Morning Service

— Prelude —

Announcements

Call to Worship

*Hymn #86 NUN DANKET "Now Thank We All Our God"

*Prayer of Invocation

Offertory

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, Who wert and art and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth, and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Scripture Reading

Choral Anthem

"No Night There"

God is with us; God is for us; Do not be afraid.

There shall be no night there, no crying there, God shall wipe away every tear from their eyes.

Even in the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil;

Lo, I am with you always, even to the end;

I am with you to the end.

Pastoral Prayer

*Hymn #69 RIPLEY "Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee"

Sermon

"Serve the Lord with Gladness"

It pleased God, in His eternal purpose, to choose and ordain the Lord Jesus, his only begotten Son, according to the covenant made between them both, to be the mediator between God and man; the prophet, priest, and king; head and saviour of the church, the heir of all things, and judge of the world; unto whom he did from all eternity give a people to be his seed and to be by him in time redeemed, called, justified, sanctified, and glorified.

The Son of God, the second person in the Holy Trinity, being very and eternal God, the brightness of the Father's glory, of one substance and equal with him who made the world, who upholdeth and governeth all things he hath made, did, when the fullness of time was come, take upon him man's nature, with all the essential properties and common infirmities thereof, yet without sin; being conceived by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mary, the Holy Spirit coming down upon her: and the power of the Most High overshadowing her; and so was made of a woman of the tribe of Judah, of the seed of Abraham and David according to the Scriptures; so that two whole, perfect, and distinct natures were inseparably joined together in one person, without conversion, composition, or confusion; which person is very God and very man, yet one Christ, the only mediator between God and man.

The Lord Jesus, in his human nature thus united to the divine, in the person of the Son, was sanctified and anointed with the Holy Spirit above measure, having in Him all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge; in whom it pleased the Father that all fullness should dwell, to the end that being holy, harmless, undefiled, and full of grace and truth, he might be throughly furnished to execute the office of mediator and surety; which office he took not upon himself, but was thereunto called by his Father; who also put all power and judgement in his hand, and gave him commandment to execute the same.

This office the Lord Jesus did most willingly undertake, which that he might discharge he was made under the law, and did perfectly fulfil it, and underwent the punishment due to us, which we should have borne and suffered, being made sin and a curse for us; enduring most grievous sorrows in his soul, and most painful sufferings in his body; was crucified, and died, and remained in the state of the dead, yet saw no corruption: on the third day he arose from the dead with the same body in which he suffered, with which he also ascended into heaven, and there sitteth at the right hand of his Father making intercession, and shall return to judge men and angels at the end of the world.

The Lord Jesus, by his perfect obedience and sacrifice of himself, which he through the eternal Spirit once offered up unto God, hath fully satisfied the justice of God, procured reconciliation, and purchased an everlasting inheritance in the kingdom of heaven, for all those whom the Father hath given unto Him.

London Baptist Confession of Faith of 1689, Chapter VIII "Of Christ the Mediator," Sections 1-5

Benediction

— Postlude—

6:00 PM Evening Service

— Prelude —

Announcements

Offertory

"O Worship the King"

O worship the King all glorious above, O gratefully sing his power and his love; Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of his might, O sing of his grace, Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space. His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, And dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end, Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

Hymn #83 KREMSER "We Praise Thee, O God"

Hymn #397

"I Sought the Lord"

PEACE

Hymn #442 "Behold the Amazing Gift of Love"

ST. STEPHEN

Hymn #608

"Safe in the Arms of Jesus"

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Hymn #188 FOUNTAIN "There Is a Fountain"

Hymn #258

"The Spirit Breathes Upon the Word"

ORTONVILLE

Hymn #720

"The Child of a King"

THE CHILD OF A KING

"It Is Well"

Hymn #580 IT IS WELL

Benediction

— Postlude—

*congregation standing