



ORDER FOR THE
PUBLIC WORSHIP *of* GOD

July 24, 2016



WORSHIP REFLECTIONS

*As you enter the Sanctuary, please prepare your heart for worship
and silence your mobile devices.*

The focus of our worship service this morning is experiencing the freedom of contentment that serves as the antidote to not coveting (Exodus 20:17). To covet means to desire intensely. Interestingly the prophet Haggai calls the Messiah the “desire of all nations.” Let us pray for Jesus, the desire of all nations, to come into our hearts and reorder our disordered desires and inordinate longings.

I would not have known about coveting if the Law had not said, “You shall not covet.” But sin, taking opportunity through the commandment, produced in me coveting of every kind; for apart from the Law sin is dead... Wretched man that I am! Who will set me free from the body of this death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! — Paul in Romans 7:7-8, 24-25

“The envy that the tenth commandment forbids is not only a desire for something that belongs to someone else. It is our desire for anything that would draw us away from contentedly loving and serving God wherever in His good providence He has placed us.” — Edmund Clowney

WORSHIP YOUR HEAVENLY KING JOYFULLY

ORGAN PRELUDE: “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” Paul Manz
Samuel Metzger, organ

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE: “Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence” . . Duane Funderburk

*Let all mortal flesh keep silence, and with fear and trembling stand;
Set your minds on things eternal, for with blessing in his hand
Christ our God to earth descended, come our homage to command.*

*At his feet the six-winged seraph, cherubim with sleepless eye
Veil their faces to his presence, as with ceaseless voice they cry:
“Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, Lord Most High!”*

Hannah Hart, violin; Joshua Hart, cello

CALL TO WORSHIP Joshua D. Yates

♠HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 77 “Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven” ANDREWS

♠PRAYER OF ADORATION

SACRAMENT OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM

8:15

*Bryce William Bowie, born December 8, 2015, son of Emily and Sean Bowie
Austin Mae Grimm, born March 20, 2016, daughter of Jessica and Warren Grimm
Elizabeth Harris Tuck, born March 31, 2016, daughter of Suzanne and Greyson Tuck*

11:00

*Evelyn Grace Goodin, born February 15, 2016, daughter of Jennifer and Michael Goodin
Audrey Elizabeth O’Hare, born December 28, 2015, daughter of Virginia and Micah O’Hare
Ava Bowling Anderson, born March 10, 2016, daughter of Jennifer and Will Anderson*

PARENTAL VOWS

Do you acknowledge your child’s need of the cleansing blood of the Lord Jesus Christ and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?

Do you claim God’s covenant promises on his behalf, and do you look to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do for your own?

Do you unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before him a godly example, that you will pray with and for him, that you will teach him the sacred Scriptures, and that you will strive, by all the means that God provides you, to bring him up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

CONGREGATIONAL VOW

Do you undertake the responsibility to assist these parents in the Christian nurture of their child?

SONG OF ENCOURAGEMENT: "Jesus Loves You" JESUS LOVES ME

**Jesus loves you, this we know, for the Bible tells us so;
Little ones to Him belong, you are weak but He is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves you! Yes, Jesus loves you!
Yes, Jesus loves you! The Bible tells us so.**

DESIRE YOUR HEAVENLY LORD SUPREME

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

You shall not covet.

*Am I contentedly loving and serving God
wherever in His good providence He has placed me?*

Am I envying or grieving at the prosperity of my neighbor?

*Am I trusting the all-sufficient Lord to meet my physical needs
and transform the desires of my heart?*

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

♣HYMN OF ASSURANCE: No. 520 "Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness" GERMANY

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS. Michael G. Stokke

*Today, we are collecting a special offering for the Caring Ministry Fund.
This fund assists those in need among our members and in our community.
If you would like to contribute, please use the special envelope in the pew rack
or mark your check "for Caring Ministry."*

INSTRUMENTAL OFFERTORY:

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" Duane Funderburk

*Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.
Thou reignest in glory, thou dwellest in light,
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
All praise we would render; O help us to see
'Tis only the splendor of light hideth thee!*

♣DOXOLOGY TALLIS CANON

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

♣PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

LOVE YOUR EARTHLY NEIGHBOR DEVOTEDLY

✦ GREETINGS

A WORD TO THE CHILDREN (8:15)

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on 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, forever. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Exodus 20:1-2, 17. William R. Jorgensen (8:15)
(page 61 in the pew Bible) Brandon G. Morrison (11:00)

All flesh is grass, and all its beauty is like the flower of the field;

**The grass withers, the flower fades,
but the Word of our God will stand forever. Amen.** (Isaiah 40:6b, 8)

SERMON *The Ten Commandments: No Coveting* T. Barton Kimbro

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦ HYMN OF COMMITMENT:

No. 457 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" NETTLETON

✦ BENEDICTION

✦ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE SPIRITUS VITAE

Teach us, Lord God, to love your pre - cepts, the good com -
mand - ments of your law. Give us the grace to keep your
stat - utes with thank - ful - ness and prop - er awe.

ORGAN POSTLUDE: "Toccata" from *Symphony No. 5*. Charles-Marie Widor

✦ *Indicates congregation standing*

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