

# MORNING WORSHIP

November 12, 2023 – 10:00 AM

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Prelude  
Greeting

## APPROACHING GOD

*(Lord, may your holy name be praised in all the earth!)*

\*Call to Worship *(In the bulletin)* **Philippians 2:5-11**

\*Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

\*Opening Hymn **Trinity Psalter #270**  
*At the Name of Jesus*

\*Confession of Faith **Larger Catechism Q-41, 42, 54**

**Q 41: Why was our mediator called Jesus?**

**Answer:** *Our mediator was called Jesus, because he saveth his people from their sins.*

**Q 42: Why was our mediator called Christ?**

**Answer:** *Our mediator was called Christ, because he was anointed with the Holy Ghost above measure; and so set apart, and fully furnished with all authority and ability, to execute the offices of prophet, priest, and king of his church, in the estate both of his humiliation and exaltation.*

**Q 54: How is Christ exalted in his sitting at the right hand of God?**

**Answer:** *Christ is exalted in his sitting at the right hand of God, in that as God-man he is advanced to the highest favor with God the Father, with all fullness of joy, glory, and power over all things in heaven and earth; and doth gather and defend his church, and subdue their enemies; furnisheth his ministers and people with gifts and graces, and maketh intercession for them.*

\*Congregation Standing

## CONFESSING OUR SINS TO GOD

*(Lord, forgive us our sins according to your steadfast love.)*

God's Standard of Righteousness *(p. 1253)* **Colossians 3:1-4**

Prayer of Confession

God's Promise of Forgiveness in Christ **Isaiah 53:4-6**

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving **Trinity Psalter #336**  
*O Sacred Head, Now Wounded*

## HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

*(Lord, teach us your Word, that we may walk in your truth.)*

Sermon Text *(p. 1157)* **Acts 2:14-41**

**Sermon** "PENTECOST: THE LORDSHIP OF CHRIST"

## RESPONDING TO GOD

*(Lord, we gladly give you our praise, our gifts, and our lives.)*

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

\*Hymn of Response **Trinity Psalter #377**  
*Join All the Glorious Names*

Prayer of Intercession

## COMMUNING WITH CHRIST

*(Lord, form Christ in us so that we would reflect your glory.)*

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

\*Closing Hymn **Trinity Psalter #570**  
*Doxology*

\*Benediction

**WE WELCOME ALL OUR VISITORS:** *It is a joy to have you join us in fulfilling man's highest calling, namely the worship of our holy God!*

## Philippians 2:5-11

## SERMON NOTES

<sup>5</sup>Have this mind among yourselves,

which is yours in Christ Jesus,

<sup>6</sup>who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,

<sup>7</sup>but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

<sup>8</sup>And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

**<sup>9</sup>Therefore God has highly exalted him**

**and bestowed on him the name**

**that is above every name,**

**<sup>10</sup>so that at the name of Jesus**

**every knee should bow,**

**in heaven and on earth and under the earth,**

**<sup>11</sup>and every tongue confess**

**that Jesus Christ is Lord,**

**to the glory of God the Father.**