

WELCOME TO EMMANUEL CHAPEL OF HELENA



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— C H A P E L —

FEBRUARY 01, 2015

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome and Announcements

Song of Preparation *O God of Earth and Alter* CC 369

God Calls Us into His Holy Presence

Psalm 11.1-7

Minister: In the LORD I take refuge; how can you say to my soul, Flee like a bird to your mountain

Congregation: **For behold, the wicked bend the bow; they have fitted their arrow to the string to shoot in the dark at the upright in heart;**

Minister: If the foundations are destroyed, what can the righteous do?

Congregation: **The LORD is in his holy temple; the LORD's throne is in heaven; his eyes see, his eyelids test the children of man.**

Minister: The LORD tests the righteous, but his soul hates the wicked and the one who loves violence.

Congregation: **For the LORD is righteous; He loves righteous deeds; the upright shall behold his face.**

Hymn* *Come, Thou Almighty King* CC 345

Prayer of Praise

Minister: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

Congregation: **Amen!**

Minister: The Peace of the Lord be with you.

Congregation: **And Also with you.**

Minster: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

Congregation: **Maker of heaven and earth!**

Corporate Reading (Matthew 20:34-40)

Minister: But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together. And one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. "Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?"

Congregation: **And he said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets."**

God Cleanses His People

Corporate Confession of Sin

Psalm 51.1-2

(The congregation is invited to kneel as we pray)

Unison: Heavenly Father, though You bid me approach You, I am not unmindful of my sins. The perfection of Your holiness towers ever above me. I acknowledge that Your Holy Spirit deals mercifully with me in giving me to see my shortcomings and transgressions. I confess my waywardness and earnestly plead for Your forgiveness. If You see in me any wrong thing encouraged, any evil desire cherished, any delight that is not Your delight, any habit that grieves You, any nest of sin in my heart, grant me ready confession, forgiveness, and genuine repentance. Teach my feet to walk in Your commandments and forgive me my sins this day. Through Your grace, help me to wrestle successfully against weakness, confronting in my life those habits of thinking and behaving which fall short of Your glory and bring dishonor upon Your name. Give me power through Your Holy Spirit to live in Christ as Your child - in all my actions - that I might love You and love my neighbor as myself. In Christ's name, I pray. Amen.

Silent Prayer

*Congregation stands as able

Declaration of Forgiveness* Psalm 30.10-12

Minister: Your sins are forgiven through Christ!

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

Psalm 56 *Be Gracious Unto Me, O God* CC 88

God Equips and Prepares His People

Westminster Shorter Catechism (Questions 14-16)

Minister: Question 14. What is sin?

Congregation: **Sin is any want of conformity unto, or transgression of, the law of God**

Minister: Question 15. What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?

Congregation: **The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created, was their eating the forbidden fruit.**

Minister: Question 16. Did all mankind fall in Adam's first transgression?

Congregation: **The covenant being made with Adam, not only for himself, but for his posterity; all mankind, descending from him by ordinary generation, sinned in him, and fell with him, in his first transgression.**

The Reading of God's Word

Old Testament Reading Exodus 7.1-13
New Testament Reading 1 Timothy 4.1-16

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

Prayer 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.

Psalm 34 *In Every Time I'll Always Bless the Lord* CC 60

The Preaching of God's Word ~ "Honor Those in Authority" ~ Exodus 20.12

Psalm 62 *In God Alone My Soul Finds Rest* CC 90

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings*

Doxology CC 437

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

Congregation: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Congregation: It is right for us to give thanks.

Minister: It is truly fitting and right and our joyful duty to give thanks to the Lord our God. And now, in the company of angels, archangels and all the Heavenly hosts, we magnify and glorify Thy name together singing...

**Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord,
God of pow-er, God of might,
Heaven and earth, are filled with your glo-ry,
Ho-san-na in the high-est,
Bles-sed is He, who comes in the name of the Lord,
Ho-san-na in the high-est, Ho-san-na in the high - est.**

God Communes With His People

Hymn* *At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing* CC 204 ~ Stanzas 1-2 (Communion – Bread)

The Bread and the Wine

(It is our practice to remain seated for the Lord's Supper as the bread and cups of wine are passed down the rows. Additionally, we hold the elements until all have been served. You are welcome to participate if you are a baptized Christian, a follower of Jesus Christ, and a faithful member or adherent of this or some other Christian Church.)

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing CC 204 ~ Stanzas 3-4 (Communion – Wine)

Hymn* *How Great Thou Art* **Bulletin, page 5**

God Blesses and Sends His People

Benediction

Gloria Patri CC 436
(The congregation is invited to lift their hands)

HOW GREAT THOU ART

O Lord my God, When I in awesome wonder,
Consider all the worlds Thy Hands have made;
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

*Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, How great Thou art.
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When through the woods, and forest glades I wander,
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees.
When I look down, from lofty mountain grandeur
And see the brook, and feel the gentle breeze.

Refrain

And when I think, that God, His Son not sparing;
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in;
That on the Cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

Refrain

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.
Then I shall bow, in humble adoration,
And then proclaim: "My God, how great Thou art!"

Refrain

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Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 9am – 5pm

Sunday School ~ 9:00-9:45am

Lord's Day Worship ~ 10am

Wednesday Evening Study ~ 5:30pm

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR FEB 01, 2015

Sunday School ~ Feb. 8 (9-9:45) – the topic is the Trinity

Women's Bible Study and Children's beginning Feb 3

- 1) Children's Study 10:30-11:30 – "First Catechism"
- 2) 11:30-12 Lunch (*provided*)
- 3) Women's Bible Study at 12-1 pm (Book of Romans)