St. Mark’s Worship Sunday October 11, 2020

Welcome to our Online Worship

**Welcome and Announcements**

***Blest Are They Verse 1,2 ELW 728***

Blest are they, the poor in spirit;

theirs is the kingdom of God.

Blest are they, full of sorrow;

they shall be consoled.

*Refrain*

Rejoice and be glad!

Blessed are you, holy are you.

Rejoice and be glad!

Yours is the kingdom of God!

Blest are they, the lowly ones;

they shall inherit the earth.

Blest are they who hunger and thirst;

they shall have their fill.

*Refrain*

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Rejoice and be glad!

Yours is the kingdom of God!

**Mission Statement**

**“** Celebrating God’s Love and Forgiveness, We serve others”

***Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Verse 1,2 ELW 858***

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!

O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!

Let all who hear now to his temple draw near,

joining in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning

and, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.

Have you not seen all that is needful has been

sent by his gracious ordaining?

**Call to Worship**

P: Let’s begin worship in the name of the Father, and the Son and of the Holy Spirit

**C: Amen**

**Confession and Forgiveness**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who creates, redeems, and sustains us and

all of creation.

**C: Amen**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection*

P: Faithful God,

**C:** **have mercy on us.**

**We confess that we are captive to sin** **and cannot free ourselves.**

**We turn from your loving embrace** **and go our own ways.**

**We pass judgment on one another** **before examining ourselves.**

**We place our own needs before those of our neighbors.**

**We keep your gift of salvation to ourselves.**

**Make us humble, cast away our transgressions,** **and turn us again to life in you**

**through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P: God hears the cries of all who call out in need, and through his death and

resurrection, Christ has made us his own. Hear the truth that God proclaims:

Your sins are forgiven in the name of ☩ Jesus Christ. Led by the Holy Spirit, live

in freedom and newness to do God’s work in the world.

**Amen.**

**Prayer of the Day**

Lord of the feast, you have prepared a table before all peoples and poured out

your life with abundance. Call us again to your banquet. Strengthen us by what is

honorable, just, and pure, and transform us into a people of righteousness and

peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen**

***Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Verse 3,4 ELW 858***

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;

surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.

Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,

if with his love he befriend you.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore him!

All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him!

Let the amen sound from his people again.

Gladly forever adore him!

**Psalm 23 The Message**

God, my shepherd!  
    I don’t need a thing.  
You have bedded me down in lush meadows,  
    you find me quiet pools to drink from.  
True to your word,  
    you let me catch my breath  
    and send me in the right direction.

Even when the way goes through  
    Death Valley,  
I’m not afraid  
    when you walk at my side.  
Your trusty shepherd’s crook  
    makes me feel secure.

You serve me a six-course dinner  
    right in front of my enemies.  
You revive my drooping head;  
    my cup brims with blessing.

Your beauty and love chase after me  
    every day of my life.  
I’m back home in the house of God  
    for the rest of my life.

**“Alleluia”**

**Alleluia. Lord to whom shall we go?**

**You have the words of eternal life.**

**Alleluia.**

**Matthew 22: 1-14**

**Sermon** Pastor Dan Cole

***Take My Life, That I May Be Verse 1,2 ELW 685***

Take my life, that I may be

consecrated, Lord, to thee;

take my moments and my days;

let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands and let them move

at the impulse of thy love;

take my feet and let them be

swift and beautiful for thee.

**Apostle’s Creed**

I believe in God, the father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, Our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the

forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen

**Prayers of the People**

Leader: Lord, in your mercy,

**Congregation: Hear Our prayer.**

**Offering**

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***We Give Thee But Thine Own***

We give thee but thine own,

whate’er the gift may be;

all that we have is thine alone,

a trust, O Lord, from thee.

**The Lord’s Prayer**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be

done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as

we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us

from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

Amen.

**Blessing**

***Take My Life, That I May Be Verse 3, 4, 5 ELW 685***

Take my voice and let me sing

always, only, for my King;

take my lips and let them be

filled with messages from thee.

Take my silver and my gold,

not a mite would I withhold;

take my intellect and use

ev'ry pow'r as thou shall choose.

Take my will and make it thine,

it shall be no longer mine.

Take my heart, it is thine own,

it shall be thy royal throne.

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