

# The Lord's Day – December 5, 2010

## Approach to the Lord

Prelude

Silent Prayer

Call to Worship

\*Hymn #35 – *My God, How Wonderful Thou Art*

\*Invocation

\*Apostolic Salutation

\*Gloria Patri #735

\*Prayer of Confession (opposite page)

Assurance of Pardon: Leviticus 26:44-45

\*Hymn #353 – *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord*

## Proclamation of the Word of God

Prayer for Illumination

Old Covenant Reading: Exodus 18:1-27

New Covenant Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:12-28

Sermon: “Esteem Them in Love”

## Response to the Word of God

\*Hymn #355 – *We Are God's People*

\*Confession of Faith: *The Nicene Creed*, p.846

Ordination of Jon Kamerman to the Office of Elder

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology #732

## Communion with the Lord

Words of Institution and Exhortation

Partaking of the Elements with Prayer

\*Hymn #426 – *“Til He Come”!*

\*Benediction

\*Silent Prayer

\*Postlude

## Confession of Sin

Our great and everlasting God, Whose eternal power and divine nature have been seen through the things You have made; we acknowledge that we are without excuse. For although we have known You, we have not honored you as God nor given you thanks, but we have become futile in our thinking; and our senseless minds have been darkened. Claiming to be wise, we have become fools. We have been filled with every kind of wickedness, evil, covetousness, and malice. Full of envy, murder, strife, deceit, and craftiness, we are gossips, slanderers, God-haters, insolent, haughty, boastful, inventors of evil, rebellious toward parents, foolish, faithless, heartless, ruthless. Yet we do also heartily acknowledge that when we were weak, at the right time, Christ died for the ungodly. We most joyfully confess that You have proven your love for us in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Forgive our sins, we pray, through Him who was handed over to death for our trespasses and was raised for our justification. Amen.

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*Lord's Supper – All visiting believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, who have been baptized, made public profession of their faith, and are members in good and regular standing in a true church, are invited to join us at the Lord's Table. A true church bears the following marks: faithful preaching of the Word of God; the proper administration of the sacraments of baptism and the Lord's Supper; and the faithful exercise of church discipline. The inner ring of cups is grape juice.*

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*Every Lord's Day is a celebration of the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us seek the spiritual fellowship of the risen Lord in the assembly of His followers at tonight's evening service.*

## EVENING SERVICE

Call to Worship

\*Hymn #404 – *Sun of My Soul, Thou Savior Dear*

Congregational Selection of Hymns

Scripture Reading: Exodus 30:1-10; Revelation 8:1-5

Sermon: “Silence in Heaven”

\*Hymn #628 – *Come, My Soul, Thy Suit Prepare*

\*Benediction

\*Silent Prayer

\*Postlude

\*Congregation standing for those who are able.

## Announcements for December 5, 2010

**ORDINATION SERVICE** – *We are very pleased to announce that Jon Kamerman was overwhelmingly elected to the office of elder by the congregation. Jon will be ordained this morning.*

**TODAY--DEACON'S OFFERING.** We will receive our Deacon's offering to support those in financial need.

**CAROL SING AT THE REYNOLDS – FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10 @ 7:30 PM** – Adults only please.

**WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP & BIBLE STUDY**--Friday evening, December 17, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the home of the Foleys. Hagar is the next woman of the Bible whom we will be discussing, with our focus on Genesis 21:9-21 & Galatians 4:22. Handouts are available on the back table below the bulletin board.

**MAKING A GOOD PROFESSION**—Pastor Reynolds will be teaching a class based on the booklet *Making a Good Profession* beginning Sunday January 9 (no class on January 23) at 9:15 AM. The class is for anyone considering joining our church, and anyone else already a member interested in a systematic study of biblical doctrine.

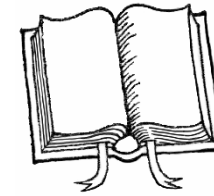
**YOUTH GROUP, FNL (FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE) – FRIDAY EVENINGS AT THE FENTON'S 7:00 PM.** Call Mr. Fenton (828-1670), Mr. Matt Graves (483-8728) if you need directions or transportation.

<b>Sunday Schedules: (may not reflect changes made by individuals)</b>	
<i>Refreshments</i>	Dec 5 – Matt Graves, Jason and Sonya DiPietro Dec 12 – Allison & Michala Foster, Pat Howe Dec 19 – Fellowship Luncheon
<i>Ushers</i>	Dec 5 – Carl Carlson, Charlie Fenton Dec 12 – Bill LaVergne, Brett Gordon Dec 19 – Dave Schaller, Daniel Lascaze
<i>Nursery</i>	Dec 5 – Janelle Kamerman, Karen Armor, Courtney Holiskey Dec 12 – Robin Reynolds, Cynthia Rowland, Michala Foster Dec 19 – Kathy Carlson, Ethel Sharpe, Faith Thompson

*Childcare for children 3 years old and younger is available downstairs during morning worship.*

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