

Order for the Worship of God

10:30 a.m. on March 22nd, 2020

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP—Psalm 95:6-7

Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!
For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture,
and the sheep of His hand.

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH—Heidelberg Catechism Question 1

Q: What is your only comfort in life and death?

A: My only comfort in life and in death is that I am not my own but belong body and soul to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my heavenly Father. In fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to Him, Christ, by His Holy Spirit assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING—Psalm 46

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your 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.

SCRIPTURE READING—Matthew 6:25-34

SERMON—Jesus Speaks to the Worried Mind

PRAYER

BENEDICTION

*May the Lord bless you and keep you.
May the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you.
May the Lord lift up His countenance upon you, and give you peace. Amen.*

Matthew 6:25-34
Jesus Speaks to the Worried Mind

Introduction:

Let us pray that we might trust God to care for us today and that we might leave tomorrow in His hands.

I. We are commanded not to worry v.25

II. Four reasons not to worry v.25-32

- Worry draws us away from God
- God cares for His creation
- God is our Father
- Anxiety/worry is a sign of unbelief

III. We are given a true remedy for worry v.33-34

Conclusion: