Westminster Fresbyterian Church The Lord's Day Morning Worship

March 22, AD 2020 11:00 AM

The Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Let us prepare ourselves for worship. Use this time for silent prayer and meditation on the Word. "Almighty God, who has made a covenant of unspeakable grace and mercy with us in Christ Jesus, and conveyed to us therein a heavenly inheritance upon sincere obedience to His commands, which is our reasonable service: Grant that we may evermore rejoice in You, and walk worthy of our holy calling; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen."

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Missions – Stephen Atkinson

*The Call to Worship

Pastor Reiber

The Lord's Praise

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Pastor Reiber

*Hymn #30: Our God, Our Help in Ages Past (v.1-3,7)

St. Anne

*Heidelberg Catechism #1:

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

Answer: That I, with body and soul, both in life and death, am not my own, but belong unto my faithful Savior Jesus Christ; who with His precious blood has fully satisfied for all my sins, and delivered me from all the power of the devil; and so preserves me that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; yea, that all things must be subservient to my salvation, wherefore by His Holy Spirit He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me heartily willing and ready, henceforth, to live unto Him.

The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer Pastor Reiber
*The Doxology p. 731

*Hymn: Isaiah 43

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Reiber
Scripture Isaiah 41:1-20

Sermon God's Word to His People: Do Not Fear

Our Commitment

*Hymn #699: Like a River Glorious Wye Valley
*Benediction Pastor Reiber
Postlude

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: Isaiah 41:1-20

Title: God's Word to His People: Do Not Fear

Introduction

- I. The Incomparable Lord God of Israel: The Ruler of All 41:1-7
 - A. First of all comes the Call to the Nations
 - B. The Issue to be settled
 - C. What is the world's response?
 - D. Three Pictures of Real Consolation
 - 1. First, the servant whose enemies are conquered. v. 8-13
 - 2. Second, the worm that is transformed. v. 14-16
 - 3. Third, the poor and needy who are sustained. v.17-20
- II. What does our Lord call upon us to do?
 - A. God's people must *understand* the current epidemic.
 - B. God's people must *respond in faith* to the current epidemic.
 - C. All must look to the Redeemer.