

Assurance of Pardon: *(Rise and Hear the Good News of God's Forgiveness)*

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in the Lord Jesus Christ: Know surely, your sins are forgiven! Believe the gospel and rejoice in the hope of eternal life.

People: Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen!

*Hymns of Faith: *Cantus*, pg. 94 Psalm 66:1-10
Cantus, pg. 166 Psalm 128

People: Amen!

God Consecrates Us

*Responsive Psalm Psalm 66:1-10

Pastor: Shout joyfully to God, all the earth;

People: Sing the glory of His name;

Make His praise glorious.

Say to God, "How awesome are Your works!

So great is Your power that Your enemies cringe before You.

All the earth will worship You;

And will sing praises to You;

They will sing praises to Your name."

Come and see the works of God,

Awesome works on behalf of the sons of man.

He turned the sea into dry land;

They passed through the river on foot;

There let us rejoice in Him!

He rules by His might forever;

His eyes keep watch on the nations;

Let not the rebellious exalt themselves.

Bless our God, O peoples,

Make the sound of His praise be heard,

Who places our lives among the living,

And does not allow our feet to stumble.

For You have tried us, O God;

You have refined us as silver is refined.

Amen!

All: Yes, amen!

Confession of the Nicene Creed

We confess our common faith with one voice as the people of God. Confess your Trinitarian faith remembering our Lord Jesus' promise: "Therefore whoever confesses me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven" (Matthew 10:32).

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer Psalm 66:5

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen.

*Reading of God's Word

Old Covenant Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8

New Covenant Reading: Luke 5:1-11

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

*Hymn of Faith: *Cantus*, pg. 327 The Church's One Foundation

Sermon:

Rev. Uriesou T. Brito

Text:

I Corinthians 12:15-31

Title:

Unity in the Body: A Pauline Manifesto! Part IV

Prayer for Illumination

Pastor: This is our prayer, O Lord. **People: Amen.**

God Communes With Us

Observance of Holy Communion

God in His Word has graciously promised His children eternal life in Christ, and our Father has added this Communion meal as a confirmation of His unchangeable promise. The deacons and elders will serve the meal to the congregation. Please pass the elements to one another as the Body of Christ. Let us together take the cup and eat the bread, partaking worthily and discerning the Lord's body.

Passing of the Bread (Singing Together *Cantus* pg. 263 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded)

Passing of the Wine (Passing the Peace of Christ to one another)

*† Congregational Response

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,

world without end, Amen, Amen.

God Commissions Us

*The Lord's Commission

Matthew 28:18-20

*Closing Hymn: *Cantus*, pg. 259 Jesus, What a Friend of Sinners!

† Benediction

* Three-Fold Amen & Postlude

What is Epiphany?

Epiphany means "to appear" or "manifest." This season focuses on the Lord's appearance or manifestation to the nations. It is the unveiling of the messianic mission to the world. We celebrate the evangelistic mission of the Church throughout history. In Epiphany, we pray that the nations would come to Christ our King and declare that He is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

*The congregation will please stand

† Hands Raised

Announcements

- **Calendar item(s)**

Jan 31 Basics of the Reformed Faith at 4PM
Jan 31 Men's Monthly Meeting, 6PM
Feb 6 Women's Prayer/Study
Feb 7 Wine and Psalm-Singing at Heifner's.

For other events in our Church Calendar, visit
www.providencpensacola.org/calendar.aspx

- After worship this morning we invite you to gather for conversation and fellowship. Rev. James B. Jordan will continue his study through the book of Esther on February 14th.

This Week in Family Worship

Scriptures: Deut. 34:1-12; Psalm 99; I Cor. 13:1-7; Luke 9:28-36

Basics of Family Worship

Parents are responsible to teach the Word of God to their children and make sure they understand what they hear from the pulpit on the Lord's Day (Deuteronomy 6:6-9). Set aside a brief time each day to sit down as a family and worship the Lord together. You can do the following three things in 15 minutes or less, but the benefits you reap will be eternal.

1. Sing a psalm/hymn.
2. Read a Scripture passage, and then discuss and apply it.
3. Pray together, taking your petitions to the Lord.

Sermon Questions for the Family

1. What is the main Corinthian problem?
2. What is the purpose of gifts?
3. Are the lists of gifts/offices exhaustive in this passage?
4. Why is the unity of the body so important in Paul's theology?
5. In what ways can foster unity in the body?

Meditation for the Week

"No matter how elevated a person may be, if he has no one under him, his rank is worthless. The greatest emperor still needs an army." [Ambrosiaster in ACCS, 127]

Sermon Outline:

- I. Review
- II. Paul's Comedic Illustration (vss.15-20)
- III. The Indispensability of the Weak (vss. 21-26)
- IV. Members of One Another (vss. 27-31)
 - a. One Suffers, All Suffers (vs. 27)
 - b. Rhetorical Questions (28-30)
 - c. The Greater Gifts (31)
- V. The Theology and the Table

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Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to our guests this morning. We are glad you are joining in worship with Providence Church this Lord's Day, and we pray that your soul will be challenged and fed by the Word of Christ. We invite our guests to remain after the service so that our members may greet you.



A Reformed Evangelical Congregation

The Lord's Service

Epiphany Season

February 7th, 2010

God is Renewing Covenant With His People

God Calls Us and Cleanses Us

Prelude

Exhortation:

Returning Worship to the People

Interlude

*Call to Worship

Psalm 66:1-2

Salutation:

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

People: Amen!

The Lord be with you!

And also with you!

Our help is in the Name of our Lord,

Who made heaven and earth!

Confession of Sin (*The congregation is invited to kneel if able*)

Unison: Almighty God, my heavenly Father, you do not desire the death of a sinner, but rather that he should turn from his evil way and live: I pray that you would be gracious to me and turn from me those punishments which I by my sins have deserved, and to grant me grace from this day forward to serve you in holiness and purity; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord. Amen! *Silent Prayer.*

Omnia et in omnibus Christus - Christ all and in all