



PROVIDENCE
CHURCH

Omnia et in omnibus Christus - Christ all and in all

A Reformed Evangelical Congregation

The Lord's Service

24th February 2019

8th Sunday in Epiphany

Welcome

In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, we at Providence Church open wide our doors and welcome all who are spiritually weak and seek rest; all who mourn and long for comfort; all who struggle and desire victory; all who sin and need the Savior; all who are strangers and want fellowship; all who hunger and thirst for righteousness; all who are poor in spirit and desire the riches of the gospel; all who will come to Jesus Christ in living faith and repentance, looking to Him as both Liberator and Lord. If you are a visitor of Providence Church, we are grateful that you have joined us in our highest privilege, worshipping the Triune God. We hope you stay and talk with us after the service so we can get to know you better. If you would like to talk to Pastor Brito throughout the week, please feel free to either call him at 850.377.3049 or to email him at uriesou@gmail.com. Please visit our website at www.providencpensacola.org.

God is Renewing His Covenant With His People

God Calls Us And Cleanses Us

Prelude

Mrs. Lydia Dearington

Exhortation:

The Faithfulness of God

Call to Worship (Please Stand)

Pastor: Let us worship God, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 18:20; 28:19

People: Amen

Salutation: The Lord be with you!

Ruth 2:4

People: And also with you!

I rejoiced when they said to me, "Let us go into the house of the Lord!"

Psalms 122:1-2

Our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem!

Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

Psalms 121:1-2

Maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor: Dearly beloved brethren if we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us, but if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Therefore I pray and beseech you, as many as are here present, to accompany me with a pure heart and humble voice unto the throne of heavenly grace.

Come, let us worship and bow down.

Psalms 95:6

People: And kneel before the Lord our Maker.

(Let all who are able kneel)

Pastor: Most merciful God,

All: Holy Father, you see us as we are, and know our inmost thoughts. We confess that we are unworthy of your gracious care. We forget that all life comes from you and that to you all life returns. We have not sought to do your will with our whole hearts. We have not lived as grateful children, nor loved as Christ loved us. Apart from you, we are nothing. Only your grace can sustain us. Lord, in your mercy, forgive us, heal us, and make us whole. Set us free from our sin, and restore us to the joy of your salvation now and forever. Amen.

(Continue Kneeling for Silent Confession)

Assurance of Pardon

(Rise and Hear the Good News of God's Forgiveness)

Pastor: The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in loving kindness. He has not dealt with us according to our sins nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. On this day know surely Your sins are forgiven through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Acts 13:38

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

Hymn of Faith (Please Stand)

Psalms 5, pgs. 6-7

People: Amen.

God Consecrates and Raises Up to Heaven

Pastor: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us Give Thanks to the Lord our God!

It is proper and right to do so.

SANCTUS

Pastor: Truly it is fitting, right, wholesome and beneficial that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to You O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, with all the company of heaven, and with all the Church on earth, we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

fff Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Lord, God of Hosts.

Hea-ven and earth are full of Your glo-ry! Ho-san-na in the High - est!

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Ho - san - na in the High - - - est!

Pastor: To my words give ear, Yahweh;

People: Consider my groaning.

Heed the voice of my cry, my King and my God,

For to you I pray.

Yahweh, in the morning you hear my voice;

In the morning I lay it before you and I watch,

Because you are not a Mighty One who takes pleasure in wickedness;

Not with you will evil sojourn.

The arrogant will not stand before your eyes;

You hate all who make trouble.

You destroy those who speak falsehood;

A man of bloodshed and deceit Yahweh abhors.

But as for me, in the abundance of your loyalty I will enter your house;

I will bow toward your holy temple in fear of you.

Yahweh, lead me in your righteousness because of my enemies.

Make your way straight before my face,

Because there is in his mouth nothing reliable;

Their inward part is destruction.

An open tomb is their throat;

Their tongue they make smooth.

Hold them guilty, God!

Let them fall by their own schemes!

In the abundance of their transgressions, cast them out

Because they are rebellious against you.

And let all those who take refuge in you rejoice!

Forever let them shout for joy,

And cover them.

And let those who love your name exult in you,

Because you bless the righteous man, Yahweh;

Like a shield, with favor you surround him.

Amen!

ALL: Yes! Amen!

Confession of the Nicene Creed (*please remain standing*)

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 Sung Lord's Prayer (see hymnal's back cover)

Please respond at the end of each section:

Pastor: Father, bear our prayer!

People: For Your Steadfast Love Endures Forever!

Reading of God's Word (*Please Stand*)

Old Covenant Reading:

Genesis 9:1-7

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

New Covenant Reading:

Galatians 1:6;17; Galatians 5:22-23

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

Gospel Reading in the Midst of the People:

Matthew 7:13-20

Pastor: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. People: Thanks be to God.

Hymn of Praise:

Mighty Lord, Extend Your Kingdom, (Insert)

People: Amen.

Sermon:

Pastor Uri Brito (Outline on back page)

Title:

Revealing the Son in Us

Text

Galatians 5:22-23

Offertory:

(Ex. 23:15; 34:20; Dt. 16:16)

Pastor: Let us worship God with our tithes and offerings.

Hymn of Faith:

What Feast of Love, Insert (Insert)

People: Amen.

Offertory Prayer

Pastor: Christians, how do you respond to our Lord?

People: We give only what the Lord has first given to us.

We present ourselves as living sacrifices,

And we offer the sacrifices of praise and thanksgiving.

We cheerfully give these tithes and offerings

In obedience to the Lord, for the glory of His Name,

The health of the Church, and for the sake of the world. Amen.

Mighty Lord, Extend Your Kingdom

Joseph Cottle, 1828

Gregory D. Wilbur, 2008

Capo 1: Bm A/C# D G D Bm A/C# D Bm

1. Might - y Lord, ex - tend Your king - dom, Be the truth with
 2. By Your arm, e - ter - nal Fa - ther, Scat - ter far the
 3. Come in all Your Spir - it's po - wer; Come, Your reign on

G A Bm A/C# D G D

tri - umph crowned; Let the lands that sit in dark - ness
 shades of night; Let the great Im - man - uel's King - dom
 earth re - store; In Your strength ride forth and con - quer,

13 A/C# D G A D G A Bm D/F#

Hear the glo - ri - ous Gos - pel sound, From our bor - ders,
 O - pen like the morn - ing light; Let all bar - riers,
 Still ad - vanc - ing more and more, Till all peo - ple,

19 G A Bm A/C# D G A D

From our bor - ders To the earth's re - mot - est bound.
 Let all bar - riers Yield be - fore Your heaven - ly might.
 Till all peo - ple Shall Your ho - ly Name a - dore.

What Feast of Love

Em D G D Em Am B

1 What feast of love is of - fered here, what ban - quet come from heav - en?
 2 What light of truth is of - fered here, what cov - e - nant from heav - en?
 3 What wine of love is of - fered here, what ho - ly drink from heav - en?

Em D G D Em B Em^{sus4} Em

What food of ev - er - last - ing life, what gra - cious gift is giv - en?
 What hope of ev - er - last - ing life, what won - drous word is giv - en?
 What stream of ev - er - last - ing life, what pre - cious blood is giv - en?

Bm G D Em Am B

This, this is Christ the king, the bread come down from heav - en.
 This, this is Christ the king, the sun come down from heav - en.
 This, this is Christ the king, the sweet - est wine of heav - en.

Bm G D Em B Em^{sus4} Em

Oh, taste and see and sing! How sweet the man - na giv - en!
 Oh, see and hear and sing! The Word of God is giv - en!
 Oh, taste and see and sing! The Son of God is giv - en!

God Communes With Us

The Lord's Supper is observed every Sunday as the climax of covenant renewal worship. We invite to the Lord's Table all those who are baptized disciples of Jesus Christ, under the authority of Christ and his body, the Church. By eating the bread and wine with us as a visitor, you are acknowledging to the Session of this local church that you are in covenant with God as an active member of a congregation in which the Gospel is faithfully confessed. If you have any doubt about your participation, please speak to one of the pastors before or after the service.

Celebration of Holy Communion ***(Please be seated)***

Passing of the Bread ("The Lord be with you" "The Lord bless you")

Passing of the Wine ("The Peace of Christ be with you" "And also with you")

Congregational Response

Gloria Patri

(Please Stand with Hands Raised)

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, A-men, A-men.

God Commissions Us

The Lord's Commission

Matthew 28:18-20

Pastor: *Our mouths will speak the praise of the Lord!*

People: Let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever. AMEN!

Psalm 145:21

Closing Hymn:

Rise Again, Ye Lion-Hearted (Insert)

People: Amen!

Benediction

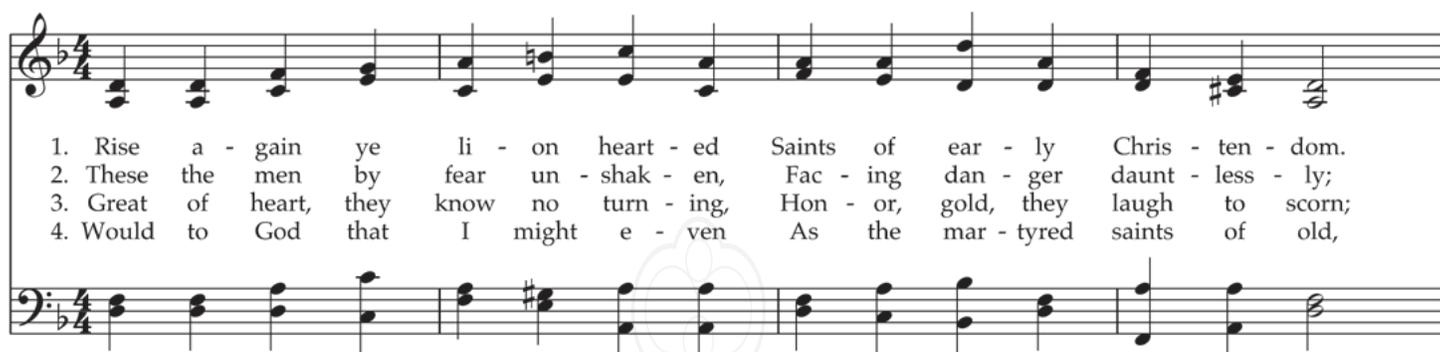
Numbers 6:24-26

Threefold Amen

Pastor: *Go in Peace to Love and to Serve our Risen Christ!*

All: Amen!

Rise Again, Ye Lion-Hearted



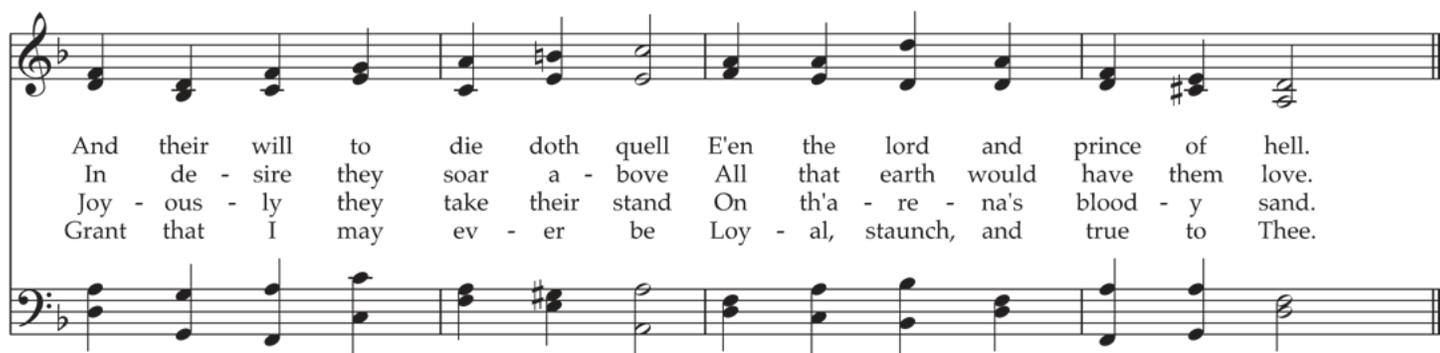
1. Rise a - gain ye li - on heart - ed Saints of ear - ly Chris - ten - dom.
 2. These the men by fear un - shak - en, Fac - ing dan - ger daunt - less - ly;
 3. Great of heart, they know no turn - ing, Hon - or, gold, they laugh to scorn;
 4. Would to God that I might e - ven As the mar - tyred saints of old,



Whith - er is your strength de - part - ed, Whith - er gone your mar - tyr - dom?
 These no witch - ing lust hath tak - en, Lust that lures to van - i - ty.
 Quench de - sires with - in them burn - ing, By no earth - ly pas - sion torn.
 With the help - ing hand of Heav - en, Stead - fast stand in bat - tle bold!



Lo, love's light is on them, Glo - ry's flame up - on them,
 'Mid the roar and rat - tle Of tu - mul - tuous bat - tle
 'Mid the li - on's roar ing Songs of praise out - pour - ing,
 O my God, I pray Thee, In the com - bat stay me.



And their will to die doth quell E'en the lord and prince of hell.
 In de - sire they soar a - bove All that earth would have them love.
 Joy - ous - ly they take their stand On th'a - re - na's blood - y sand.
 Grant that I may ev - er be Loy - al, staunch, and true to Thee.

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Announcements:

Fellowship Meal Today

Men's Study Tuesday at 6:00am at Chik Fil A Nine Mile Rd Jeremiah chapter 2

Busy March:

5th - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner 6:00pm at Northminster Presbyterian Church See Deacon Ron Smith if you would like to help flip pancakes

6th - Vespers (No Meal)

13th - Vespers (Soups and Salad) See Pastor Stout if you would like to make a soup

20th - Vespers (No Meal)

24th - Joint Service with Christ Church here at Providence, Pastor Rich Lusk Preaching. Remembering Uri's Ordination 10 years ago.

Fellowship meal - Pot luck.

Everyone gets a copy of Pastor Brito and Pastor Lusk's Commentary on the Gospel of Ruth

25th and 26th Athanasius Presbytery

27th - Vespers (No Meal)

29th - Wine and Psalm Roar 5:30pm at Northminster Presbyterian Church

31st - Pastor Jeff Meyers, who preached at Pastor Brito's Ordination, will be preaching.

Picnic with Providence providing the main dish and some sides.

Outline: The Fruit of the Spirit is God's armor for battle. It forms us into the human beings God calls us to be. Our mission is to reveal the Son in us. The Son is the true Vine; the True Wine; the true Fruitful One. The Spirit produces only what the Son has already produced in us. The Son produced in his earthly ministry all nine of those glorious gifts to the Church and now the Church takes those nine gifts and gives them to the world.

Text:

22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. 24 And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

I. Paul's antidote to a false Gospel is the Fruit of the True Gospel.

II. Our mission is to reveal the Son in us (Gal. 1).

III. The Centrality of Love in Paul's Writings (see I Cor. 13; Gal. 5:13b; 5:6)

IV. Confusing the definition of love keeps us from operating in the Spirit of love.

V. Love is not an abstract idea. It is the action of a new humanity.

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