

The Lord's Service

Pentecost Sunday

June 12th, 2011

God is Renewing Covenant With His People

God Calls Us and Cleanses Us

Prelude Rev. James B. Jordan
Exhortation: Redemptive Chronology
Interlude

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*

And also with you!

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

Psalm 122:1-2

Our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem!

Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

Psalm 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, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness (I John 1:9). 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.

Psalm 95:6

All: And kneel before the Lord our Maker.

(Let all who are able kneel)

All: Most merciful God,

I confess to you that I am by nature sinful and unclean, and that I am most miserably helpless before my adversaries. I have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; not only in outward transgressions, but also in secret thoughts and desires that I am not able to understand, but which are all known to you. For this reason, I flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring your forgiveness and deliverance, through my Lord Jesus Christ. 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 (Ex. 34:6). He has not dealt with us according to our sins, nor rewarded us according to our iniquities (Ps. 103:10). 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!

Hymns of Faith: (*Please Stand*)

Insert, O Holy Spirit, Enter In vs. 1-4

People: Amen!

Cantus, Love Divine, All Loves Excelling, pg. 313

People: Amen!

God Consecrates and Raises Up to Heaven

Pastor: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

*Responsive Psalm Psalm 25

A Psalm of David

Pastor: To you, Yahweh, I lift up my soul.

People: O my God, in you I trust;

let me not be put to shame;

let not my enemies exult over me.

Indeed, none who wait for you shall be put to shame;

they shall be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

make me to know your ways, Yahweh;

teach me your paths.

Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation;

for you I wait all the day long.

Remember your mercy, Yahweh, and your steadfast love,

for they have been from of old.

Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions;

according to your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of your goodness, Yahweh!

good and upright is Yahweh;

therefore he instructs sinners in the way.

He leads the humble in what is right,

and teaches the humble his way.

All the paths of Yahweh are steadfast love and faithfulness,

for those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

For your name's sake, Yahweh,

pardon my guilt, for it is great.

Who is the man who fears Yahweh?

Him will he instruct in the way that he should choose.

His soul shall abide in well-being,

and his offspring shall inherit the land.

The friendship of Yahweh is for those who fear him,

and he makes known to them his covenant.

My keys are ever toward Yahweh,

for he will pluck my feet out of the net.

All: Amen! Yes, amen!

Confession of the Nicene Creed (*Please be seated*)

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 30:1

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 (*Please Stand*)

Old Covenant Reading: *Numbers 11:24-30*

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

Epistle Reading: *Acts 2:1-21*

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

Gospel Reading in the Midst of the People: John 7:37-39

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

Hymn of Faith: *Cantus*, O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing, pg. 315

People: Amen!

Sermon: Rev. James B. Jordan

Text: *Revelation 8*

Title: Pentecost: Lighting The World On Fire

Prayer for Illumination

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

Pastor: "You will never appear before Me empty-handed"

Let us worship God with our tithes and offerings.

(Please Stand)

Hymn: *Cantus*, pg. 335 What Wondrous Love Is This

People: Amen.

Offertory Prayer

People: Amen.

God Communes With Us

Observance 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, Amen, Amen.

God Commissions Us

The Lord's Commission

Matthew 28:18-20

Jesus declares, *All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and disciple all the nations by baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, by teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.*

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: *Insert, O Holy Spirit Enter In, vs. 5-8*

People: Amen!

Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26

Three-Fold Amen

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

All: Amen!

Postlude

Welcome

In the name of Christ Jesus 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 that we can get to know you better. If you would like to talk with Pastor Brito throughout the week, please feel free either to call him at 850.377.3049 or to email him at uriesou@gmail.com. Please visit our website at www.providencpensacola.org

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