EVENING WORSHIP ~ AUGUST 16, 2020

The Prelude

The Call to Worship

The Hymn

Now Thank We All Our God

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices, who wondrous things hath done, in whom his world rejoices; who from our mothers' arms, hath blessed us on our way with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us, with everjoyful hearts and bless-ed peace to cheer us; and keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed, and free us from all ills in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given, the Son, and him who reigns with them in highest heaven- the one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore; for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.

Words by Martin Rinkart, music by Johann Crüger

The Invocation

The Scripture Reading

II Timothy 3:10-4:8

The Solo *Covenant Prayer*

I am no longer my own but Yours. Put me to what You will, rank me with whom You will. Put me to doing, put me to suff ring; let me be employed for You or laid aside for You, exalted for You, or brought low for You. Let me be full, or let me be empty; let me have all things, or let me have nothing. I freely and whole-heartedly yield all things for your pleasure and disposal. And now blessed and glorious God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, You are mine and I am Yours. So be it. And this commitment now made on earth, let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

Words by John Wesley, music by Margaret Sprow © 2009 Music from the Orchard

The Sermon Rev. Curt Presley

John 3:22-30
Who's Going To Be First?

THE INSTALLATION OF PASTOR CALEB CANGELOSI AND PASTOR CARL KALBERKAMP

The Proceedings of the Presbytery

Dr. Guy Waters

The Questions for Installation

- 1. Are you now willing to take charge of this congregation as their pastor, agreeable to your declaration in accepting its call?
- 2. Do you conscientiously believe and declare, as far as you know your own heart, that, in taking upon you this charge, you are influenced by a sincere desire to promote the glory of God and the good of the Church?
- 3. Do you solemnly promise that, by the assistance of the grace of God, you will endeavor faithfully to discharge all the duties of a pastor to this congregation, and will be careful to maintain a deportment in all respects becoming a minister of the Gospel of Christ, agreeable to your ordination engagements?

The Questions to the Congregation

- 1. Do you, the people of this congregation, continue to profess your readiness to receive Pastor Caleb Cangelosi and Pastor Carl Kalberkamp, whom you have called to be your pastors?
- 2. Do you promise to receive the word of truth from their mouths with meekness and love, and to submit to them in the due exercise of discipline?
- 3. Do you promise to encourage them in their labors, and to assist their endeavors for your instruction and spiritual edification?
- 4. Do you engage to continue to them while they are your pastors that competent worldly maintenance which you have promised, and to furnish them with whatever you may see needful for the honor of religion and for their comfort among you?

The Prayer of Installation Mr. James "Bebo" Elkin

The Declaration Dr. Waters

The Charge to the Pastors Rev. Roger Collins

The Charge to the Congregation Rev. Carl Kalberkamp

The Hymn of Response The Church's One Foundation

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord. She is His new creation by water and the Word. From heaven He came and sought her to be His holy bride; with His own blood He bought her, and for her life He died.

Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth; her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth; one holy Name she blesses, partakes one holy food, and to one hope she presses with every grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder men see her sore oppressed, by schisms rent asunder, by heresies distressed, yet saints their watch are keeping; their cry goes up, "How long?" and soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song.

The church shall never perish, her dear Lord to defend, to guide, sustain and cherish, is with her to the end. Though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale, against a foe or traitor she ever shall prevail.

Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war, she waits the consummation of peace forevermore; 'til, with the vision glorious, her longing eyes are blessed, and the great church victorious shall be the church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One, and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won. O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with Thee.

Words by Samuel John Stone, music by John Henry Gower

The Benediction

The Postlude