

Morning Worship Service

Prelude

Preparation for Worship

As you prepare to worship God today, consider “Zion said, “The LORD has forsaken me, And my Lord has forgotten me.” Can a woman forget her nursing child, And not have compassion on the son of her womb? Surely they may forget, Yet I will not forget you. Behold, I have engraved you on the palms of My hands; Your walls are continually before Me.” (Isaiah 49:14-16)

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Intercession

Collection of Offerings

God Calls Us To Worship

Salutation

*Call to Worship Psalm 113 (Pew Bible p. 435)

*Hymn: 35, “My God, How Wonderful Thou Art”

*Prayer of Adoration

We Trust In God’s Unfailing Love

Scripture Reading Isaiah 49:13-23 (Pew Bible p. 520)

Hymn: 98, “Now Thank We All Our God”

Prayer of Praise

God Speaks To Us Through His Word

LORD’S DAY 5 - Heidelberg Catechism Questions –
OF MAN’S DELIVERANCE

12. *Since then, in the righteous judgment of God, we deserve temporal and eternal punishment, is there no way by which we may escape that punishment, and be again received into favor?*

A. God will have His justice satisfied, and therefore we must make this full satisfaction, either by ourselves, or by another.

13. *Can we ourselves then make this satisfaction?*

A. By no means, but on the contrary, we daily increase our debt.

14. *Can there be found anywhere, one, who is a mere creature, able to satisfy for us?*

A. None. For God will not punish any other creature for the sin which man has committed, and further, no mere creature can sustain the burden of God’s eternal wrath against sin, so as to deliver others from it.

15. *What sort of a mediator and deliverer then must we seek for?*

A. One who is truly man, and perfectly righteous; and yet more powerful than all creatures, that is one who is also truly God.

*Scripture Reading: Hebrews 10:1-14 (Pew Bible p. 850)

*Response to God’s Word: 734, “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.*

Message: “The Need of a Mediator” John Johnson

*Hymn: 92, “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

*Closing Prayer

We Receive God’s Blessing

*Benediction

*Closing: 731 “Doxology”

*Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

**Congregation please stand*

Sermon Notes