

Matthew 10:26-31

August 20, 2023

Prelude - The prelude is a call of consecration for the worship of the Almighty God. During this time, let us prepare our hearts in reverence and silent prayer.

As you prepare for worship, consider:

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Question #21

Q. Who is the Redeemer of God's elect?

A. The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continueth to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever.

Welcome

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 118:1-6

Oh, give thanks to the LORD, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever. Let Israel now say, "His mercy endures forever." Let the house of Aaron now say, "His mercy endures forever." Let those who fear the LORD now say, "His mercy endures forever." I called on the LORD in distress; The LORD answered me and set me in a broad place. The LORD is on my side; I will not fear. What can man do to me?

Hymn 40*

God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength

Invocation*

The Law of God

Matthew 22:35-40

Then one of them, a lawyer, asked Him a question, testing Him, and saying, "Teacher, which is the great commandment in the law?" Jesus said to him, "`You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: `You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets."

Confession of Sins

The Promise of the Gospel

John 3:16-18

For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved. He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.

Hymn 319* Day of Judgment! Day of Wonders!

Tithes and Offerings Supporting the Work of the Church

Hymn 731* Doxology

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text* Matthew 10:26-31

Sermon The Fear That Conquers Fear

Hymn 668* Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode

Benediction*

Postlude

Our Traditional Worship

Northwoods believes that a traditional worship service reflects the reverence suggested by Scripture. You will notice that we differ from many evangelical churches who practice a contemporary form of worship, because of our simple accompaniment and use of the historic hymns of the faith. We believe that "worship" includes the entire service, not just the music, and therefore we distribute our hymns of praise throughout the service. May God bless us as we worship Him together.

^{*}Indicates Congregation Standing

Serving in the House of the Lord Today

August 20, 2023

Ushers – Phillip Nelson, Larry Nemetz, Tim Anderson, Kieran Tunnicliff, Seth Gildemaster

Serving Next Week (August 27, 2023):

Ushers – Phillip Nelson, Larry Nemetz, Alex Davison, Kieran Tunnicliff, Seth Gildemaster

Cry Room/Nursery

We desire children to join us in worship, and do not mind their sounds. However, as a parent, if you feel the need to step out with your child we have both a cry room (upstairs near the main doors) and a nursery (downstairs) available. Both are unattended. The sermon is broadcast into both as well.

To submit prayer requests or announcements for the email chain or the bulletin email prayer@northwoodspca.org.

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