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***ASSURANCE OF PARDON** based on Romans 8:1; 2 Corinthians 5:17

Hear the good news! There is no condemnation
 for those who are in Christ Jesus.

**For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus
 has set us free from the law of sin and death.**

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The old life has gone; a new life has begun.

Know that in Jesus, God embraces you, forgives you,
 and strengthens you to live a renewed life.

Thanks be to God.

***RESPONSE**

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 Glo - ry to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly
 Spir - it, as it was in the — be - gin - ning, is —
 now, and will be for ev - er. A - men, a - men, a - men.

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

TIME FOR CHILDREN

At the conclusion, children from age 4 through first grade are invited to be escorted to "Kids' Kirk," an age-appropriate worship and learning opportunity, in Room 32 of the Education Building

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING

Psalm 96
Pew Bible, p.550

ANTHEM: It Is Enough (*Elijah*) Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy

It is enough! O Lord, now take away my life, or I am not better than my fathers.

I desire to live no longer; now let me die, for my days are but vanity!

I have been very jealous for the Lord God of Hosts, for the children of Israel have broken Thy covenant, and thrown down thine altars, and slain all thy prophets with the sword. And I, only I, am left; and they seek my life to take it away.

It is enough! O Lord, now take away my life.

SECOND READING

1 Kings 18:17-40
Pew Bible, p. 325

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Limping Along

Sam Weddington

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 160*

Q. 160. What is required of those that hear the Word preached?

It is required of those that hear the Word preached, that they attend upon it with diligence, preparation, and prayer, examine what they hear by the Scriptures; receive the truth with faith, love, meekness, and readiness of mind, as the Word of God; meditate, and confer of it; hide it in their hearts, and bring forth the fruit of it in their lives.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (concluding with....)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name.

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done on 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 and ever.
Amen.

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

Sonata in C minor, Op. 65
No. 2: Allegro maestoso e vivace

Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy

*Doxology

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God, all creatures here below,
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

OLD HUNDERDTH

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**O Mighty One,
you have done great things for us,
and holy is your name.
Bless all we offer you—
Our selves, our time, and our possessions—
that through us your grace and favor
may be made known to all the world,
for the sake of Jesus Christ,
our Redeemer. Amen.**

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN 410

God is Calling

W ZLOBIE LEZY

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go With Us, Lord

Hymn 748 (verse 1)

**Go with us, Lord and guide the way through this and every coming day,
that in your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to you.**

POSTLUDE

Sonata in C minor, Op. 65,
No. 2: Fuga: Allegro moderato

Felix Mendelssohn-Barthold