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ELW Service – Reformation Sunday
October 27, 2024 ~ 9:00 a.m.



ROMANS 3:22, NIV

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Mission Statement:

Emanuel: God with Us ~ Loving Christ, Loving Others

Our Ministers This Morning Include:

Rev. Michael L. Poole Jr.

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2024 Congregational Watchword –

“Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for God has said, ‘I will never leave you or forsake you.’” – Hebrews 13:5

2024 Theme – Where is God calling us to go?

Prelude

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Gathering *“A Mighty Fortress is Our God”* #504

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

Refrain

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
 2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and

blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:

Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and
Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of The Day

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray. Almighty God, gracious Lord,

C: **we thank you that your Holy Spirit renews the church in every age. Pour out your Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in times of trial, defend them against all enemies of the gospel, and bestow on the church your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Watchword Hebrews 13:5

P: Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have;

C: **For God has said, “I will never leave you or forsake you.”**

*Please be seated.

Anthem *“God is Our Refuge and Strength”* Emanuel Choir
God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore will not we fear, tho' the carth be removed, and tho' the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea. Tho' the waters thereof roar and be troubled, tho' the mountains shake with the dwelling thereof. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. God is our refuge and strength.

First Lesson Jeremiah 31:31-34 Pew Bible pg. 561

L: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Second Lesson Romans 3:19-28 Pew Bible pg. 797

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Gospel Acclamation

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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Repeat alleluia

The Holy Gospel John 8:31-36 Pew Bible pg. 757

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John the 8th chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.

Sermon

Pastor Mike

“We Are Saved By Grace, Through Faith, Apart From the Works of the Law, for the Sake of Jesus Christ”

Romans 3:19-28

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Creedal Hymn

“Most Certainly True”

I believe in God Creator and in God the Son with the Spirit sent among us They are three in one.

This I know to be most certainly true. The faith that we share, the faith of me and you.

God created all around us and God sent the Son from the Spirit born of Mary He’s the promised One.

This I know to be most certainly true. The faith that we share, the faith of me and you.

Under Pilate on the cross he suffered and he died in the tomb down with the dead for three days He would lie.

This I know to be most certainly true. The faith that we share, the faith of me and you.

As he promised on the third day He rose to live again into heaven with the Father He will come again.

This I know to be most certainly true. The faith that we share, the faith of me and you.

I believe in the Holy Spirit and the holy church through God’s grace we are forgiven We rise and live again.

This I know to be most certainly true. The faith that we share, the faith of me and you.

Prayers of Intercession

P: God of grace,

C: **hear our prayer.**

Peace

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

*Please be seated.

Offering

Offertory

Emanuel Bell Choir

*At this time, you may bring your Stewardship Sunday
Pledge Cards forward.*

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Offertory Response “*We Give Thee but Thine Own*” #686

♩ We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be; all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

Offering Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving

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The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Preface

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

*Please be seated

Invitation to Communion

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
 mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
 world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
 way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Prayer after Communion

P: Go out into the world in peace; have courage; hold on to what is good; return no one evil for evil; strengthen the fainthearted; support the weak and help the suffering; honor all people; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the cross of Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

Benediction

P: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God.

C: **Amen.**

Sending

“Founded on Faith”



1 Found - ed on faith, the church— a - live by grace—
2 Your cross, O Christ, re - news our life each day.
3 E - quipped by prayer, we live the Spir - it's call.
4 Grow - ing in grace for God's cre - at - ed earth,
5 Found - ed on faith, called forth, em - pow'ed to serve,



pro - claims the gos - pel here and ev - 'ry place.
Bap - tized in you, we learn and teach and pray.
Em - pow'ed to serve with gifts, both great and small,
we yearn for jus - tice, peace, and hu - man worth;
we share God's end - less love with - out re - serve.



The word of God re - sounds through time and space:
Fed by your love, with thank - ful hearts, we say:
we bring the liv - ing hope of God to all.
a world re - stored; a faith - ful, car - ing church.
Then let us shout a - loud the liv - ing Word!



Al - le - lu - ia!

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Follow Jesus.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

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