Seymour Christian Reformed Church June 30, 2019

9:30 AM Worship

If you are a newcomer to Seymour Church we want you to know that you are very welcome here. If you have any questions about our family of God or are interested in affiliating with our congregation, Pastor Brian White would be delighted to talk with you. Please leave your contact information on the Friendship Register or connect with him at 616-245-8726 or brian@seymourchurch.org.

Bold Print: Congregation participates audibly; *congregation stands, if possible.

We Gather to Magnify the Lord

Prelude: "Kanon" Johann Pachelbel
"Trio. Moderato" Carl Stamitz

"There Is a Redeemer"

*Call to Worship: Psalm 96:1-3

Shout for joy to God, all the earth!

Sing the glory of his name; make his praise glorious.

Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!

So great is your power that your enemies cringe before you.

All the earth bows down to you;

they sing praise to you, they sing the praises of your name."

*God's Greeting

*Opening Hymn: "We Praise You, O God"

Red 560

*Welcome / Mutual Greeting

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

*Songs of Worship: "I Will Glory in My Redeemer"

"In the Presence of a Holy God"

Invitation to Children: "Alleluia, Alleluia"

(Pre-K through first grade come forward for Children's Worship)

Prayer of Blessing

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading: Colossians 2:6-15

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The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon: "The Mystery of Christ: Overflowing Justification"

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application: "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

Red 772

The Body of Christ Is Nourished

Call to Confession & Personal Reflection

Prayer of Confession: We confess that often we have failed to be an obedient church:

We have not done your will; we have broken your law;

We have rebelled against your love; we have not loved our neighbors;

We have not heard the cry of the needy.

Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Romans 5:8

Lord's Supper

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Response: "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

Red 538

The Institution

Response: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Prayer of Consecration

Response: Our Father in heaven . . . Amen.

The Communion

The Bread: "Nearer, Still Nearer" (all bread is gluten-free) Red 659
The Cup: "There Is a Redeemer" Red 833

The Thanksgiving

We Respond to the Greatness of the Lord

Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

Offering: 1.) General Fund 2.) Volunteers in Service

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Register)

Offertory: "How Beautiful" Paris/Hopson

*Parting Blessing

*Closing Hymn: "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Red 965

*Postlude: "Concerto" Antonio Vivaldi

Worship Leaders

Preaching Pastor: Brian White

Liturgist: Shawn May Organist: Ilene Woldhuis Pianist: Wendy Zwiers

Youth Leaders: Lillian May, Charlotte Stamis

String Trio: Cellist—Mason Doorn; Violist—Abigail Vanden Bosch; Violinist—Mary Kladder

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