

December 30, 2018

The Rev. Mr. John F. Peoples, Jr., Associate Pastor
Mrs. Julie Covert, Organist and Choir Director

Preparation for Worship Amos 9:11-12

“In that day I will raise up the booth of David that is fallen and repair its breaches, and raise up its ruins and rebuild it as in the days of old, that they may possess the remnant of Edom and all the nations who are called by my name,” declares the LORD who does this.”

Prelude – “O How Joyfully/Joy to the World” Arr. Berry

Welcome & Announcements

Choral Introit

*Call to Worship – Isaiah 59:20; 60:1-3

Pastor: ““And a Redeemer will come to Zion, to those in Jacob who turn from transgression,” declares the LORD.

Congregation: Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you.

Pastor: For behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will be seen upon you.

Congregation: And nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising.”

*Prayer of Adoration

*Lord's Prayer

*Hymn - “Angels, from the Realms of Glory” #218

Responsive Reading – Isaiah 59:1-21 p.618 in Pew Bible

Morning Prayer

*Hymn - “Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates!” #198

*Confession of Faith – Westminster Confession of Faith, Chapter VII,
Of God's Covenant with Man, Paragraph V p.852 in Trinity Hymnal

*Doxology #731

Offering

Offertory Music – “The Birthday of a King” Arr. Hayes
(Children 4 up until age 6 may be dismissed to Children's Church)

Scripture Reading – Romans 11:1-36 p.946 in Pew Bible

Sermon The Reverend Mr. John F. Peoples, Jr.

“GOD'S COVENANT: THE PROMISE EXTENDS TO THE WORLD”

*Hymn – “See, amid the Winter's Snow” #199

*Benediction

*Postlude

Many thanks to Alex Pinegar for serving as today's guest accompanist.

TODAY

Sunday School –classes for all ages 9:15AM

Morning Worship 10:30AM

Youth Group 4-5:30PM

Evening Worship 6PM

THIS WEEK

UPCOMING

January 8 – Christmas Choir Party, 7PM

January 21 – Joint Session & Deacons' Meeting, 7PM

February 10 - Missions on Campus & Pitch-in Lunch, more details to come

February 24 – Day of Prayer

GREETERS – John & Kathleen Harris, Jacob Wantz

NURSERY SCHEDULE – (Infant Nursery – First 2)

Today – Beth Nicol, Kelly Ramsey, David Nicol, Victoria Pham

January 6 – Pam Murdock, Laura Waye, Brett Bousema, Phoebe Schuetz

January 13 – Laura DeMasie, Carol Cuttino, Matt & Libby Doublestein

January 20 – Anita McCready, Bernice Liang, Bryan & Lisa Clark

January 27 – Marcia Bogan, Laura Pinegar, James & Caroline Waye

STATISTICS:

December 23, 2018 Attendance – 117

Undesignated Giving - \$9,738.00 Missions Giving – \$1,307.00

Monthly Need - \$32,283 December giving through Dec.23 -\$30,302.00

FUTURE SERMON TEXTS AND TITLES:

January 6 – Psalm 1, “Wise Counsel For the New Year”

January 13 – Psalm 2, “God's Warning to the Nation”

January 20 – Judges 12, “A Life Set Apart”