



# SHAWNEE *park*

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

June 13, 2021, 10:00 AM

Communion Sunday

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE

*Be My Guide* -Thiessen

Worship Leaders only

WELCOME

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 20

*Leader: May the LORD answer you in time of trial;  
May the name of Jacob's God protect you.  
May he send you help from the holy place,  
May he remember all your offerings,  
May he give you your heart's desire and fulfill every one of your plans.*

**People: May we ring out our joy at your victory,  
and raise banners in the name of our God.**

*Leader: May the LORD grant all your prayers.*

**People: Some put their trust in chariots or horses,  
but we in the name of the LORD, our God.  
They will collapse and fall,  
but we shall rise up and hold firm.**

*Leader: Grant salvation, O LORD.*

**People: Give answer on the day we call.**

\*GOD'S GREETING

\*SONG OF PRAISE

*Great in Power* -Fragar

CALL TO CONFESSION

from 1 Cor. 11:27-28

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*Leader: Almighty God, who has given us the gospel of Jesus Christ, and who has provided a most wonderful communion with him through the mystery of the sacrament, we ask you for grace to enable us to prepare our hearts to receive holy communion.*

**All: We confess, O Father,  
that we have all offended your majesty and deserved your judgment.  
We have transgressed in our thoughts, our words, and our deeds.  
We are truly weak. Be merciful, O God, and grant us your pardon.**

[Silence]

*Leader: And let us come to the sacrament in the joy of your forgiving love. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who, with you and the Holy Spirit, one only God, lives and reigns forever.*

**All: Amen.**

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

### SONG OF RESPONSE

*And Can it Be* -Wesley

### OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

Global Village Partners

### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

### \*SONG OF PREPARATION

*We Are People on a Journey* (Vs. 1,2) -DeMey

### SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 14:1-24 (*printed 14:11-24*)

<sup>11</sup> The four kings seized all the goods of Sodom and Gomorrah and all their food; then they went away. <sup>12</sup> They also carried off Abram's nephew Lot and his possessions, since he was living in Sodom.

<sup>13</sup> A man who had escaped came and reported this to Abram the Hebrew. Now Abram was living near the great trees of Mamre the Amorite, a brother of Eshkol and Aner, all of whom were allied with Abram. <sup>14</sup> When Abram heard that his relative had been taken captive, he called out the 318 trained men born in his household and went in pursuit as far as Dan. <sup>15</sup> During the night Abram divided his men to attack

them and he routed them, pursuing them as far as Hobah, north of Damascus. <sup>16</sup> He recovered all the goods and brought back his relative Lot and his possessions, together with the women and the other people.

<sup>17</sup> After Abram returned from defeating Kedorlaomer and the kings allied with him, the king of Sodom came out to meet him in the Valley of Shaveh (that is, the King's Valley).

<sup>18</sup> Then Melchizedek king of Salem brought out bread and wine. He was priest of God Most High, <sup>19</sup> and he blessed Abram, saying,

“Blessed be Abram by God Most High, Creator of heaven and earth.

<sup>20</sup> And praise be to God Most High, who delivered your enemies into your hand.”

Then Abram gave him a tenth of everything.

<sup>21</sup> The king of Sodom said to Abram, “Give me the people and keep the goods for yourself.”

<sup>22</sup> But Abram said to the king of Sodom, “With raised hand I have sworn an oath to the Lord, God Most High, Creator of heaven and earth, <sup>23</sup> that I will accept nothing belonging to you, not even a thread or the strap of a sandal, so that you will never be able to say, ‘I made Abram rich.’ <sup>24</sup> I will accept nothing but what my men have eaten and the share that belongs to the men who went with me—to Aner, Eshkol and Mamre. Let them have their share.”

SERMON

## THE BATTLE OF NINE ARMIES AND A RESCUE MISSION

PRAYER

\*SONG OF RESPONSE

*We Are People on a Journey* (Vs. 3,4) -DeMey

THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Invitation

The Thanksgiving

*Minister: Lift up your hearts.*

**All: We lift them up to the Lord.**

*Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.*

**All: It is right for us to give thanks and praise.**

*Minister: ...We join our voices with all the saints and angels and the whole creation to proclaim the glory of your name.*

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Amen!**

### The Words of Institution

*Minister: ...Therefore, we proclaim our faith as signed and sealed in this sacrament.*

**All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

### The Prayer of Consecration

*Minister: ...We pray in the name of Jesus, who taught us to pray,*

**All: Our Father Our Father in heaven,  
Hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.  
For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

### The Communion

#### Song of Response

*Behold the Lamb* -Getty

\*GOD'S BLESSING

\*CLOSING PRAISE

*Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God* -Holden

**Preacher:** Rev. Darrin Compagner

**Musicians:** Aaron Polet, Dave Lundberg, Joyce Altena, Nate Jen, Rebekah Compagner

**Today's Offering is for:** Global Village Partners

*Global Village Partners is a nonprofit that partners with organizations in developing countries to help develop early assessment programs, access to language, and appropriate educational placement.*

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