## The Lord's Day, December 22 A.D. 2019

Sing to God, sing praises to His name; Extol Him who rides on the clouds, By His name YAH, And rejoice before Him.

Psalm 68:4

# Order of Worship

Prelude Emily Carroll

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

\*The Call to Worship and Salutation

\*The Gloria Patri p. 734

\*The Invocation

\*Hymn # 203 Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 51 p. 874

Pastoral Prayer

\*Hymn # 441 Jesus Shall Reign

The Reading of Scripture: Romans 8:18-30 p. 1005

Sermon: God's Purpose for Suffering

Rev. Dr. Kevin Carroll

\*Prayer of Application & the Lord's Prayer

Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Offering/Hymn # 211 God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

\*The Apostles' Creed p. 784

\*The Benediction

\* The Doxology p. 731

Postlude

\*The congregation will please stand if you are able.

If you are visiting with us, we would like to extend a very special welcome to you. It is our prayer that the Lord will use this congregation to minister to you today. Please be sure to sign our guest register and talk to a greeter about receiving a visitor's packet. Please fill out the enclosed visitor's card and place it in the offering plate during the worship service.

## Our Weekly Schedule

Radio Program (Covenant Concepts) KMIT Sunday School Worship Service Each Lord's Day at 8:55 a.m. Each Lord's Day at 9:00 a.m. Each Lord's Day at 10:00 a.m.

#### News & Announcements

	Today	<b>Next Service</b>
Greeter(s)	Micah Frey	Joe & Emily Carroll
Ushers	Matthew Carroll & Mark	Spencer Gross & Nate
	Limberg	Schnee
Host	Dorothy Dewald	Jess Gottlob

Last Week's Attendance: 71

Last Week's Offering: \$2,442.00 Last Month's Offering: \$9,255.80

Today we have the privilege of celebrating the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. If you are visiting with us, prior to the service, please speak to one of the elders about your desire to partake of the supper.

Join us for the Children's Christmas Program and hymn sing on Christmas Eve at 7. Services will be held Christmas morning at 10. Confirmation classes will resume on January 8.

Nominations are open for one elder position. If you would like to nominate someone, let a member of the Consistory know. The Consistory has nominated John Frey for another term.

This week's birthday(s): Nate Schnee, Amy Strong

Anniversary celebration(s): Mark & Amy Strong, Kevin & Tammy Carroll, Steve & Rose Wagner

#### **Prayer Requests:**

Health concerns: Paul Stevens, Amy Stevens, Rich Carroll, Travis Grassmid, Maggie Powell, Gerry Gramm

Missions: church plants of the RCUS

Military personnel: Joel McCullough, Ethan Cooper

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