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PRELUDE

*Prelude in D Flat*

F. Chopin

Drew Pace, organ

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO SOLEMN ASSEMBLY

Psalm 113:1-3

Minister: *Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD! Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore! From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the LORD is to be praised!*

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Nº 401

*All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night*     T. Ken/T. Tallis/TALLIS' CANON

\*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

✙ Those who are able, please stand.  
Scripture reading may be found on page 916 of the pew Bible.

\*GLORIA PATRI (MEINEKE)

Nº 734

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen, amen.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism #9-11

Minister: *But doesn't God do us an injustice by requiring in His law what we are unable to do?*

People: No, God created humans with the ability to keep the law. They, however, tempted by the devil, in reckless disobedience, robbed themselves and all their descendants of these gifts.

Minister: *Will God permit such disobedience and rebellion to go unpunished?*

People: Certainly not. He is terribly angry about the sin we are born with as well as the sins we personally commit. As a just judge he punishes them now and in eternity. He has declared: "Cursed is everyone who does not continue to do everything written in the Book of the Law."

Minister: *But isn't God also merciful?*

People: God is certainly merciful, but he is also just. His justice demands that sin, committed against his supreme majesty, be punished with the supreme penalty—eternal punishment of body and soul.

READING OF THE LAW

*The Second Commandment*

Exodus 20:4-6

*You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Psalm 25:16-18

Unison: Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted. The troubles of my heart are enlarged; bring me out of my distresses. Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 44:22

Minister: *The LORD says, "I have blotted out your transgressions like a cloud and your sins like mist; return to me, for I have redeemed you."*

OFFERINGS & OFFERTORY

*Preludio from Violin Sonata no. 9*

A. Corelli/W. Nevins

Drew Pace, organ

\*HYMN

N° 5

*God, My King, Thy Might Confessing*

Psalms 145/R. Mant/STUTTGART

\*READING OF SCRIPTURE

Acts 8:26–40

SERMON

Dr. Burk Parsons

"Philip and the Ethiopian Church"

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN

N° 369

*Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns*

B. Beddome/TRURO

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

*Prelude on HYFRYDOL*

R. Vaughan Williams

Drew Pace, organ



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