# WE WORSHIP TOGETHER

# We Glorify God- Love People- Serve the World

May 1, 2016

Prelude Jeanean Kimball

Welcome & Announcements Pastor Marc

\* Hymn #219 Surely the Presence

\*Call To Worship Responsively

L: I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, **P:** "Salvation belongs to our God

who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

L: Today our voices join this ongoing heavenly hymn of praise.

P: In Jesus' name, let us worship God.

\*Hymn #394

Greater is He that is in Me

Call to Confession Responsively

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women to live and die in faith. Forgive our indifference to your will. You have commanded us to speak, but we have been silent. You have called us to do what is just, but we have been fearful. Have mercy on us, your faithless servants. Keep before us faithful people for us to follow so that, by the power of your Holy Spirit, we may grow in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, to the praise of your holy name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

All: Thanks be to God!

Children's Time Pastor Marc

Offering Prayer/ Offertory/\*Doxology #815

Prayers of the People Joys/Concerns/Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 12:1-2 (Red - Pg. 1070, Black - Pg. 1383)

Message "The Race That is Set Before Us" Pastor Marc

Communion Hymn #413 Break Thou the Bread of Life

Communion

\*Hymn #654 Change my Heart, Oh God

\* Blessing and Benediction Pastor Marc

Postlude Jeanean Kimball

#### **Upcoming Dates and Times:**

May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 2:00 PM – Cassie Williams' Bridal Shower May 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM – Session Meeting May 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM – Women's Association Meeting

## **Announcements:**

# **Countyline Youth Group**

The Youth group will meet tonight at Edgington EPC at 5:30 PM. Also, the deadline for our summer work trip is fast approaching! Talk with Alex, Drue, or Terry for more details!

#### **Rhubarb Fest**

Please sign up for the Rhubarb Fest pie ingredients. We will be needing the items soon. Your help is appreciated. Thanks!

#### Prayer Concerns: Birthdays:

Derek Bogart 5-2 Curtis VanWinkle Chris Holmes 5-3 Amy Kiddoo Ron Derrer 5-3 Lindsay McKay Cassie Bieri 5-4 Gage Reed 5-4 Clint Kiddoo Ron Engstrom Diane Anderson 5-4 Kourtney Kiddoo Randy Palmer 5-4 Karrigan Kiddoo Lois Irwin 5-6 Viggo Christensen

Patsy Bell 5-7 Ann Dixon
Jan Mueller 5-8 Douglas Mills
Jim Brislawn 5-8 Natalie Boruff

Dave Reason Ann Boruff

Joann Kimball Kenneston

Harold & Ann Blaser

David Olson Cassie Williams Lynde Johnston Lynn Clark

Chris & Ethan Houston

#### **Anniversaries:**

5-4 Randy & Annie Palmer

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