



## **Sunday Evening Service**

### **November 13, 2011**

#### **WELCOME AND PRELUDE**

*A time of quiet preparation for worship*

#### **MEDITATION**

"When you come to the land that the LORD your God is giving you, and you possess it and dwell in it and then say, 'I will set a king over me, like all the nations that are around me,' you may indeed set a king over you whom the LORD your God will choose. One from among your brothers you shall set as king over you. You may not put a foreigner over you, who is not your brother. Only he must not acquire many horses for himself or cause the people to return to Egypt in order to acquire many horses, since the LORD has said to you, 'You shall never return that way again.' And he shall not acquire many wives for himself, lest his heart turn away, nor shall he acquire for himself excessive silver and gold.

"And when he sits on the throne of his kingdom, he shall write for himself in a book a copy of this law, approved by the Levitical priests. And it shall be with him, and he shall read in it all the days of his life, that he may learn to fear the LORD his God by keeping all the words of this law and these statutes, and doing them, that his heart may not be lifted up above his brothers, and that he may not turn aside from the commandment, either to the right hand or to the left, so that he may continue long in his kingdom, he and his children, in Israel.

**Deuteronomy 17:14-20**

**\*GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP**

O LORD, I am your servant; I am your servant, the son of your maidservant. You have loosed my bonds. I will offer to you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call on the name of the LORD. I will pay my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people, in the courts of the house of the LORD, in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the LORD!

**Psalm 116:16-19**

**\*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE**

*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (#53)*

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**UNISON READING**

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy. Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions of the flesh, which wage war against your soul. Keep your conduct among the Gentiles honorable, so that when they speak against you as evildoers, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day of visitation.

**I Peter 2:9-12**

**\*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE**

*Sometimes a Light Surprises (#621)*

**GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE THROUGH HIS WORD**

“...Like the nations around us.”

Senior Pastor, Kevin Skogen

**\*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE**

*Abide with Me (#402)*

**\*BENEDICTION**

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