

## THE LORD'S DAY

September 24, 2023 at 8:30 AM & 10:15 AM

### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude      David Schmidt  
Piano                      Wendy Baldwin

Hymn 737 Like a River Glorious

Prayer

Announcements

Scripture Reading – Psalm 119:161-176 (opposite page)

Hymn 338 Wonderful Grace of Jesus

Hymn 340 Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Hymn 713 Seek Ye First

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Calvin VanderMey

Message

ABUNDANT LIVING

Romans 6:1-14

Dr. Ron VanderMey

Benediction

Postlude

### WESTMINSTER CATECHISM

Q. 73. Which is the eighth commandment?

A. The eighth commandment is, *Thou shalt not steal.*

Ex. 20:15; Deut. 5:19

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Tuesday 6:30 PM - Precept on Zoom

Wednesday 10 AM - Men's Bible Fellowship

Wednesday 6:30 PM – Prayer and Bible Study

Thursday 8:15 AM – Precept Bible Study

Thursday 6:30-7:45 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Friday 6 PM – Chowder Fest

Saturday 9-10 AM Men's Breakfast

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<sup>161</sup> Princes persecute me without a cause,  
But my heart stands in awe of Your word.

<sup>162</sup> **I rejoice at Your word as one who finds great treasure.**

<sup>163</sup> I hate and abhor lying, *But* I love Your law.

<sup>164</sup> **Seven times a day I praise You,  
Because of Your righteous judgments.**

<sup>165</sup> Great peace have those who love Your law,  
And nothing causes them to stumble.

<sup>166</sup> **LORD, I hope for Your salvation,  
And I do Your commandments.**

<sup>167</sup> My soul keeps Your testimonies,  
And I love them exceedingly.

<sup>168</sup> **I keep Your precepts and Your testimonies,  
For all my ways are before You.**

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<sup>169</sup> Let my cry come before You, O LORD;  
Give me understanding according to Your word.

<sup>170</sup> **Let my supplication come before You;  
Deliver me according to Your word.**

<sup>171</sup> My lips shall utter praise,  
For You teach me Your statutes.

<sup>172</sup> **My tongue shall speak of Your word,  
For all Your commandments are righteousness.**

<sup>173</sup> Let Your hand become my help,  
For I have chosen Your precepts.

<sup>174</sup> **I long for Your salvation, O LORD,  
And Your law is my delight.**

<sup>175</sup> Let my soul live, and it shall praise You;  
And let Your judgments help me.

<sup>176</sup> **I have gone astray like a lost sheep; Seek Your servant,  
For I do not forget Your commandments.**

### LOOKING AHEAD

October 14 – Ladies of Grace 10:30-11:30 AM

October 21 – Ladies' Luncheon 12:30 PM

October 28 – Men's Breakfast 9-10 AM

## **BFC MISSION UPDATE**

Our most recent missionary visitors were Samuel Benjamin and his daughter, Mano Young. Listed below are some of their needs to keep in prayer.

1. Pray for India's elections at the end of 2023 and general election, April 2024.
2. Six people in our home for the elderly and destitute, Ponnagam, were baptized on August 4<sup>th</sup>. Kindly pray for their growth.
3. Please pray for renewed strength, grace, and heavenly wisdom for Mano as she oversees all the changes with restaffing and training at Ponnagam.
4. Inflation of all commodities including vegetables. Pray for God's provisions to run our home during these difficult times.
5. Samuel is facing several health challenges since he returned to India.