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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

ALL: Amen.

ALL: He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever.

ALL: Nor repay us according to our iniquities.

ALL: As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

ALL: For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust.

P: The Lord remembers that we are dust. He knows our fallen sinfulness and calls us to repent of our sins. Paul, who once persecuted the church, rejoiced in the grace he received and the mercy shown to him. Let us confess our sins to God and ask that he would show mercy to us.

ALL: Almighty God, with Paul we too are foremost in sin. We sin against you daily. With our words and actions, we hurt others, even those in the body of Christ, our brothers and sisters in faith. We turn from your Word and your ways to follow the path of our own sinful desires. Have mercy on us and forgive us.

P: The Lord remembers that we are dust; he knows our sinful frame. He has shown grace to his servant Paul and to us through the gift of his Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Jesus took our sins onto himself and carried them to the cross. I announce to you that your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

ALL: God does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Almighty God,

ALL: look favorably upon your family. Graciously rule our bodies lest we are enticed to love the world, and guard our spirits lest we fail to recognize your love. Grant this, we pray, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

MEAL OF OUR LORD

THE LORD’S SUPPER

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Emma Wollan

CHILDREN’S DISMISSAL (Preschool- 6th Grade)

THE WORD OF THE LORD

FIRST READING Isaiah 53:1-6
P: The Word of the Lord...
ALL: Thanks be to God!

SECOND READING 1 Timothy 1:12-17
P: The Word of the Lord...
ALL: Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL Mark 2:13-17
P: The Word of the Lord...
ALL: Thanks be to God!

HYMN OF THE DAY

SERMON “Grace for the Wretched” Pastor Mark Neumann

THE APOSTLE’S CREED

PRESENTING OF THE OFFERING

PRAYERS

P: ... Gracious Lord,

ALL: Have mercy on us and hear our prayer.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

P: He was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.

ALL: All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

P: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

ALL: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

THE SENDING

P: Go in peace, serve the Lord

ALL: Thanks be to God.