**LIVING HOPE OPC ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**for Sunday, November 8th, 2020 at 10:45 AM**

**Prelude** – For the Cause

**Announcements**

**Gospel Greeting** – May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord. 2 Peter 1:2

**Call to Worship Song** – NTH 381 – Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

**Call to Worship** – Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! Psalm 100:3-4

**Prayer of Adoration & Invocation**

**Opening Hymn** – NTH 369 – Shout for the Blessed Jesus Reigns

**Reading of Law** – Exodus 20:1-17

**Confession of Sin** – Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before you our sinful nature – prone to evil and slothful in good – and all our shortcomings and offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. O Lord, have mercy on us, who are ashamed and sorry for all the ways we have displeased you. Teach us to hate our errors, cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins for the sake of your dear Son. And O most holy and loving Father, send your purifying grace into our hearts, we beseech you, and that we may henceforth live in your light and walk in your ways, according to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Declaration of Pardon** – For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

John 3:16-17

**Confession of Faith (The Apostles’ Creed)**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Doxology** – NTH 732

**Exhortation to Give** – Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts! Ps. 96:8

**Prayer for Collection & Pastoral Prayer**

**Scripture Readings** – OT: Amos 9:11-15 / NT: John 4:25-42

**Medley** – Freely, Freely

 – For the Cause

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Sermon** – An Exposition of John 4:27-42: “The Savior of the World”

The Savior of the world sows the Gospel and His disciples reap the harvest.

1. The evangelized woman evangelizes her neighbors (John 4:27-30)
2. The Sower is satisfied to see the harvest. (John 4:31-38)
3. The Gospel harvest multiplies – and Jesus is confessed as Savior of the world. (John 4:39-42)

**Prayer of Application**

**Closing Song** – NTH 441 – Jesus Shall Reign

**Benediction** – Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word. 2 Thessalonians 2:16-17