CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN from Westminster Larger Catechism Q&A 107 & 109 (Modern English Version)

PASTOR: What is the second commandment?

ALL: The second commandment is: You shall not make

for yourself an idol.

PASTOR: What particular sins does the second commandment forbid?

ALL: The second commandment forbids: creating any likeness of God as the Trinity or as anyone of his three persons, either internally in our minds or externally in the form of any kind of image or representation of a created being; any worship of such created likenesses as if God were in them or as if they were a means to worshiping him; the creation of any likenesses of invented gods, any worship of them or service relating to them; and all superstitious contrivance.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ALL: We humbly admit before you, O God, that we have failed to keep the second commandment. Our Lord, we have transgressed your law by creating imaginary gods after our own likeness, and by living lives in service to them. We have created gods out of possessions, wealth, the outdoors, hobbies, passions & talents, family members, friends, preferences, longings and goals, and all kinds of other things. We have treated these good things as ultimate: instead of using them to bring you glory. We have placed these lifeless idols above the true and living God. By the power of our King Jesus, release us from the bondage that we have created to these idols. Forgive us for our waywardness and cause us to walk in uprightness before you, O God. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

we individually come to God in prayer,
silently confessing personal sins so that we may
take hold of the forgiveness won for us by Christ, our Redeemer.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND PEACE WITH GOD Rom. 6:22-23

PASTOR: But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the fruit you get leads to sanctification and its end eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

* HYMN OF REFLECTION

Hymn 642 (vv. 1-5)

Be Thou My Vision

BAPTISM

Grant David Richard Heidtman covenant child of David & September

MINUTE FOR MINISTRY

Adam & Michelle Cain, Missionaries to Honduras

PRAYING TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Pastor Andrew Cies

WORSHIPPING BY GIVING

(Sign, pass & return black pad at the end of the aisle)

♦ Offertory

"Open My Eyes"

Choir

—arr. By Gilbert M. Martin—

* PRAISING OUR GOD

Gloria Patri (Hymn 734)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

* DEDICATING OUR LIVES & GIFTS

* PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Ensemble & Congregation

I Will Wait for You (Psalm 130)

I wait, my soul waits for the Lord, my hope is in His word. More than the watchman waits for dawn, my soul waits for the Lord.

Out of the depths I cry to You, in darkest places I will call; incline Your ear to me anew, and hear my cry for mercy, Lord.

Were You to count my sinful ways, how could I come before Your throne? Yet full forgiveness meets my gaze; I stand redeemed by grace alone.

Chorus

I will wait for You, I will wait for You; on Your word, I will rely. I will wait for You, surely wait for You, till my soul is satisfied.

So put your hope in God alone; take courage in His pow'r to save. Completely and forever won by Christ emerging from the grave.

Chorus

Now He has come to make a way, and God Himself has paid the price, that all who trust in Him today find healing in His sacrifice.

Chorus

Final Chorus

I will wait for You, I will wait for You; through the storm and through the night. I will wait for You, surely wait for You, for Your love is my delight.

* SCRIPTURE READING

Elder Wayne Bowman Page 965 in the pew Bible

2 Corinthians 4:1-6

(Scripture text is on the back of the worship guide)

APPLYING GOD'S WORD

Rev. Andrew Cies

"We Do Not Lose Heart"

* RESPONDING IN SONG

Ensemble & Congregation

Your Great Name We Praise

Immortal, invisible, God only wise, in light inaccessible hid from our eyes, most holy, most glorious, the Ancient of Days, almighty, victorious, your great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting and silent as light, not wanting, or wasting, you rule us in might; your justice like mountains high soaring above your clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

Chorus

Chorus (x 2)

Most holy, most glorious, the Ancient of Days, almighty, victorious, your great name we praise.

All life comes from you, Lord, to both great and small, in all life you live, Lord, the true life of all; we blossom and flourish, but quickly grow frail we wither and perish, but you never fail.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light, your angels adore you, all veiling their sight; all praise we will render; O Father of grace, till one day in splendor we see face to face.

* BENEDICTION

1 Peter 2:9

PASTOR: 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. Amen.

POSTLUDE

Hana Do

Ensemble music: CCLI#89171
Unless otherwise noted, all scripture quotations are from the English Standard Version of the Bible.

If you would like to know more about becoming a Christian, the pastor is available in the narthex after the service.

^{*} Congregation Please Stand

SCRIPTURE

2 Corinthians 4:1-6

Therefore, having this ministry by the mercy of God, we do not lose heart. ² But we have renounced disgraceful, underhanded ways. We refuse to practice cunning or to tamper with God's word, but by the open statement of the truth we would commend ourselves to everyone's conscience in the sight of God. ³ And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. ⁴ In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. ⁵ For what we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. ⁶ For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

SERMON NOTES

TITLE: "We Do Not Lose Heart" TEXT: 2 Corinthians 4:1-6	Page 965 in the pew Bible	

Town North is a community of disciples making disciples of Jesus.

Next Week:

Text: 2 Corinthians 4:7-18 Preacher: Rev. David Rogers

ACTIVITIES & ANNºUNCEMENTS

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SUNDAY	Special Visitors Lunch!—Fellowship Hall Life Chain Sunday—Campbell Rd. & Plano Rd. TNT Youth Group—Admin Youth Room Covenant Clubhouse—Fellowship Hall	12:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	Morning Ladies Bible Study—CE Rm201 Session Meeting—Admin 2nd Fl Men's Bible Study—Fellowship Hall Evening Ladies Bible Study—Admin Rm103 Ensemble Rehearsal—Sanctuary	9:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	Adult Choir Rehearsal—Sanctuary Wednesday Night Prayer—Admin Rm103	6:45 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY	RUFi Dinner & Training—CE Rm201	7:00 p.m.
Church activity calendar is available on-line at www.tnpc.org/events.		

WORSHIP SERVICE

WELCOME—CAIN FAMILY! MTW missionaries Adam and Michelle Cain and their two sons, Jacob and Asher, are joining us for Sunday school and worship this morning. They will share with us about the various ministries they are involved with in La Ceiba, Honduras. Please make it a point to greet them and encourage them in their work.

VISITORS — Please let us know you better so we can pray for you. Please sign the visitor pad at the end of the aisle. NURSERY IS PROVIDED DURING Sunday School and the worship service for all children age three and under. Classrooms are located on the first floor of the Education Building.

COMMUNION — Will be celebrated next Sunday morning. Please prepare your hearts and minds and relationships to approach the LORD's table.

The Flowers — This morning are given by the Cox family in celebration of God's faithful and loving care as Clay and Renee celebrate their 41st anniversary! "Oh, Taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Special Visitors Lunch TODAY!

Fellowship Hall & Courtyard following Worship

Kids!! . . .

Bounce house!
Pumpkin painting!

GUESTS ARE ESPECIALLY WELCOME

Ladies Fall Study 2019: 1, 2, 3 John Tuesdays at 9:30am & 6:30pm

Fiscal Year 2020 Totals through September 29, 2019

General Fund Income \$ 174,100 Designated Giving \$ 12,003 Total Expenses \$ 180,592 Net Surplus or (Deficit) \$ 5,511

(Our fiscal year starts July 1 and ends June 30)

<u>Today is</u> <u>Life Chain Sunday</u>.

Time: 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Place: E.Campbell&Plano Rd.
Contact: Karl & Kathy
Voigtsberger

Session Meeting Tuesday, October 8

If you have a question or concern, please contact Pastor Rogers so he can plan your question into the meeting schedule. (david.rogers@tnpc.org)

Wednesday Night Prayer 7:00pm Admin Room103

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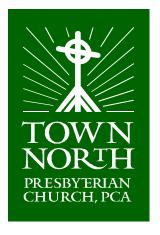
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The Week's Order of WORSHIP for THE LORD'S DAY

October 6, 2019 10:30 A.M.

PRELUDE

(Church elders will be available in the front to pray personally with anyone during the prelude)

ACTIVITIES & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH Pastor Andrew Cies

* GREETING ONE ANOTHER IN LOVE

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 96:1-6

Lynna Harbison

PASTOR: Oh sing to the LORD a new song;

sing to the LORD, all the earth!

PEOPLE: Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.

PASTOR: Declare his glory among the nations,

his marvelous works among all the peoples!

PEOPLE: For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised;

he is to be feared above all gods.

PASTOR: For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols,

but the LORD made the heavens.

PEOPLE: Splendor and majesty are before him:

strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Hymn 2 (vv. 1-6)

O Worship the King