CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Zech. 4:8-10a; Heb. 11:24-26

PASTOR: Then the word of the LORD came to me, saying, "The hands of Zerubbabel have laid the foundation of this house; his hands shall also complete it. Then you will know that the LORD of hosts has sent me to you. For whoever has despised the day of small things shall rejoice, and shall see the plumb line in the hand of Zerubbabel."

> By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. He considered the reproach of Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he was looking to the reward.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, forgive us for following the priorities ALL: of our world. We are easily impressed with the world's success, power, and influence. We are easily embarrassed by the small work of your church. Forgive us for the ways we seek worldly power and influence rather than your kingdom.

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN In these moments. 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 1 Cor. 1:27-31

PASTOR: But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise: God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are, so that no human being might boast in the presence of God. And because of him you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption, so that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

Hymn 165 (vv 1-4)

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

PRAYING TOGETHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE Pastor David Rogers WORSHIPPING BY GIVING

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

♦ OFFERTORY "Seek the Lord (Is. 55:6-7)" Choir -Music by John Carter-

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* PRAISING OUR GOD

Doxology (Hymn 731)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ve heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* DEDICATING OUR LIVES & GIFTS

* PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Ensemble & Congregation

Let Your Kingdom Come

Your glorious cause, O God, engages our hearts. May Jesus Christ be known wherever we are. We ask not for ourselves, but for your renown. The cross has saved us so we pray, "Your kingdom come."

Chorus

Let your kingdom come, let your will be done, so that ev'ryone might know your name. *Let your song be heard* ev'rywhere on earth, till your sov'reign work on earth is done.

Let your kingdom come!

Give us your strength, O God, and courage to speak. Perform your wondrous deeds through those who are weak. Lord, use us as you want, whatever the test. By grace we'll preach your gospel till our dying breath. Chorus (x 2)

Let your kingdom come!

Elder David Hitt Page 839 in the pew Bible

Mark 4:30-32

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

APPLYING GOD'S WORD

* SCRIPTURE READING

Rev. Andrew Cies

"The Extraordinary Growth of God's Kingdom"

WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND INVITATION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND CONSECRATION

THE LORD'S SUPPER (Please hold the elements until everyone is served. Please place used cups in baskets in the narthex after the service.)

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POSTLUDE

Ensemble music: CCLI#89171

* Congregation Please Stand

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, in the dawning of the King. He, the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humanity. In our longing, in our darkness, now the light of life has come! Look to Christ, who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us.

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry: he the perfect Son of Man, in his living, in his suffring, never trace nor stain of sin. See the true and better Adam, come to save the hell-bound man, Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law; in him we stand.

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry: Christ the Lord upon the tree. In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory! See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold, bringing many sons to glory: grace unmeasured, love untold!

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry: slain by death, the God of life. But no grave could e'er restrain him; praise the Lord, he is alive! What a foretaste of deliv'rance, how unwavering our hope. Christ in power resurrected, as we will be when he comes.

* BENEDICTION

Jude 1:24-25

PASTOR: To him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy-to the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen.

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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.

SCRIPTURE

Mark 4:30-32

And he said, "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable shall we use for it? ³¹ It is like a grain of mustard seed, which, when sown on the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth, ³² yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes larger than all the garden plants and puts out large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."

SERMON NOTES

TITLE: "The Extraordinary Growth of God's Kingdom" **TEXT:** Mark 4:30-32 Page 839 in the pew Bible

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

Next Week: Text: Mark 4:35-41 Preacher: Rev. David Rogers

ACTIVITIES & ANNºUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY	Covenant Clubhouse—Fellowship Hall	5:00 p.m.
	Town North Teens—Admin, Youth Rm	5:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	Women's morning Bible Study—CE Rm201	9:30 a.m.
	Joint Session/Deacons Meeting—Admin Bldg	6:00 p.m.
	Women's evening Bible Study—Admin Rm103	6:30 p.m.
	Ensemble Rehearsal—Sanctuary	7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	Adult Choir Rehearsal—Sanctuary	6:45 p.m.
	Wednesday Night Prayer—Admin Rm103	7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY	Men's Bible Study—Admin Rm 103	6:30 p.m.
SATURDAY	Youth Valentine's Childcare—Fellowship Hall	4:30 p.m.
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Church activity calendar is available on-line at www.tnpc.org/events.

WORSHIP SERVICE

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** — We will be serving only gluten-free bread at the Lord's Table. LIFE*Change* OFFERING — This special offering for our missionaries will be collected next Sunday. Remember to bring your banks for the worship service. Thank you for your continuing support of this ministry.

UPCOMING EVENTS

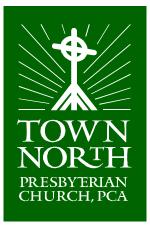
Want to learn more about Town North or become a member? <i>A new</i> "Inquirer's Class" <i>will begin</i> Sunday, February 23 Sundays 9:00am Christian Education Bldg. Room 200-201 If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Rogers at david.rogers@inpc.org.	Town North Family, The kids and I have been so blessed by your love and generosity. We have felt loved and taken care of both by the church and its members. Thank you for loving us and taking care of us. We are all so appreciative. Thank you! I cannot wait to see what the Lord does through us and the other members at Town North. May the Lord bless all your work for flim. In Christ, Sarah Risdon WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER			
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PRELUDE

- * CALL TO WORSHIP
- * HYMN OF PRAISE

* PRAYER OF INVOCATION



The Week's Order of THE LORD'S DAY

February 9, 2020 10:30 A.M.

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

ACTIVITIES & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

Pastor David Rogers

* GREETING ONE ANOTHER IN LOVE

Psalm 72:1, 8, 18-19

PASTOR: Give the king your justice, O God, and your righteousness to the royal son! **PEOPLE:** May he have dominion from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth! PASTOR: Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel, who alone does wondrous things. **PEOPLE:** Blessed be his glorious name forever; may the whole earth be filled with his glory! Amen and Amen!

Hymn 310 (vv 1-5)

Rejoice, the Lord Is King