

HYMN 357 - "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

RESPONSE - "Shalom to You"

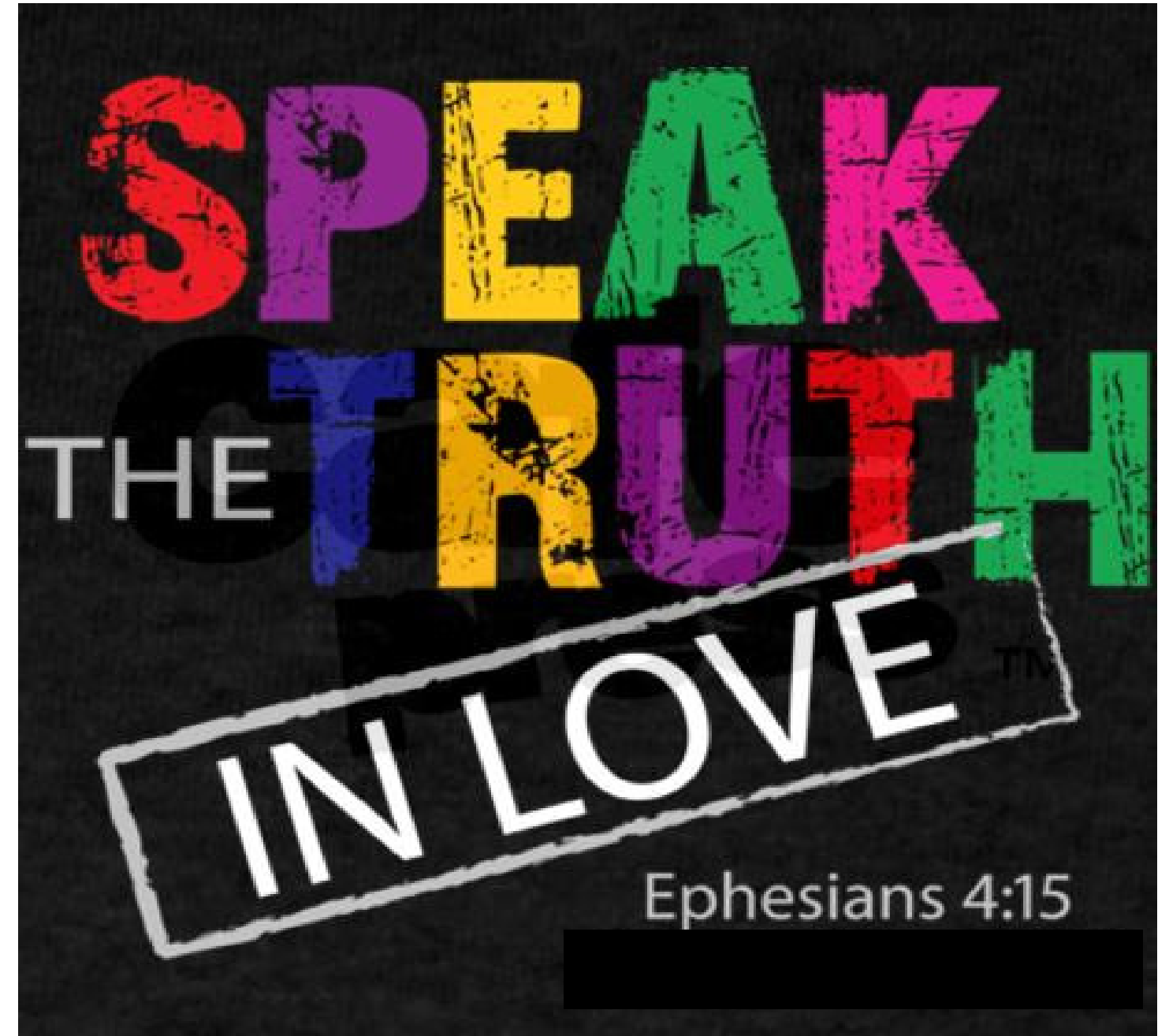
CONCLUDING VOLUNTARY



Toodles, Poodles!

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Children's Bulletin



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CARILLON PEAL

Hear the loud bells? See the children carrying in the flame on a long, golden candle lighter? The sound of the bells, the sight of the candles being lit remind us: We're getting ready for something IMPORTANT and SPECIAL: We're not getting ready for school, or for breakfast, or for bed, but for **WORSHIP!** Why are we doing this? Today is the **Lord's Day**. Now is our chance this week to worship God **together**.

CALL TO WORSHIP IN MUSIC

This music helps bring us closer to God. Did you know that we are praying to God by singing hymns? Let's prepare for worship by listen closely to the music.

INTROIT - "O Come, Let Us Sing to the Lord"

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP IN WORD

PASSING OF THE PEACE

God gave you something *you* need to pass along... Right now? It's the peace of Christ. Smile, with *eyes* and *mouth*, at the people near you and say: "Peace be with you." Shake their hands and remember to turn to the people in the pews behind you!

HYMN 150 - "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent, for the sake of you Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, hear this good news:
Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.
He himself bore our sins
in his body on the cross,
that we might be dead to sin, and alive to all that is good.
I declare to you in the name of Jesus Christ, your are forgiven.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

All: **Amen.**

GLORIA PATRI (Let's sing together again!)

**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.**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON - Proverbs 6:12-19

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM - "Christ Is Our Cornerstone"

SCRIPTURE LESSON - Ephesians 4 (selected verses)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 335 - "Though I May Speak"

SERMON

Loving the Truth and One Another -And Both in God

STATEMENT OF FAITH

**In life and in death we belong to God.
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit,
we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.**

**We trust in God,
whom Jesus called Abba Father.
In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God's image,
Male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community.
But we rebel against God' we hide from our Creator. Ignoring God's commandments,
we violate the image of God in others and ourselves, accept lies as truth,
exploit neighbor and nature,
and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care.**

**We deserve God's condemnation.
Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation.
God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant. Like a mother who will not forsake her
nursing child, like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home,
God is faithful still.**

**With believers in every time and place,
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of god in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS Now we give back to God out of thanks for what we have. This is an act of joy and obedience.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM - "O for a Closer Walk with God"

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.