
Sermon: Salvation Comes from the Lord

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♪ **What a Friend We Have in Jesus (TH #629)**

Benediction

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Greeting

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Call To Worship (Psalm 117)

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Leader: Praise the LORD, all nations! Extol him, all peoples!

All: For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.

Leader: Praise the LORD!

♪ **O Worship The King (TH # 2)**

Confession of Sin

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Call to Confession (WSC Q. 63-66)

Q 63: Which is the fifth commandment?

A: The fifth commandment is, Honour thy father and thy mother; that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

Q 64: What is required in the fifth commandment?

A: The fifth commandment requireth the preserving the honour, and performing the duties, belonging to every one in their several places and relations, as superiors, inferiors, or equals.

Q 65: What is forbidden in the fifth commandment?

A: The fifth commandment forbiddeth the neglecting of, or doing anything against, the honour and duty which belongeth to every one in their several places and relations.

Q 66: What is the reason annexed to the fifth commandment?

A: The reason annexed to the fifth commandment, is a promise of long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory and their own good) to all such as keep this commandment.

Corporate Confession

Our Father in heaven, you are the Father from whom every fatherhood in heaven and on earth is named. You give us fathers, mothers, and all those in authority over us for our good, and to teach us to submit to your authority. Nevertheless, we have often sinned by neglecting and working against the honor and duties which belong to everyone, according to their individual places and relations. Forgive us, we pray, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who perfectly fulfilled his Father's will for our sake, especially by humbling himself in obedience to death on the cross for our sins. Also, according to the riches of your mercy, please turn back the hearts of parents to their children, and the hearts of children to their parents, that we may live eternally in the kingdom that you have given to your people. We pray this in Christ's name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon (Luke 12:32)

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"Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom."

♪ **Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ (TH #524)**

Scripture Reading

Romans 3:21-31

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♪ **The Fool Speaks in His Heart (Printed Insert)**