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## INSTALLATION SERVICE OF PASTOR SCOTT E. HERBERT

PRELUDE MUSIC & SPECIAL MUSIC: Handel's Allegro" (Bell Choir) (written by G. F. Handel, arranged by Michael Keller)

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God".....#297

#### INVOCATION

Liturgist: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Liturgist: Lord, open my lips!

People: Make haste to help me, O Lord.

All:

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Praise

to You, O Christ. Alleluia.

## THE PSALMODY: (Psalm 148)

Liturgist: Let them praise the name of the Lord, for His name alone is exalted.

Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord from the heavens.

People: Praise Him in the heights above.

Liturgist: Praise Him, all His angels.

People: Praise Him, all His heavenly hosts.

Liturgist Praise Him, sun and moon.

People: Praise Him, all you shining stars. Liturgist: Praise Him, you highest heavens, People: and you waters above the skies. Liturgist: Let them praise the name of the Lord.

People: For He commanded and they were created.

Liturgist: He set them in place forever and ever.

People: He gave a decree that will never pass away.

Liturgist: Praise the Lord from the earth,

People: you great sea creatures and all ocean depths,

Liturgist: lightening and hail, snow and clouds,

## THE SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

Liturgist:

The Rev. Wayne Koenig, Interim Pastor, Concordia

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Preacher:

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The Rev. Roger Sterle, Our Saviour Lutheran Church,

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The Rev. Gary Buss, Messiah Lutheran Church, Grand

Junction, CO

Organist:

Jan Fritz

Adult Choir

Director:

Ann Gilbertson

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& Choir Accompanist: Rebecca Duryea

Acolyte:

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Pastor Herbert: I will, the Lord helping me through the power and grace of His Holy Spirit.

Pastor: You, the members of Concordia Lutheran Church, have heard the solemn promise of him called to be your pastor. Will you now receive him, show him that love, honor, and obedience in the Lord, which you owe to the shepherd and the teacher placed over you in your Lord Jesus Christ, and will you support him by your gifts and pray for him always, that in his labors he may retain a cheerful spirit and that his ministry among you may be abundantly blessed?

People: We will, with the help of God.

Pastor: The almighty and most merciful God strengthen and assist you always. Are you willing and ready to assume this trust and responsibility?

Pastor Herbert I am.

Pastor: Pastor Herbert, I install you as the pastor of Concordia Lutheran Congregation, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

May the God of Peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing His will, and may He work in you what is pleasing to Him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. (Hebrews 13:20-21)

People: Amen.

PASTOR'S BLESSINGS

SPECIAL MUSIC: "Creed" (Jody Wojtowicz, Randy Kelley, Jim McCreight)
(written by Rich Mullins and Beaker)

**CLOSING PRAYERS** 

BENEDICTION: Pastor Scott E. Herbert

RECESSIONAL HYMN: "Onward Christian Soldiers".....#518

People: stormy winds that do His bidding,

Liturgist: you mountains and all hills, People: fruit trees and all cedars, Liturgist: wild animals and all cattle.

People: small creatures and flying birds, Liturgist: kings of the earth and all nations, People: you princes and all rulers on earth,

Liturgist: young men and maidens,

People: old men and children.

Liturgist: Let them praise the name of the Lord, for His name alone is exalted.

People: His splendor is above the earth and the heavens.

Liturgist: He has raised up for His people a horn, the praise of all is the saints

People: of Israel, the people close to His heart. Praise the Lord.

Liturgist: Glory be to the Father and to the Son

People: and to the Holy Spirit;

Liturgist: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever.

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SPECIAL MUSIC: "Blessed Assurance" (Henry Savage, Jan Fritz)
(written by William Bay, arranged by Phoebe Knapp)

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON:** Isaiah 40:29-31 (Bible, page 540) Response by all: Thanks be to God!

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SPECIAL MUSIC: "The Potter's Hand" (Adult Choir, with Jane Dickin son, Julie Rabbitt & Michelle Wilkie) (written by Darlene Zschech)

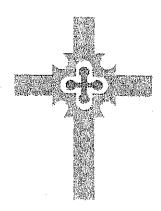
GOSPEL LESSON: John 15:3-8 (Bible, page 778) Response by all: Thanks be to God!

HYMN: "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise".....#451 (verse 1, Ellyn Myller, verse 2, choir; verses 3 & 4, congregation)

THE SERMON

**OFFERINGS** 

MUSIC DURING OFFERING: "Canon of Grace" (Bell Choir)
(written by Johann Pachelbel and Virginia Harmony, arranged by Linda Lamb)



#### THE RITE OF INSTALLATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, the Reverend Scott Herbert has been called to be a pastor of Concordia Lutheran Congregation.

Hear now what Holy Scripture says concerning the office of public

ministry.

#### READING FROM SCRIPTURE

Pastor:

Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I will be with you always, to the very end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20)

Pastor: Dear brother in Christ, the Lord grant that you receive and keep these words in your heart that you may be strengthened and encouraged in your labors.

God gathers His Church by and around His Holy Word and also grants it growth and increase. That this may be done, He has established the office of the public ministry into which you were ordained. It is fitting that you would again acknowledge the responsibilities of this holy office in which you are to serve this congregation.

In the presence of God and this congregation, I now ask you:

Do you believe the canonical books of the Old and New Testaments to be the inspired Word of God and the only infallible rule of faith and practice?

Pastor Herbert: I do.

Pastor: Do you accept the three Ecumenical Creeds, namely, the Apostles'. The Nicene, and the Athanasian Creeds as faithful testimonies to the truth of the Holy Scriptures, and do your reject all the errors which they condemn?

Pastor Herbert: I do.

Pastor: Do you believe that the Unaltered Augsburg Confession is a true exposition of the Word of God and a correct exhibition of the doctrine of the Evangelical Lutheran Church; that the Apology of the Augsburg Confession, the Small and Large Catechisms of Martin Luther, the Smalcald Articles, the Treatise on the Authority and Primacy of the Pope, and the Formula of Concord - as these are contained in the Book of Concord - are also in agreement with this one scriptural faith?

Pastor Herbert I do.

Pastor: Do you solemnly promise that you will perform the duties of your office in accordance with these Confessions, or Symbols, and that all your teaching and your administration of the sacraments will be in conformity with the Holy Scriptures and with the aforementioned Symbols?

Pastor Herbert: I do.

Pastor: Will you faithfully instruct both young and old in the chief articles of Christian doctrine; will you forgive the sins of those who repent, and will you promise never to divulge the sins confessed to you; will you minister faithfully to the sick and dying; will you demonstrate to the Church a constant and ready ministry, admonishing the people to a lively confidence in Christ and holy living?

Pastor Herbert: I will, with the help of God.

Pastor: Finally, will you adom the office of the public ministry with a holy life?



# Christ Lutheran Church

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOE

Scott E. Herbert

January 24, 2002

Concordia Lutheran Church 755 Concordia Lane Steamboat Springs, Colorado 80487

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus,

Greetings to you in the name of our risen and ascended Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

I am writing to you at this time in order to introduce myself and my family to all of you at Concordia and also to provide biographical information requested for the Installation Service on Sunday, March 17, 2002.

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Brothers and sisters in Christ, Janis and I are anxiously looking forward to being with you soon and I am excitedly anticipating serving as your pastor. We keep you in our prayers and we ask that you do the same. May God continue to richly bless and keep you as He has always done. Praise be to God.

In Christ's Service

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