

**SULLY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH**

***Evening Worship***

***October 4, 2020***

***6:00 PM***

**Gathering With Joy**

Prelude

Welcome

\* Call to Worship

\* God's Greeting

\* Opening Songs ..... "Great is the Lord"

..... "How Firm a Foundation"

..... "Jesus Loves Even Me"

**Opening Ourselves to God**

Evening Prayer

**Hearing God's Word**

\* Song ..... "The Love of God"

Scripture ..... Matthew 18:10-20

Sermon ..... "***Unwilling to Lose One***"

**Responding in Faith**

Prayer

\* Song of Response ..... "We Are God's People"

\* Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1

**Departing for Service**

\* Benediction

\* Doxology ..... "To God be the Glory"

\* A Moment of Meditation

\* Postlude

(\*) Denotes - *Please stand, if able.*

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Worship Leader: Pastor Brian Ochsner

Accompanist: Carla Fopma

## The Parable of the Wandering Sheep

<sup>10</sup> "See that you do not despise one of these little ones. For I tell you that their angels in heaven always see the face of my Father in heaven. <sup>[11]</sup>

<sup>12</sup> "What do you think? If a man owns a hundred sheep, and one of them wanders away, will he not leave the ninety-nine on the hills and go to look for the one that wandered off? <sup>13</sup> And if he finds it, truly I tell you, he is happier about that one sheep than about the ninety-nine that did not wander off. <sup>14</sup> In the same way your Father in heaven is not willing that any of these little ones should perish.

## Dealing With Sin in the Church

<sup>15</sup> "If your brother or sister sins, go and point out their fault, just between the two of you. If they listen to you, you have won them over. <sup>16</sup> But if they will not listen, take one or two others along, so that 'every matter may be established by the testimony of two or three witnesses.' <sup>17</sup> If they still refuse to listen, tell it to the church; and if they refuse to listen even to the church, treat them as you would a pagan or a tax collector.

<sup>18</sup> "Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

<sup>19</sup> "Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. <sup>20</sup> For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."

## **PM NOTES**

Text: Matthew 18:10-20

Title: ***"Unwilling to Lose One"***

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1. How does the particular focus of Matthew towards those inside the church challenge you to raise the importance of restoration with brothers and sisters in Christ?
2. Is there a particular relationship you can identify in which you need to take the risk, step into the danger, and go to a brother or sister who has sinned against you?