

**Liturgy Statements and Hymns for
Exodus 21:22-25
The Sanctity of Unborn Human Life**

The Hymn Numbers are from the red New Trinity Hymnal.

Prelude Meditation

Luke 1:41-44

And it happened, when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, that the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. Then she spoke out with a loud voice and said, 'Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb! ... as soon as the voice of your greeting sounded in my ears, the babe leaped in my womb for joy.'

Call to Worship

Psalm 99:1-5

*NKJ The LORD reigns;
Let the people tremble!
He dwells between the
cherubim;
Let the earth be moved!
The LORD is great in Zion,
And He is high above all the
peoples.
Let them praise Your great and
awesome name -
He is holy.*

*The King's strength also loves
justice;
You have established equity;
You have executed justice and
righteousness in Jacob.
Exalt the LORD our God,
And worship at His footstool;
For He is holy.*

***Hymn of Praise**

No. 92

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

Offertory Statement

Matthew 25:34-36,40

NKJ Then the King will say to those on His right hand, "Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to

Me." ... "Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me."

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Isaiah 49:14-16a

*NKJ But Zion said, "The Lord has forsaken me,
And the Lord has forgotten me."
"Can a woman forget her nursing child,
And not have compassion on the son of her womb?
Surely they may forget,
Yet I will not forget you.
See, I have inscribed you on the palms of My hands."*

***Hymn**

No. 189

"Jesus Loves Me, This I Know"

Scripture Lesson

Exodus 21:22-25

*NKJ
21:22 If men fight, and hurt a woman with child, so that she gives birth prematurely, yet no lasting harm follows, he shall surely be punished accordingly as the woman's husband imposes on him; and he shall pay as the judges determine.
21:23 But if any lasting harm follows, then you shall give life for life,
21:24 eye for eye, tooth for tooth, hand for hand, foot for foot,
21:25 burn for burn, wound for wound, stripe for stripe.*

Sermon

"The Sanctity of Unborn Human Life"

***Hymn of Response**

No. 580

"Lead On, O King Eternal"

Benediction

Romans 16:20

NKJ And the God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen.