

*We are a family in Christ worshipping in Spirit
and truth, growing together in God's grace,
and connecting the community with the gospel.*

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GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP *

Let us worship God,
who reconciled us to himself through Christ.

**We are new creations;
the old has gone; the new has come!**

Let us worship God as Christ's ambassadors.

**Through us and through our worship
may we announce the good news to all.**

Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

Praise God! We are reconciled, redeemed, renewed!

SONGS OF PRAISE *

Magnificent, Marvelous, Matchless Love

Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love;

Too vast and astounding to tell.

Forever existing in worlds above,

Now offered and given to us.

Oh fountain of beauty eternal;

The Father, the Spirit, the Son.

Sufficient and endlessly generous:

Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love!

** Stand as you are able*

Bold Print – speak together in unison

Magnificent, Marvelous, Matchless Love

Creation is brimming with thankfulness,
The mountains, exultant they stand;
The seasons rejoice in Your faithfulness,
All life is sustained by Your hand.
You crown every meadow with color;
You paint every shade in the sky;
Each day the dawn wakes as an encore of
Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love!

Chorus:

How great, how sure;
His love endures forevermore.
Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love!

What grace, that You entered our brokenness;
You came in the fullness of time.
How far we had fallen from righteousness,
But not from the mercies of Christ.

Your cross is our door to redemption;
Your death is our fullness of life.
That day, how forgiveness flowed as a flood:
Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love! (*Chorus*)

Bridge:

United in Your resurrection,
You lift us to infinite heights.
Could anything sever or take us from
Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love? (*Chorus twice*)

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INVOCATION *

CONFESSION OF SIN

Christ, is Savior, King and Head of his Church

**Yet we have denied our need to be
in submission to him.**

**We have denied our need to be
in submission to one another.**

**Forgive us for declaring we have no need
of the body of Christ
through our selfishness, pride, and apathy.**

Restore us to real community, O Lord.

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Teach us anew how to suffer and rejoice together.
Forgive our self-promotion
and help us to delight in one another.
Help us to show the glory of Christ
through obedience motivated by love for you
and our brothers and sisters.**

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:8-12

The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and
abounding in steadfast love. He will not always chide, nor
will he keep his anger forever. He does not deal with us
according to our sins, nor repay us according to our
iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so
great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far
as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our
transgressions from us.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

For parents who are interested in nursery care

Children 3 and under

may be brought to the nursery at this time.

Please plan to pick your child up after the sermon.

TIME OF TESTIMONY AND SHARING

Teen Challenge

PRAYER

**Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your 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 yours is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING *

(pew Bible, page 985)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

SERMON

“The Beloved Ones”

Colossians 4:7-18

~ Pastor Ian Hard

HYMN OF RESPONSE *

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

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COMMUNION

Wine is in the inner rings in purple colored cups.

Juice is in the outer ring in clear cups.

The communion bread is gluten free.

HYMN OF SENDING *

We Are God's People

Hymn 355

BENEDICTION *