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

COMMUNION

Wine is in the inner rings of the tray in purple colored cups.

Juice is in the outer ring of the tray in clear cups.

HYMN OF SENDING *

Jesus Paid It All

Hymn 308

BENEDICTION *

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 *

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

He has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places,

Blessed be the God who chose us in him before the foundation of the world

That we should be holy and blameless before him.

In love he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will

to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved.

~ Based on Ephesians 1:3-6

SONGS OF PRAISE *

Glory to God Forever

Before the world was made,
Before You spoke it to be,
You were the King of kings Yes, You were, yes, You were!
And now, You're reigning still,
Enthroned above all things;
Angels and saints cry out,
We join them as we sing:

* Stand as you are able Bold Print – speak together in unison

Glory to God Forever (Continued)

Chorus:

(We sing)

Glory to God, Glory to God,

Glory to God forever!

Glory to God, Glory to God.

Glory to God forever!

Creator, God, You gave me breath,

So I could praise

Your great and matchless name

All my days, all my days!

So, let my whole life be

A blazing offering,

A life that shouts and sings

The greatness of our King! (Chorus)

Bridge:

Take my life, and let it be

All for You, and for Your glory;

Take my life and let it be Yours.

Take my life, and let it be

All for You, and for Your glory;

Take my life and let it be Yours. (Chorus Twice)

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Thou Art Worthy

Thou art worthy, Thou art worthy, Thou art worthy, O Lord,
To receive glory, glory and honor,
Glory and honor and pay'r

Glory and honor and pow'r.

For Thou hast created, hast all things created;

Thou hast created all things.

And for Thy pleasure they are created;

For Thou art worthy, O Lord! (repeat)

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INVOCATION *

CONFESSION OF SIN

O God.

your Word says you discipline those whom you love.

We often forget the love of discipline. We often deny our need of guidance and correction.

Forgive us, O Lord.

Forgive us for an unwillingness to see our sin. Forgive our lack of love, when we fail to challenge our brothers and sisters.

Forgive us Lord,

for abandoning others to their sin instead of humbly pursuing them with loving rebuke.

Forgive us Lord.

when we receive discipline as an attack instead of a help.
Restore to us a love of holiness and delight in your way.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Titus 3:4-7

But when the goodness and lovingkindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

PROFESSION OF FAITH *

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended to heaven
and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father almighty.
From there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

~ Apostle's Creed

CHILDREN'S SERMON

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.

PRAYER

HYMN OF PREPARATION *

Nothing but the Blood

Hymn 307

SCRIPTURE READING *

Philemon 1-7

(pew Bible, page 1000)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

SERMON

"The Givenness of Forgiveness"

~ Pastor Ian Hard