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 *

The Day of Resurrection!

Hymn 267

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*

I will bless the LORD at all times;

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the LORD;

Let the humble hear and be glad.

Oh, magnify the LORD with me,

And let us exalt his name together!

~ Psalm 34:1-3

HYMNS OF PRAISE *

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today Hymn 273

Thine Be the Glory Hymn 274

INVOCATION *

CONFESSION OF SIN

O Lord, you have commanded each of us to love you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength.

We confess that we have fallen short; we do not love you as we ought.

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

CONFESSION OF SIN

You command us to love our neighbor as ourselves. You have commanded us, even, to love our enemies.

Our actions have denied you in the way we have not loved all those who bear your image. We have failed to love those born and unborn, the young and the old, the rich and the poor, those like us and unlike us.

O Lord, we confess our sins to you; we ask for your mercy.

Enable us to love as you have loved us, to embrace the ministry of reconciliation you have entrusted to us.

You are God over every nation, language, tribe, skin color, and class.

Help us to bear witness to the truth in love, to all whom live in your world.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Ephesians 2:8-10 For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

PROFESSION OF FAITH *

Who were we?

For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way.

PROFESSION OF FAITH *

Who are we?

For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be sayed."

There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for we are all one in Christ Jesus. And if we are Christ's, then we are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

Who will we be?

Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed.

And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."

~ Adapted from Is 53; Rom 3; 10; 1 Cor 15; Rev 21

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.

CHOIR

Because He Lives (Amen)

PRAYER

HYMN OF PREPARATION *

Thy Word

Chorus:

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet, And a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet, And a light unto my path.

When I feel afraid, and think I've lost my way, Still You're there right beside me. Nothing will I fear as long as You are near -Please be near me to the end. (Chorus)

I will not forget Your love for me, and yet, My heart forever is wandering. Jesus be my guide and hold me to Your side. I will love You to the end. (Chorus)

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SCRIPTURE READING *

Micah 3:1-12

(pew Bible, page 777)

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

SERMON

"Nowhere to Turn"

~ Pastor Ian Hard

HYMN OF RESPONSE *

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father,
And to the Son,
And to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning,
Is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.

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