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At Home Bulletin

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.

Let the redeemed of the Lord say this—
those he redeemed from the hand of the foe,
**those he gathered from the lands,
from east and west, from north and south.**

Some wandered into desert wastelands,
finding no way to a city where they could settle.

They were hungry and thirsty, and their lives ebbed away.

Then they cried out to the Lord in their trouble,
and he delivered them from their distress.

He led them by a straight way to a city where they could settle.

Let them give thanks to the Lord for his unfailing love
and his wonderful deeds for men,
for he satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things.

Psalms 107:1-9

INVOCATION

SONGS OF PRAISE

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around a glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
Who wert, and art, and evermore shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see;
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
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Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Let us love and sing and wonder, let us praise the Savior's name
He has hushed the law's loud thunder, he has quenched Mount Sinai's flame
He has washed us with his blood (3xs)
He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us love the Lord who bought us, pitied us when enemies
Called us by his grace and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes
He has washed us with his blood (3xs)
He presents our souls to God.

Let us sing though fierce temptation, threatens hard to bear us down
For the Lord, our strong salvation, holds in view the conqu'ror's crown
He, who washed us with His blood, (3xs)
Soon will bring us home to God.

Let us wonder grace and justice, join and point to mercy's store
When through grace in Christ our trust is, justice smiles and asks no more
He who washed us with His blood (3xs)
Has secured our way to God.

Let us praise and join the chorus of the saints enthroned on high
Here they trusted Him before us, now their praises fill the sky
Thou hast washed us with thy blood (3xs)
Thou art worthy Lamb of God.

Yes, we praise thee, gracious Saviour, wonder, love, and bless thy Name.
Pardon, Lord our poor endeavor, pity for thou knowest our frame
Wash our souls and songs with blood (3xs)
For by thee, we come to God.

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GOD'S LAW AND OUR CONFESSION

"Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might." Deuteronomy 6:4-5

Lord of all the earth, strong and mighty above all.

We confess that we have believed ourselves strong,

ignoring your help we so desperately need.

We have ignored the warnings of your word

and strayed into battle unawares.

Forgives us our sins.

Forgive us for trusting untrue truths.

Forgive us for offering rags for righteousness.

Forgive us for denying the peace of your gospel

by failing to proclaim the good news to ourselves and others.

Forgive us for thinking we can save ourselves.

Forgive us for trusting our words and denying the power of your Word.

We cry out for your forgiveness.

We claim the white robes that are ours in Christ.

Guard our hearts and keep us from sin; help us stand firm for you.

From Ephesians 6

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

II Corinthians 5:21

For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Why do you need forgiveness and salvation?

None is righteous, no, not one; no one understands;

no one seeks for God. All have turned aside;

together they have become worthless;

no one does good, not even one."

Is the Law able to save you?

For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

Where shall you turn for forgiveness and salvation?

But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the

law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— the

righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe.

For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory

of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift,

through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus,

whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood,

to be received by faith.

Who is this Jesus?

Christ Jesus, was promised by God beforehand through his prophets

in the Holy Scriptures. He was descended from David according to

the flesh and was declared to be the Son of God in power according

to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead.

Based on Romans, 1:1-5, 3:9-20

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

RECEPTION OF OFFERINGS

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.

SONG OF PREPARATION

Psalm 104:24-35

Tune: O worship the King

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 22:39-65

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"Man of Sorrows"

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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CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

*If you are following along at home, please refrain from taking Communion
as it is a form of worship meant to be celebrated in the physical presence
of the body of Christ.*

HYMN OF SENDING

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

O soul, are you weary and troubled?
No light in the darkness you see?
There's light for a look at the Savior,
and life more abundant and free!

Refrain:

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
look full in his wonderful face,
and the things of earth will grow strangely dim
in the light of his glory and grace.

Through death into life everlasting
he passed, and we follow him there;
over us sin no more hath dominion-
for more than conqu'rors we are! *(refrain)*

His Word shall not fail you— he promised;
believe him, and all will be well:
then go to a world that is dying,
his perfect salvation to tell! *(refrain)*

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MERCY OFFERING

BENEDICTION

Sermon NOTES: *Man of Sorrows*