Praise

***Call to Worship** – *adapted from Psalm 111:1-4*

Leader: Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.

People: **Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.**

Leader: He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered; the Lord is gracious and merciful.

People: **I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.**

***10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)**

***Prayer of Adoration**

Leader:[1] Let us pray.

People: **Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

***Oceans (Where Feet May Fall)**

Confessing our Faith — *Heidelberg Catechism*[2] *Question 1*

Leader: What is thy only comfort in life and death?

People: **That I with body and soul, both in life and death, am not my own, but belong unto my faithful Savior Jesus Christ; who, with his precious blood, has fully satisfied for all my sins, and delivered me from all the power of the devil; and so preserves me that without the will of my heavenly Father, not a hair can fall from my head; yea, that all things must be subservient to my salvation, and therefore, by his Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me sincerely willing and ready, henceforth, to live unto him.**

[1] The pattern of the Lord's Prayer shapes our worship service

Renewal

Prayers of the People

Leader: He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever. He has shown his people the power of his works, in giving them the inheritance of the nations. (Ps 111:5-6)

People: **Give us this day our daily bread.**

Confession of Sin – *adapted from Psalm 111:7-8*

Leader: The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy; they are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

All: **Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.**

Silent Confession

***My Help, My God (Psalm 42)**

***Assurance of Pardon** – *adapted from Psalm 111:9-10*

Leader: He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever.

People: **Holy and awesome is his name!**

Leader: The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding.

[2] Written in 1563 by Zacharius Ursinas and commissioned by Elector Frederick III (Germany) as a teaching tool for the Church. It's devotional flavor sets it apart from other Reformed catechisms.

People: **His praise endures forever!**

***All That I Am**

Children's Worship Training – *Children are dismissed with children's ministry leaders for a time of worship training, which is designed for children 5 and under. Please remember to pick up your child in the Ed building after worship.*

Commitment & Communion

Leader: Let us pray.

People: **Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, amen.**

Sermon – *Trophies on the Wall (Ecc 2:18-26; 4:4-8)* –
Rev. Carter Sanger

Communion at the Lord's Table

***All Hail the Power of Jesus Name**

Offering/Community Life

***Benediction/Dismissal**

Sunday schedule:

Sunday Bible Study	9 AM
Coffee & Fellowship	10 AM
Worship:	10:30 AM

* **Please stand, if able.** Music license CCLI #672729.
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Ecclesiastes

May 26, 2019

To all who are weary and looking for hope, welcome.
You're in the right place.

As you find a seat, please silence all electronic devices

Helps for parents with babies or small children:

- Infant **nursery** across from the sanctuary. Toddler nursery in the Education building.
- **Cry room** (end of the hall) available for noisy babies.
- **Worship training** dismissal midway through the service.

Preparation

It is an unhappy business that God has given to the children of man to be busy with.

– Ecclesiastes 1:13