
Praise

Call to Worship – adapted from Psalm 22:22–26

Leader: I will tell of your name to my brothers; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you:

People: **You who fear the Lord, praise him! All you offspring of Jacob, glorify him, and stand in awe of him, all you offspring of Israel!**

Leader: For he has not despised or abhorred the affliction of the afflicted, and he has not hidden his face from him, but has heard, when he cried to him.

People: **From you comes my praise in the great congregation; my vows I will perform before those who fear him.**

Leader: The afflicted shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise the Lord! May your hearts live forever!

Prayer of Adoration

*Leader:*¹ Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name.

People: **Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

Great Things

The Stone (Matthew 21:42)

Confessing our Faith — Heidelberg Catechism²

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

People: **That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.**

He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.

Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

Renewal

Prayers of the People

Leader: Let us bring our needs before God.

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

Confession of Sin – adapted from Psalm 26:9–11

Leader: Do not sweep my soul away with sinners, nor my life with bloodthirsty men, in whose hands are evil devices, and whose right hands are full of bribes.

People: **But as for me, I shall walk in my integrity; redeem me, and be gracious to me.**

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

Silent confession

Assurance of Pardon – adapted from Psalm 26:3, 12

Leader: For your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in your faithfulness.

People: **My foot stands on level ground; in the great assembly I will bless the Lord.**

Better Is One Day (Psalm 84)

Children's Worship Training – Children are dismissed with children's ministry leaders for a time of worship training, which is designed for children aged 3 to 5. Please remember to pick up your child in the Ed building after worship.

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

² Question 1 from the Heidelberg catechism written in 1563.

Communion

Leader: Sanctify us in the truth. Your word is truth.

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 – Walking with Integrity (Psalm 26) – Rev. Carter Sanger

Communion at the Lord's Table

More Love to Thee, O Christ (Hymn 649)

Commitment

Offering/Community Life

***Benediction** – from Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

***Dismissal** – Isaiah 6:8

Leader: I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?”

People: Here am I! Send me.

Sunday schedule:

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

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SONGS of the Soul

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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:

- **Nursery: Infants and Toddlers** in the Ed building.
- **Cry room** (end of the hall) available for noisy babies.
- **Worship training dismissal** midway through the service.

Preparation

*O Lord, I love the habitation of your house
and the place where your glory dwells.*

– Psalm 26:8