

**\*Call to Worship – adapted from Psalm 36:5-6**

*Leader:* Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens,

*People:* **your faithfulness to the clouds.**

*Leader:* Your righteousness is like the mountains of God; your judgments are like the great deep;

*People:* **man and beast you save, O Lord.**

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

*Leader:*<sup>1</sup> 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.**

**\*Taste and See (Psalm 34)**

**\*Lord, I Need You**

**Confessing our Faith — Apostle's Creed<sup>2</sup>**

*Christian, what do you Believe?*

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was  
buried. He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He  
ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, whence  
He shall come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic<sup>3</sup> church, the communion of saints, the  
forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**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 36:1–4**

*Leader:* Transgression speaks to the wicked deep in his heart;

*People:* **there is no fear of God before his eyes.**

*Leader:* For he flatters himself in his own eyes that his iniquity cannot be found out and hated.

*People:* **The words of his mouth are trouble and deceit; he has ceased to act wisely and do good.**

*Leader:* He plots trouble while on his bed; he sets himself in a way that is not good; he does not reject evil.

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

*Silent confession*

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

**\*Assurance of Pardon – adapted from Psalm 36:7–9**

*Leader:* How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

*People:* **The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings.**

*Leader:* They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

*People:* **For with you is the fountain of life; in your light do we see light.**

**\*Psalm 63: Better Than Life**

<sup>1</sup> The pattern of the Lord's Prayer shapes our worship service

<sup>2</sup> the most widespread confession of faith among Christians throughout the history of the Church.

<sup>3</sup> The word "catholic" means universal. It is not a reference to the Roman Catholic Church.

**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.

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*Commitment & Communion*

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**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** – *Why Fast? (Isaiah 58)* – Rev. Carter Sanger

**Communion at the Lord's Table**

**\*More Love to Thee (Hymn 649)**

**Offering/Community Life**

**\*Benediction** – *from Jude 1:24-25*

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

**\*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.

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**Sunday schedule:**

Sunday School 9 AM  
Coffee & Fellowship 10 AM  
Worship: 10:30 AM

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

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**January 22, 2023**

**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.

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*Preparation*

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...call the Sabbath a delight...

– Isaiah 58:13