

Order of Worship

February 14, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Invocation

*Call to Worship

Psalm 98:1-4, 6 (ESV)

Leader: Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things!
His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.

**Congregation: The LORD has made known his salvation;
he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.**

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.
All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

**Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;
break forth into joyous song and sing praises!**

With trumpets and the sound of the horn
make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD!

*Song of Praise

Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord

1. Come, let us sing unto the Lord new songs of praise with sweet accord;
for wonders great by him are done, his hand and arm have vict'ry won.
2. The great salvation of our God is seen through all the earth abroad;
before the heathen's wond'ring sight he has revealed his truth and right.
3. He called to mind his truth and grace in promise made to Israel's race;
and unto earth's remotest bound glad tidings of salvation sound.
4. All lands, to God lift up your voice; sing praise to him, with shouts rejoice;
with voice of joy and loud acclaim let all unite and praise his name.

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Call to Confession

Romans 7:18-25 (ESV)

Leader: For I know that nothing good dwells in me, that is, in my flesh. For I have the desire to do what is right, but not the ability to carry it out. For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I keep on doing. Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I who do it, but sin that dwells within me.

So I find it to be a law that when I want to do right, evil lies close at hand. For I delight in the law of God, in my inner being, but I see in my members another law waging war against the law of my mind and making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members.

Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself serve the law of God with my mind, but with my flesh I serve the law of sin.

Prayer of Confession and Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

1 John 3:1-3 (ESV)

Leader: See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

Song of Assurance

No Longer Slaves

1. You unravel me with a melody.

You surround me with a song of deliverance
from my enemies till all my fears are gone.

I'm no longer a slave to fear; I am a child of God.

I'm no longer a slave to fear; I am a child of God.

2. From my mother's womb You have chosen me;

Love has called my name. I've been born again into Your family;
Your blood flows through my veins.

I am surrounded by the arms of the Father.

I am surrounded by songs of deliverance.

We've been liberated from our bondage.

We're the sons and the daughters.

Let us sing our freedom.

You split the sea so I could walk right through it.

My fears were drowned in perfect love.

You rescued me so I could stand and sing:

I am a child of God.

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Offering

*Scripture Reading

John 1:9-13 (ESV)

*Pastoral Prayer

Morning Message

The Lord's Table

**All: He is the image of the invisible God,
the firstborn of all creation.
For by him all things were created,
in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible,
whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—
all things were created through him and for him.
And he is before all things,
and in him all things hold together.
And he is the head of the body, the church.
He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead,
that in everything he might be preeminent.
For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell,
and through him to reconcile to himself all things,
whether on earth or in heaven,
making peace by the blood of his cross.**

Colossians 1:15-20 (ESV)

Goodness Of God

1. I love You, Lord. Oh, Your mercy never fails me.
All my days I've been held in Your hands.
From the moment I wake up until I lay my head,
I will sing of the goodness of God.

All my life You have been faithful.
All my life You have been so, so good.
With ev'ry breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God.

2. I love Your voice. You have led me through the fire.
In darkest night, You are close like no other.
I've known You as a father, I've known You as a friend.
I have lived in the goodness of God.

Your goodness is running after, it's running after me.
Your goodness is running after, it's running after me.
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now;
I give You ev'rything.
Your goodness is running after, it's running after me.

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*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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*Benediction

*Postlude

This Week's Birthdays

February 14, Gary Kirklin; February 15, Ezekiel Branam; February 17, Katey Shockey;
February 20, Leo Robinson; February 21, Paula Moulton; February 22, Steve Bedi,
Samuel Branam; February 23, Mary Rosema; February 24, Colleen Wolowski