

Order of Worship

June 6, 2021

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Reflecting on our Baptism and Invocation

*Call to Worship

Psalm 95:1-7a (ESV)

Leader: Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Congregation: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

*Song of Praise

We Are God's People
Hymn No. 355

1. We are God's people, the chosen of the Lord,
born of his Spirit, established by his Word;
our cornerstone is Christ alone, and strong in him we stand:
O let us live transparently,
and walk heart to heart and hand in hand.

2. We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord,
for we have known it, the love of God outpoured;
now let us learn how to return the gift of love once giv'n:
O let us share each joy and care,
and live with a zeal that pleases heav'n.

3. We are the Body of which the Lord is Head,
called to obey him, now risen from the dead;
he wills us be a family, diverse yet truly one:
O let us give our gifts to God,
and so shall his work on earth be done.

4. We are a temple, the Spirit's dwelling place,
formed in great weakness, a cup to hold God's grace;
we die alone, for on its own each member loses fire:
yet joined in one the flame burns on
to give warmth and light, and to inspire.

Call to Confession

Psalm 95:7b-11 (ESV)

Leader: Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts, as at Meribah, as on the day at Massah in the wilderness, when your fathers put me to the test and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work. For forty years I loathed that generation and said, "They are a people who go astray in their heart, and they have not known my ways." Therefore I swore in my wrath, "They shall not enter my rest."

Silent Confession of Sin

Song of Confession

O God Of Mercy, Hear Our Plea

1. O God, we've seen Your faithfulness; You brought us from the wilderness.
But now, our faith is frail and weak. O God of mercy, hear our plea.

2. When will You comfort our distress? How long until the promised rest?
We cry to You from deepest need, O God of mercy, hear our plea.

Abba Father, our Redeemer, in this barren land be our hope and strength.
Until glory we will trust and sing. Abba Father, hear our plea.

3. We join creation's longing groan to take Your ransomed children home.
For then the eyes of all will see the God of mercy hears our plea.

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Scripture Reading

Hebrews 4:6-7, 11 (ESV)

Leader: Since therefore it remains for some to enter it, and those who formerly received the good news failed to enter because of disobedience, again he appoints a certain day, "Today," saying through David so long afterward, in the words already quoted, "Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts." Let us therefore strive to enter that rest, so that no one may fall by the same sort of disobedience.

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 8:35-39 (ESV)

Leader: Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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*Song of Assurance

He Will Hold Me Fast

1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path;
for my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;
For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast.

2. Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast;
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast.
He'll not let my soul be lost; His Promises shall last;
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.

3. For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;
Justice has been satisfied; He will hold me fast.
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast;
till our faith is turned to sight, when He comes at last!

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Offering

Pastoral Prayer

*Scripture Reading

Numbers 20:1-13 (ESV)

Morning Message

This Week's Missionary

Jay and Holly Eastman, serving in Berlin, Germany with MTW

This Week's Birthdays

June 10, Kristofer Holroyd; June 11, Anna Goller, Magi Sikora; June 14, Debbie Rose

The Lord's Table

The Apostles' Creed

All:

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

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

Trust and Obey
Hymn No. 672

1. When we walk with the Lord in the light of his Word, what a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will, he abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey.

Trust and obey, for there's no other way
to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

2. Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies, but his smile quickly drives it away;
not a doubt or a fear, not a sigh nor a tear, can abide while we trust and obey.

3. Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, but our toil he doth richly repay;
not a grief nor a loss, not a frown or a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey.

4. But we never can prove the delights of his love until all on the altar we lay;
for the favor he shows, and the joy he bestows, are for them who will trust and obey.

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*Song of Response

Doxology
Hymn No. 731

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