

## **ORDER OF WORSHIP | August 23, 2020**

### **Prelude**

#### **Welcome**

To all who are weary and need rest;  
To all who mourn and long for comfort;  
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares;  
To all who fail and desire strength;  
To all who sin and need a Savior;  
To all who hunger and thirst for righteousness;  
And to whoever will come-

This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

#### **Call to Worship | John 17:3**

Minister: And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent.

Let us worship the only true God together!

#### **Hymn of Praise | "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"**

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name	Let every kindred every tribe
Let angels prostrate fall	On this terrestrial ball
Bring forth the royal diadem	To him all majesty ascribe
And crown him Lord of all	And crown him Lord of all
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Ye chosen seed of Israel's race	O that with yonder sacred throng
Ye ransomed from the fall	We at his feet may fall
Hail him who saves you by his grace	We'll join the everlasting song
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### **Invocation**

#### **The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

#### **Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father  
And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost  
As it was in the beginning  
Is now and ever shall be  
World without end  
Amen Amen

**Affirmation of Faith** | The Heidelberg Catechism, Q/A #1

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

**All: 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.**

**“Hiding Place”**

Against the God who rules the sky  
I fought with hand uplifted high  
Despised the mention of his grace  
Much too proud to seek a hiding place

Wrapped in shadows of the night  
Fond of darkness more than light  
Blind I ran the sinful race  
I felt no need for a hiding place

But then the eternal council ran  
Almighty love arrest this man  
I felt the arrows of distress and found I had  
No shield no hiding place

Holy justice stood in view  
To Sinai’s fiery mount I flew  
But justice cried with frowning face  
This mountain is no hiding place

But then a heavenly voice I heard  
Mercy for my soul appeared  
She led me on with gentle pace  
To Jesus as my hiding place

Should seven storms of vengeance roll  
And shake this earth from pole to pole  
No thunderbolt shall daunt my face  
While Jesus is my hiding place  
While Jesus is my hiding place

On him almighty vengeance fell  
Which would have sunk this world to Hell  
He bore it for a sinful race  
To make himself our hiding place  
Hiding place hiding place  
Hiding place

**Call to Confession** | The Ten Commandments from Exodus 20

Minister: And God spoke all these words, saying, “I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

**All: You shall have no other gods before me.**

**You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.**

**You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.**

**Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.**

**Honor your father and your mother.**

**You shall not murder.**

**You shall not commit adultery.**

**You shall not steal.**

**You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.**

**You shall not covet.”**

**Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Pardon and Comfort** | Romans 8:1

Minister: There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Hear and receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**"Lord Have Mercy for What We Have Done"**

For what we have done and left undone  
We fall on your countless mercies  
For sins that are known and those unknown  
We call on your name so holy

For envy and pride for closing our eyes  
For scorning our very neighbor  
In thought word and deed  
We've failed you our King  
How deeply we need a Savior

*Chorus*

*Lord have mercy Christ have mercy  
Lord have mercy on us  
Lord have mercy Christ have mercy  
Lord have mercy on us*

For what you have done your life of love  
You perfectly lived we praise you  
Though tempted and tried you fixed your eyes  
You finished the work God gave you

And there on the tree a King among thieves  
You bled for a world's betrayal  
You loved to the end our merciful friend  
How pure and forever faithful

*Chorus 2x*

For hearts that are cold for seizing control  
For scorning our very Maker  
In thought word and deed  
We've failed you our King  
How deeply we need a Savior

*Chorus 2x*

**(8:30) Commissioning**

Angela Willis (Diaconal Ministry Team)  
Phoenix Kageler (Women's Ministry Coordinator)

**(11:00) Pastoral Prayer**

**Tithes and Offerings**

**The Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise him all creatures here below  
Praise him above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost Amen

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Sermon**

**"Sanctified in the Truth"**

*John 17:14-19*

Rev. Richard Harris

## **Closing Song | "In Christ Alone"**

In Christ alone my hope is found  
He is my light my strength my song  
This Cornerstone this solid Ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm

What heights of love what depths of peace  
When fears are stilled when strivings cease  
My Comforter my All in all  
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone who took on flesh  
Fullness of God in helpless babe  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones he came to save

'Til on that cross as Jesus died  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on him was laid  
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground his body lay  
Light of the world by darkness slain  
Then bursting forth in glorious day  
Up from the grave he rose again

And as he stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me  
For I am his and he is mine  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death  
This is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath  
Jesus commands my destiny

No power of hell no scheme of man  
Can ever pluck me from his hand  
'Til he returns or calls me home  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

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## **Benediction**

### **Postlude**

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