

A Service For The Worship Of God

August 12, 2018

We give thanks that God has called us to worship together.

Hymn Sing – 2 hymns of your choosing

A Word of Welcome and Announcements

Prayer Of The Day (in unison)

Redeeming God, you satisfy our soul's hunger through Jesus Christ, the bread of life. Filled with your steadfast love, let us live in love, working honestly to share with the needy, feeding others with the bread of kindness, tenderness, and forgiveness. Amen.

Hymn: Oh, Draw Me, Lord

Selah

Oh, draw me, Lord
Oh, draw me, Lord
Oh, draw me, Lord
And I'll run after You

Repeat 5x

Call To Confession

In Jesus, God has shown us that love is stronger than death and that new life is available when we receive forgiveness of sin. Let us confess our sin before God and one another that we may receive this new life in Christ.

Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

God of peace, we have rejected your redemption and forged our own way.

We hang between heaven and earth, caught up in our own folly.

We have held fast to falsehood, deceiving others and ourselves.

We have sinned against you and done violence to others.

Bitterness and wrath, anger and wrangling, slander and malice consume us.

Evil runs rampant in our hearts.

If you, O Lord, should mark our iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

But there is forgiveness with you so that you may be revered. Our soul waits in hope for your word to redeem us so that we may begin anew, a new day with you. Amen.

(Silent Confession) — In Christ's name we pray. **Amen.**

Assurance Of Pardon

Leader: Sisters and brothers, God loves us, forgives us, and frees us from our sins; therefore be at peace and love with boldness and generosity.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God

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.

Passing The Peace Of Christ

Leader: *As a forgiven people, let us share the peace of Christ
The Peace Of Christ Be With You.*

People: And Also With You.

Leader: *Let us turn and greet one another*

Children's Time

Hymn: Take Time To Be Holy

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Prayers Of The People and Lord's Prayer

(You are invited to share out loud your prayer concerns and joys)

Leader: Lord in you mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer (in unison)

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.

Prayer Response

Hymn #325 Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers

Spirit divine, attend our prayers,
And make this house your home;
Descend with all your gracious powers;
O come, great Spirit, come!

Offering (let us present our Offerings, Tithes and Gifts to the Lord)

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory

*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.

Special Music

Scripture

John 6:35, 41-51

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." They were saying, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" Jesus answered them, "Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, 'And they shall all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

Message

Rev. Jack Cormack

Hymn: Redeemed

Big Daddy Weave

Seems like all I could see was the
struggle
Haunted by ghosts that lived in my
past
Bound up in shackles of all my
failures
Wondering how long is this gonna
last
Then You look at this prisoner and
say to me "son
Stop fighting a fight it's already been
won"
I am redeemed, You set me free
So I'll shake off these heavy chains
Wipe away every stain, now I'm not

who I used to be
I am redeemed, I'm redeemed
All my life I have been called
unworthy
Named by the voice of my shame
and regret
But when I hear You whisper, "Child
lift up your head"
I remember, oh God, You're not
done with me yet
I am redeemed, You set me free
So I'll shake off these heavy chains
Wipe away every stain, now I'm not
who I used to be

Because I don't have to be the old
man inside of me
'Cause his day is long dead and
gone
Because I've got a new name, a new
life, I'm not the same
And a hope that will carry me home

I am redeemed, You set me free
So I'll shake off these heavy chains
Wipe away every stain, 'cause I'm
not who I used to be

***Charge and Benediction**

***Response**

God be with you till we meet again,
By His counsels guide, up hold you,
With His sheep securely fold you
God be with you till we meet again.

*=Those for whom it is comfortable are invited to stand

Rev. Jack Cormack
Jennifer McCullough
Jo Lynne Palmerton

Pastor
Director of Music
Pianist

I am redeemed, You set me free
So I'll shake off these heavy chains
Wipe away every stain, yeah, I'm not
who I used to be
Oh, God, I'm not who I used to be
Jesus, I'm not who I used to be
'Cause I am redeemed
Thank God, redeemed*