

A Service For The Worship Of God

October 21st, 2018

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

Processional Hymn #485

To God Be The Glory

A Word of Welcome and Announcements

Call To Worship

Leader: Praise the Lord, for God is great indeed!

People: Let us sing praises for God's glorious works.

Leader: We give glory, honor, and thanksgiving to the Lord,

People: who makes and sustains all things.

Unison: Let us Celebrate God's Love Together

Hymn: Who You Say I Am – Hillsong Worship

Who am I that the highest King
Would welcome me
I was lost but He brought me in
Oh, His love for me
Oh, His love for me

Who the Son sets free
Oh, is free indeed
I'm a child of God
Yes, I am

Free at last, He has ransomed me
His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin
Jesus died for me
Yes, He died for me

Who the Son sets free
Oh, is free indeed
I'm a child of God
Yes, I am

In my Father's house
There's a place for me
I'm a child of God
Yes, I am

I am chosen
Not forsaken

I am who You say I am
You are for me
Not against me
I am who You say I am

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Call To Confession

In God, we find light for our darkness, and through that light we discover the things that separate us from God and one another. Let us confess our sin that we may experience renewed hope and new life in Christ.

Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Merciful and gentle God, we have wanted reward without sacrifice. We have been unwilling to serve and have not humbled ourselves in obedience. Forgive our hubris, gracious God. Correct our ignorant ways and help us to know your glory through servanthood. Guide us to be true followers of your way, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

Assurance Of Pardon

Leader: Friends, hear the good news of the Gospel of Jesus Christ; as far as the east is from the west and the north from the south, so far has God removed our sin.

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 #428

We Give Thee But They Own

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.

Choral Anthem

Soloist

Down To The River To Pray

Cathy Miller

Scripture

Mark 10:35-45 (NRSV)

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

Message

Rev. Jack Cormack

Hymn: Amazing Grace My Chains Are Gone – Chris Tomlin

Amazing Grace, how sweet the
sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now am found
Was blind but now I see

'Twas Grace that taught my heart to
fear
And Grace my fears re - lieved
How precious did that Grace appear
The hour I first believed

My chains are gone, I've been set
free
My God, my Savior has ransomed
me
And like a flood His mercy rains
Unending love, Amazing Grace

The Lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

My chains are gone, I've been set
free
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And like a flood His mercy rains
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free
My God, my Savior has ransomed
me
And like a flood His mercy rains
Unending love, Amazing Grace

The earth shall soon dissolve like
snow
The sun forbear to shine
But God who called me here below
Will be forever mine
Will be forever mine
You are forever mine*

***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

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