

**~God Receives Our Offerings and Requests~**

**We Worship God with Our Tithes and Offerings**

**We Present Our Requests to God in Prayer**

**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.

**~God Blesses and Sends Us Out~**

**Elder**

What command and mission has Christ given to us until he returns?

**Congregation**

“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.”

**Elder**

What promise has Christ given to empower us as we go?

**Congregation**

“And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

**Benediction**

**Announcements**

**Postlude**

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**Sunday Service of Worship**

**Welcome**

**Prelude**

**~God Calls Us to Worship Him~**

**Call to Worship**

**Pastor**

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever! Let Israel say,

**Congregation**

“His steadfast love endures forever.”

**Pastor**

Let the house of Aaron say,

**Congregation**

“His steadfast love endures forever.”

**Pastor**

Let those who fear the LORD say,

**All**

“His steadfast love endures forever.”

**Hymn** Awake, My Soul, in Joyful Lays

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**Prayer of Worship**

~God Renews Us in Christ~

**We Corporately Confess Our Sin and Need** Psalm 130

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me. Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being, and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart. Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice. Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

**We Silently Confess Our Sins**

**Assurance of Pardoning Grace** Ephesians 2:8-9

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

**Song** In Christ Alone (CCLI#251645)

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 ev'ry 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 pow'r of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand;  
'Til He returns or calls me home,  
Here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand!

**New Testament Lesson** Matthew 26:17-30

**Hymn** And Can It Be That I Should Gain (455)

~God Instructs Us with His Word~

**We Listen to God** Psalm 118

**Sermon** God's Everlasting and Costly Love

**Hymn** Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It! (701)