WORSHIPING ON THE LORD'S DAY

February 26, 2023

Worship, as God intended, is a supernatural event. As we enter into this service of worship, we cross the threshold of the secular to the sacred, from the common to the uncommon, from the profane to the holy. Prepare yourself therefore for this most holy convocation!

Prelude Worship Theme

God is Faithful

Romans 11:2-4: "God has not rejected His people whom He foreknew. Or do you not know what the Scripture says in *the passage about* Elijah, how he pleads with God against Israel? 'Lord, they have killed Thy prophets, they have torn down Thine altars, and I alone am left, and they are seeking my life.' But what is the divine response to him? 'I have kept for Myself seven thousand men who have not bowed the knee to Baal."

God Calls us to Worship Before the Cross Ps. 100:4-5

+We Adore Him

Insert, "Creation Sings"

We Confess Our Sin

Holy God, we are ashamed and ruined because of our unclean lips, and the unclean lips of this generation. You have said by our words we shall be justified, and by our words we shall be condemned. Yet, we have spoken idle words, unkind words, and untrue words, such that we stand condemned before You this day.

Yet in Your faithfulness we are not condemned. In Christ, there is "now no condemnation"! Accordingly, forgive us our unholy speech! Forgive us our unholy thoughts! Cleanse our lips and minds, that by the power of Your Holy Spirit, we might live according to Your will. Respond to us in grace, O Lord, in Jesus' name. Amen!

We Thank Him For His Forgiveness Insert, "I Love The Lord"

Psalm 116:1-9

God Calls us to Worship Thru Dedication

Mt. 25:19-21

We Give Him Our Offering and Concerns

We Give Him Ourselves Insert, "Make Me a Captive, Lord"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Fellowship

Rev. 22:6-7

We Read His Word

Sermon

*We Partake Of The Lord's Supper Insert, "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

God Blesses us in the Benediction

Welcome and Announcements Postlude

(Containers have been placed at the front for communion cups and small trash)

- +You are invited to raise your hands during the prayer of adoration.
- *Visitors, please see note below on the Lord's Supper.