

WORSHIPING ON THE LORD'S DAY

April 2, 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 Jealous

Deuteronomy 4:21-24: "Now the Lord was angry with me on your account, and swore that I should not cross the Jordan, and that I should not enter the good land which the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance. For I shall die in this land, I shall not cross the Jordan, but you shall cross and take possession of this good land. So watch yourselves, lest you forget the covenant of the Lord your God, which He made with you, and make for yourselves a graven image in the form of anything *against* which the Lord your God has commanded you. For the Lord your God is a consuming fire, a jealous God."

God Calls us to Worship Before the Cross Deut. 32:1-4

+We Adore Him

Insert, "All People That On Earth Do Dwell" Psalm 100

We Confess Our Sin

Merciful Lord, we confess that with us there is an abundance of sin, but in You there is the fulness of righteousness and abundance of mercy. We are spiritually poor, but You are rich and in Jesus Christ came to be merciful to the poor. Strengthen our faith and our trust in You. We are empty vessels that need to be filled; fill us. We are lacking in thankfulness. Sanctify us to give thanks to You always and for all things. We are cold in love; warm us, and make our hearts fervent for You, that our love may go out to one another and to our neighbors. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray. Amen.

We Thank Him For His Forgiveness

Insert, "By Grace Alone"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Dedication Deut. 6:16-19

We Give Him Our Offering and Concerns

We Give Him Ourselves

Insert, "Abide With Me"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Fellowship Deut. 6:24-25

We Read His Word

Sermon

*We Partake Of The Lord's Supper

Insert, "Take My Life, And Let It Be"

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.