

## WORSHIPING ON THE LORD'S DAY

May 14, 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!*

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Prelude

Worship Theme

God is a God Comfort

Isaiah 40:1-2: "Comfort, O comfort My people,' says your God. Speak kindly to Jerusalem; and call out to her, that her warfare has ended, that her iniquity has been removed, that she has received of the Lord's hand double for all her sins."

**God Calls us to Worship Before the Cross** Ps. 29:1-2

+We Adore Him

Insert, "O Worship The King"

*Based on Psalm 104*

We Confess Our Sin

O Holy Spirit! We are most wretched. Take away our unruly desires and hateful lusts. Lift the mists and darkness of unbelief. Brighten our soul with the pure light of truth. Make it fragrant as the garden of paradise, rich with every goodly fruit, beautiful with heavenly grace, and radiant with rays of divine light. Be our comforter, light, guide, and sanctifier.

Help us to find in Christ's death, the reality and immensity of His love. Open for us the wondrous volumes of truth in His death. Increase our faith in the clear knowledge of atonement achieved, redemption completed, guilt done away, our debt paid, our sins forgiven, our soul saved, hell vanquished, heaven opened, and eternity made ours. O Holy Spirit, deepen in us these saving lessons. Write them upon our heart, that our walk might be sin-loathing, sin-fleeing, and Christ-loving. Amen.

We Thank Him For His Forgiveness

Insert, "The Lord's My Shepherd"

*Psalm 23*

**God Calls us to Worship Thru Dedication** Ps. 29:10-11

We Give Him Our Offering & Concerns

We Give Him Ourselves

Insert, "Still, My Soul, Be Still"

**God Calls us to Worship Thru Fellowship**

Ps. 29:3-9

We Read His Word

Sermon

\*We Partake Of The Lord's Supper

Insert, "Golden Harps Are Sounding"

**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.