

WORSHIPING ON THE LORD'S DAY

September 3, 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 our Father

Matthew 6:7-9: "And when you are praying, do not use meaningless repetition, as the Gentiles do, for they suppose that they will be heard for their many words. Therefore do not be like them; for your Father knows what you need, before you ask Him. 'Pray, then, in this way: "Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.'"

God Calls us to Worship Before the Cross Ps. 68:4-5

+We Adore Him

Insert, "Praise, My Soul, The King Of Heaven" Psalm 103

We Confess Our Sin

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; we acknowledge and confess the grievous sins and wickedness which we have so often committed by thought, word, and deed, against Your Divine majesty, provoking most justly Your fatherly anger against us. We do earnestly repent, and are deeply sorry for these our wrongdoings. The memory of them weighs us down; the burden of them is too great for us to bear.

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, for Your Son our Lord Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that from this time forward we may always serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We Thank Him For His Forgiveness

Insert, "How Deep The Father's Love"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Dedication Gen. 22:7-8, 13

We Give Him Our Offering & Concerns

We Give Him Ourselves

Insert, "I Love The Lord"

Psalm 116:10-19

God Calls us to Worship Thru Fellowship Jam. 1:19-25

We Read His Word

Sermon

*We Partake Of The Lord's Supper

Insert, "The Golden Gates Are Lifted Up"

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.