

WORSHIPING ON THE LORD'S DAY

January 14, 2024

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 King

John 18:33-37: "Pilate therefore entered again into the Praetorium, and summoned Jesus, and said to Him, 'Are You the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Are you saying this on your own initiative, or did others tell you about Me?' Pilate answered, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests delivered You up to me; what have You done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not of this world. If My kingdom were of this world, then My servants would be fighting, that I might not be delivered up to the Jews; but as it is, My kingdom is not of this realm.' Pilate therefore said to Him, 'So You are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say *correctly* that I am a king. For this I have been born, and for this I have come into the world, to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice.'"

God Calls us to Worship Before the Cross

Ps. 95:1-3

+We Adore Him

Insert, "God, The Lord, A King Remaineth"

We Confess Our Sin

Most merciful God, whose son Jesus Christ was tempted in every way, yet without sin, we confess before You our own sinfulness. We have hungered after that which does not satisfy, we have compromised with evil, and we have doubted Your power to protect us. Forgive our lack of faith, and have mercy on us in our weakness. Restore in us such rest and love, that we may walk in Your ways, and delight in doing Your will. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen!

We Thank Him For His Forgiveness

Insert, "By Grace Alone"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Dedication

Ps. 95:7b-9

We Give Him Our Offering & Concerns

We Give Him Ourselves

Insert, "The Sands Of Time Are Sinking"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Fellowship

Ps. 95:10-11

We Read His Word

Sermon

*We Partake Of The Lord's Supper

Insert, "Go, Labor On"

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.