WORSHIPING ON THE LORD'S DAY

February 23, 2025

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

Isaiah 49:5-7: "And now says the LORD, who formed Me from the womb to be His Servant, to bring Jacob back to Him, in order that Israel might be gathered to Him (For I am honored in the sight of the LORD, and My God is My strength), He says, 'It is too small a thing that You should be My Servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob, and to restore the preserved ones of Israel; I will also make You a light of the nations so that My salvation may reach to the end of the earth.' Thus says the LORD, the Redeemer of Israel, and its Holy One, to the despised One, to the One abhorred by the nation, to the Servant of rulers, 'Kings shall see and arise, princes shall also bow down; because of the LORD who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel who has chosen You.'"

God Calls us to Worship Before the Cross

Ps. 100:1-3

+We Adore Him

Insert, "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

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, "By Grace I Am An Heir Of Heaven"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Dedication

Jer. 9:23-24

We Give Him Our Offering & Concerns

We Give Him Ourselves Insert, "In Christ Alone"

God Calls us to Worship Thru Fellowship

Jer. 15:16

We Read His Word

Sermon

*We Partake Of The Lord's Supper Insert, "Exalt The Lord"

Psalm 135:1-7, 21

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.