

Order for the Public Worship of God

LORD’S DAY – February 28, 2021 at 10:30 am

“*It is he who remembered us in our low estate, for his steadfast love endures forever; and rescued us from our foes, for his steadfast love endures forever; he who gives food to all flesh, for his steadfast love endures forever. Give thanks to the God of heaven, for his steadfast love endures forever.*”

Psalm 136:23-26

Welcome & announcements

Prelude (Silent prayer and heart preparation for worship)

*Call to Worship

*Hymn of Praise

“*Rejoice, the Lord is King*”

... #309

*Prayer of Adoration & the Lord’s Prayer

“Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.”

Responsive Reading (p.520)

Psalm 136

Prayer of Confession of Sin

I Kings 11:9-10

“And the LORD was angry with Solomon, because his heart had turned away from the LORD, the God of Israel, who had appeared to him twice and had commanded him concerning this thing, that he should not go after other gods. But he did not keep what the LORD commanded.”

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 43:25
“I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins.”

*Hymn of Preparation “His Love Can Never Fail”

1. I do not ask to see the way my feet will have to tread;
But only that my soul may feed upon the living Bread.
’Tis better far that I should walk by faith close to His side;
I may not know the way I go, but oh, I know my Guide.

Refrain: His love can never fail, His love can never fail,
My soul is satisfied to know His love can never fail.
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2. And if my feet would go astray, they cannot, for I know
That Jesus guides my falt’ring steps, as joyfully I go.
And tho’ I may not see His face, my faith is strong and clear,
That in each hour of sore distress, my Savior will be near. **Refrain**

3. I will not fear, tho’ darkness come abroad o’er all the land,
If I may only feel the touch of His own loving hand.

And tho’ I tremble when I think how weak I am, and frail,

My soul is satisfied to know His love can never fail. **Refrain**

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Morning Prayer

Giving of Tithes and Offering (Offering boxes in front)

Hymn “*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*” ... #598

Guide me O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land:
I am weak, but Thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy powerful hand;
Bread of heaven, Feed me till I want no more (repeat this line)

Open now the crystal fountain, Whence the healing waters flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar, Lead me all my journey through;
Strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my strength and shield (**repeat line**)

When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and Hell’s destruction, Land me safe on Canaan’s side;
Songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee (repeat this line)

Land me safe on Canaan’s side. Bid my anxious fears (**repeat**)
Bid my anxious fears, goodbye.

*Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above you heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost*

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Children’s Message and Children’s Church

Reading of God’s Word (p.945) **Romans 8:38-39**

Preaching of God’s Word ... **Rev. Dean Rydbeck**

Are You Sure? Secure in God’s Love

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

Invitation and Words of Institution

Serving of the bread and the cup

Partaking of the bread and the cup

*Closing Hymn

“*O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!*” ... #535

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free;
Rolling as a mighty ocean in its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me, is the current of thy love;
Leading onward, leading homeward, to thy glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! Spread his praise from shore to shore;
How he loveth, ever loveth, changeth never, nevermore;
How he watches o’er his loved ones, died to call them all his own;
How for them he intercedeth, watcheth o’er them from the throne.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! Love of ev’ry love the best:
’Tis an ocean vast of blessing, ’tis a haven sweet of rest.
O the deep, deep love of Jesus! ’Tis a heav’n of heav’ns to me;
And it lifts me up to glory, for it lifts me up to thee.

*Benediction

(*Congregation standing, as you are able)

Sermon Notes