

## GATHERING TO WORSHIP

*Please take a moment during the Prelude to silence your cell phones and quietly prepare yourself for worship.*

WELCOME AND MINUTES FOR MINISTRY

PRELUDE

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, let us worship God

**People: with the passion and joy of King David and all the people who sang and danced before the ark of the covenant.**

Leader: Let us worship our Savior with the songs of praise and thanksgiving of the apostle Paul and all who are blessed with every spiritual blessing.

**People: God has blessed us in our Lord Jesus Christ, destined us to be children of God, and sealed us in the Holy Spirit. Let us worship God.**

\*HYMN "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" Hymnal 475

## RECEIVING FORGIVENESS FROM GOD AND EACH OTHER

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, you are the God of glory. We confess that we often forget that your holiness is dangerous. We take our impurities for granted, make excuses for the sins we commit, and expect you to overlook the harm we cause while still demanding justice from others. We do not deserve your mercy. Forgive us, and return us to a right relationship with you for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ. You made us for the purpose of praising you; enliven us with the Holy Spirit so that we can fulfill our calling in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

\*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Leader : According to the riches of his grace, which God has lavished upon us and sealed for us by the promised Holy Spirit, hear this good news: In Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

**People: Amen.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

## HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE **Ephesians 1:3-14**

MESSAGE *Pastor Blake Severson*

\*HYMN "Take, O Take Me as I Am" Hymnal 698 (*sing 3 times*)

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYERFUL REFRAIN "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"  
Hymnal 469

## GOING INTO THE WORLD

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERING OURSELVES TO GOD

OFFERTORY

\* "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymnal 606

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\*HYMN "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!" Hymnal 263

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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*\*Those who are able please stand*

WELCOME to worship – we are glad that you’re here! If you are visiting today and would like to share your contact information, there are welcome cards in the pew pockets. Please fill one out and place it in the offering plate. Everyone is invited to stay for coffee, snacks, and fellowship in the narthex after worship.



LARGE PRINT HYMNALS with a black cover are on the small bookcase in the rear of the sanctuary.



Children up to Kindergarten age are welcome in the nursery. There are clipboards with coloring pages in the narthex if your children wish to stay in the sanctuary.

The July communion table flowers are sponsored by Pam Darnall.



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