



ORDER OF WORSHIP
February 13, 2022
10:30 a.m. Service

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Hymn of Praise – “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” (UMH #139)

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,
the King of creation!

O my soul, praise him, for he is thy
health and salvation!

All ye who hear,
now to his temple draw near;
Praise Him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who over all things
so wondrously reigning,
Bears thee on eagle's wings,
yea, e'er in his keeping maintaining.

God's care enfolds
all, whose true good he upholds.
Hast thou not known his sustaining?

Praise to the Lord, who doth
prosper thy work and defend thee;
Surely His goodness and mercy
here daily attend thee.

Ponder anew
what the Almighty can do,
Who with His love doth befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, who doth nourish
thy life and restore thee,
Fitting thee well for the tasks that are
ever before thee.
Then to thy need
God as a mother doth speed,
Spreading the wings of grace o'er thee.

Praise to the Lord,
O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath,
come now with praises before Him.
Let the amen
sound from his people again,
Gladly forever adore him.

Call to Worship:

Pastor: Blessed are those who trust in the Lord;

People: They will be nourished, like a tree planted by a flowing stream.

Pastor: Blessed are those who hunger and lack resources;

People: They will be filled with the fullness of God's kingdom.

Pastor: Come; worship the One who brings forth goodness and justice.

People: Give praise to God, who searches our heart and restores our soul.

Amen.

Act of Praise – “Glory be to the Father” (UMH #70)

Glory Be to the Father
and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

Affirmation of Faith – “The Apostles' Creed” (UMH #881)

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead and buried;

The third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God
the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge
the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.

GENesis Bells – “A Loving Heart”

Scripture Lesson – Jeremiah 17:5-10

Youth Choir – “Who Will Be a Witness?”

Prayer of Intercession

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, we come today full of thanks for the many blessings you have brought forth in our life. We've been warmed by your love and strengthened by your Spirit, and we're grateful. Yet we also know how this world is a broken place. Poverty, exclusion, and selfish ambition fracture our relationships and stifle the healing your Son proclaimed. Too often our actions deepen the fractures and contradict your will. Forgive us, O Lord. Restore us and guide us, that we may reflect your justice and extend your hope to all people. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Experiencing and Extending the Peace of Christ

Adult Choir – “I've Been Changed”

Offering and Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us,
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

Hymn – “Fairest Lord Jesus” v.1,3,4 (UMH #189)

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature,
O thou of God and man the Son,
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor,
thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight,
and all the twinkling starry host:
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer
than all the angels heaven can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations!
Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration,
now and forevermore be thine.

Sermon – Called: *Blessed*

Text: Luke 6:17-26

Hymn – “Trust and Obey” (UMH #467)

When we walk with the Lord
in the light of his word,
what a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will,
he abides with us still,
and with all who will trust and obey.

Refrain:

Trust and obey, for there's no other way
to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

Not a burden we bear,
not a sorrow we share,
but our toil he doth richly repay;
not a grief or a loss,
not a frown or a cross,
but is blest if we trust and obey.

(Refrain)

But we never can prove
the delights of his love
until all on the altar we lay;
for the favor he shows,
for the joy he bestows,
are for them who will trust and obey. (Refrain)

Then in fellowship sweet
we will sit at his feet,
or we'll walk by his side in the way;
what he says we will do,
where he sends we will go;
never fear, only trust and obey. (Refrain)

Benediction

Congregational Response: “On Eagle’s Wings” (UMC #143)

And God will raise you up on eagle’s wings,
bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun,
and hold you in the palm of God’s hand.

Postlude/Dismissal

Brian Barber, Organist
Roy Nelson, Director of Music Ministries

Rev. Brad Leight
Ruth Portzline, CLM