

Order of Worship August 2nd, 2020

Call to Worship (Psalm 103):

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me bless his holy name! Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, and crowns you with steadfast love and mercy!

Opening Song of Praise: “10,000 Reasons”

*(chorus) Bless the Lord, oh my soul, Oh my soul – worship his holy name.
Sing like never before, Oh my soul – I'll worship your holy name.*

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning.

It's time to sing your song again.

Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me:

Let me be singing when the evening comes!

(chorus)

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger,

Your name is great and your heart is kind.

For all your goodness I will keep on singing –

Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find!

(chorus)

And on that day when my strength is failing

The end draws near and my time has come

Still my soul will sing your praise unending

Ten thousand years and then forevermore!

(Repeat chorus)

Prayer of Confession (Psalm 130, 51):

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? For we know our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us. Yet there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be praised. O Israel, hope in the Lord! It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

Assurance of Forgiveness (Psalm 103):

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in steadfast love. He does not deal with us according to our sins nor repay us according to our iniquities. As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us!

Hymn of Response: "Just As I Am"

1. Just as I am, without one plea but that thy blood was shed for me
And that thou bid'st me come to thee: O Lamb of God, I come! I come!
2. Just as I am, and waiting not to rid my soul of one dark blot
to thee whose blood can cleanse each spot: O Lamb of God, I come! I come!
3. Just as I am, though tossed about with many a conflict, many a doubt
Fighting and fears within without, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!
4. Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind. Sight, riches, healing of the mind
Yea, all I need, in thee to find, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!
5. Just as I am, thou wilt receive, wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve
Because Thy promise I believe. O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Scripture Lesson: Luke 7: 36-50 Message: "Good News! You Are Forgiven"

Prayers & 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.

Closing Song of Praise "All Things New"

Come broken and weary, come battered and bruised
My Jesus makes all things new, all things new
Come lost and abandoned, come blown by the wind
He'll bring you back home again, home again

*(Chorus) Rise up, oh you sleeper, awake, the light of the dawn is upon you!
Rise up, oh you sleeper, awake. He makes all things new! All things new.*

Come frozen with shame, come burning with guilt
My Jesus who loves you still, loves you still.

(Chorus)

(Bridge) The world was good, the world is fallen, the world will be redeemed.
The world was good, the world is fallen, the world will be redeemed!

So hold on to the promise, the stories are true: Jesus makes all things new,
all things new.

(Chorus)

Benediction