

Order of Worship – Sunday, October 18th, 2020

Welcome & Call to Worship (Psalm 27)

I believe that I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait for the Lord; be strong, let your heart take courage, and wait for the Lord!

Hymn of Invocation: “Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand

I am tired, I am weak, I am lone.

Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light

Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home!

When my way grows drear, precious Lord linger near

When my light is almost gone

Hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I fall

Take my hand precious Lord, lead me home!

When the darkness appears and the night draws near

And the day is past and gone,

At the river I stand, guide my feet, hold my hand

Take my hand precious Lord, lead me home!

Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand

I am tired, I am weak, I am lone

Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light

Take my hand precious Lord, lead me home!

Prayer of Confession

Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love. According to your abundant mercy blot out our transgressions, wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin. For we know our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us.

Assurance of Forgiveness:

The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit. A broken and contrite heart, o God, you will not despise.

Song of Response: "Forever Reign"

You are good, you are good when there's nothing good in me

You are love, you are love on display for all to see

You are light, you are light when the darkness closes in

You are hope, you are hope, you have covered all my sin

You are peace, you are peace when my fear is crippling

You are true, you are true even in my wandering

You are joy, you are joy, you're the reason that I sing

You are life, you are life, in you death has lost its sting

(Chorus) And oh, I'm running to your arms, I'm running to your arms

The riches of your love will always be enough

Nothing compares to your embrace

Light of the world forever reign!

You are more, you are more than my words will ever say

You are Lord, you are Lord, all creation will proclaim

You are here, you are here, in your presence I'm made whole

You are God, you are God, of all else I'm letting go.

(Chorus)

Bridge: My heart will sing no other name: Jesus! Jesus!

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(Repeat)

(Chorus)

Message for Children

Scripture Lesson: Matthew 4:18-22. Message: "Who Is This Man? Invitation"

Prayers of the People & 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 Hymn: "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

1. I have decided to follow Jesus;
I have decided to follow Jesus;
I have decided to follow Jesus;
No turning back, no turning back.
2. The world behind me, the cross before me;
The world behind me, the cross before me;
The world behind me, the cross before me;
No turning back, no turning back.
3. Though none go with me, still I will follow;
Though none go with me, still I will follow;
Though none go with me, still I will follow;
No turning back, no turning back.
4. Will you decide now to follow Jesus?
Will you decide now to follow Jesus?
Will you decide now to follow Jesus?
No turning back, no turning back.

Benediction