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**Prelude**

**Welcome**

To all who are weary and need rest;  
To all who mourn and long for comfort;  
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares;  
To all who fail and desire strength;  
To all who sin and need a Savior;  
To all who hunger and thirst for righteousness;  
And to whoever will come-

This Church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

**Call to Worship**

Psalm 47, selected verses

Leader: Clap your hands, all peoples!  
Shout to God with loud songs of joy!  
For the LORD, the Most High, is to be feared,  
a great king over all the earth.  
Sing praises to God, sing praises!  
Sing praises to our King, sing praises!  
God reigns over the nations;  
God sits on his holy throne.  
For the shields of the earth belong to God;  
he is highly exalted!

Let us sing praises to our God and King!

**Hymn of Praise**

**Give To Our God Immortal Praise**

Give to our God immortal praise  
Mercy and truth are all his ways  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Wonders of grace to God belong  
Repeat his mercies in your song

*Chorus*

*Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Hallelujah*

Give to the Lord of lords renown  
The King of kings with glory crown  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
His mercies ever shall endure  
When lords and kings are known no more

*Chorus*

He built the earth he spread the sky  
And fixed the starry lights on high  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Wonders of grace to God belong  
Repeat his mercies in your song

*Chorus*

## Invocation

### 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.

### Gloria Patri

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

1 Corinthians 15:3-7; Romans 1:16-17

Leader: What is the Gospel we preach, that which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved?

**All: Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles.**

**We are not ashamed of the Gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith."**

### Psalm 150, Praise The Lord

You made the starry host  
You traced the mountain peaks  
You paint the evening skies with wonders  
The earth it is your throne  
From desert to the sea  
All nature testifies your splendor

### Chorus

*Praise the Lord praise the Lord  
Sing his greatness all creation  
Praise the Lord raise your voice  
You heights and all you depths  
From furthest east to west  
Let everything that has breath  
Praise the Lord*

You reached into the dust  
With love your Spirit breathed  
You formed us in your very likeness  
To know your wondrous works  
To tell your mighty deeds  
To join the everlasting chorus

*continued*

*Chorus*

*Praise the Lord praise the Lord  
Sing his greatness all creation  
Praise the Lord raise your voice  
You heights and all you depths  
From furthest east to west  
Let everything that has breath  
Praise the Lord*

Let symphonies resound  
Let drums and choirs ring out  
All heaven hear the sound of worship  
Let every nation bring  
Its honors to the King  
A roar of harmonies eternal

Praise the Lord praise the Lord  
Sing his greatness all creation  
Praise the Lord raise your voice  
You heights and all you depths  
From furthest east to west  
You distant burning stars  
All creatures near and far  
From sky to sea to shore  
Sing out forevermore  
Let everything that has breath  
Praise the Lord

**Call to Confession**

Romans 3:22-23

Leader: For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

**Public Confession**

Leader: Let us confess our sins together.

**All: Almighty God, who brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly acknowledge that we have not lived in a manner worthy of your redeeming grace. You have raised us up with Christ who is seated at your right hand. You have commanded us to set our mind on things above and not on the things of earth. Yet we have transgressed your laws by loving ourselves more than you, our God, or our neighbor. We are so easily caught up in the materialism of our day, worshipping the creature and the creation, rather than you, our Creator. When we do this, we forget your mighty victory over sin and death. Have mercy upon us, O God. Deliver us from immorality, impurity, evil desire, and greed, which is idolatry. Do not leave us to ourselves but send your Spirit that we may live above this fallen world and show forth your resurrection power. In the exalted name of our risen Savior, we pray. Amen.**

**Silent Confession**

## Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

1 Timothy 1:15

Leader: The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost.

Hear and receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

## Tithes And Offerings

### Musical Offering

### The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise him all creatures here below  
Praise him above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost Amen

## Prayer Of Dedication

## Sermon

### **"The First Gospel"**

*Genesis 3:14-21*

Rev. Richard Harris

## Closing Song

### **Be Thou My Vision**

Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart  
Naught be all else to me save that thou art  
Thou my best thought by day or by night  
Waking or sleeping thy presence my light

Be thou my wisdom and thou my true Word  
I ever with thee and thou with me Lord  
Thou my great Father I thy true son  
Thou in me dwelling and I with thee one

Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise  
Thou mine inheritance now and always  
Thou and thou only first in my heart  
High King of heaven my treasure thou art

High King of heaven my victory won  
May I reach heaven's joys  
O bright heaven's Sun  
Heart of my own heart whatever befall  
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

## Benediction

## Postlude

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