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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**

Acts 4:12

Minister: And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.

Let us worship our triune God together!

## Hymn of Praise

## All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name Let angels prostrate fall Bring forth the royal diadem And crown him Lord of all Bring forth the royal diadem And crown him Lord of all

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race Ye ransomed from the fall Hail him who saves you by his grace And crown him Lord of all Hail him who saves you by his grace And crown him Lord of all

> Let every kindred every tribe On this terrestrial ball To him all majesty ascribe And crown him Lord of all To him all majesty ascribe And crown him Lord of all

O that with yonder sacred throng We at his feet may fall We'll join the everlasting song And crown him Lord of all We'll join the everlasting song And crown him Lord of all

#### 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

Psalm 23

Minister: The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

- People: He makes me lie down in green pastures.
- Minister: He leads me beside still waters.
- People: He restores my soul.

Minister: He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

- People: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me;
- Minister: Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
- People: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil;
- Minister: My cup overflows.
- All: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

## **His Mercy Is More**

What love could remember No wrongs we have done Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore Our sins they are many his mercy is more

Chorus

Praise the Lord his mercy is more Stronger than darkness new every morn Our sins they are many his mercy is more

What patience would wait As we constantly roam What Father so tender is calling us home He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor Our sins they are many his mercy is more

> Chorus continued

What riches of kindness he lavished on us His blood was the payment His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford Our sins they are many his mercy is more

#### Chorus

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## **Call to Confession**

Exodus 20:3 Westminster Shorter Catechism Q/A 45-47

- Minister: What is the first commandment?
- People: The first commandment is: You shall have no other gods before me.
- Minister: What is required in the first commandment?
- People: The first commandment requires us to know and acknowledge God to be the only true God, and our God; and to worship and glorify him accordingly.
- Minister: What is forbidden in the first commandment?
- People: The first commandment forbids the denying, or not worshipping and glorifying, the true God as God, and our God; and the giving of that worship and glory to any other, which is due to him alone.

#### **Public Confession**

Minister: Let us confess our sins together:

Most merciful Father, we have sinned against and are guilty before you. Forgive us the sins of our tongues:

- All: For deception and untruthfulness in our dealings with others; for resentment, impatience, partiality, gossip, slander, and tempers out of control.
- Minister: Forgive us for the sins of our eyes:
- All: For impurity in our glances and imagination, for pining after more beauty, comfort, status, and wealth than you have already given us.
- Minister: Forgive us the sins of our hearts:
- All: For hard-heartedness toward you and our neighbors; for pride, self-absorption, self-pity and, above all, for rebelling against your lordship and doubting your love. Holy Father, kill our envy, remove our pride, and melt our hearts. Give us grace to be holy, kind, gentle, and pure; to live for you and not for ourselves, being transformed into your likeness.

## **Silent Confession**

#### Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

Psalm 103:8, 10-12

Minister: The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

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

#### People: Thanks be to God!

#### **Come, Behold The Wondrous Mystery**

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry In the dawning of the King He the theme of heaven's praises Robed in frail humanity In our longing in our darkness Now the Light of Life has come Look to Christ who condescended Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry He the perfect Son of Man In his living in his suff'ring Never trace nor stain of sin See the true and better Adam Come to save the hellbound man Christ the great and sure fulfillment Of the law in him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry Christ the Lord upon the tree In the stead of ruined sinners Hangs the Lamb in victory See the price of our redemption See the Father's plan unfold Bringing many sons to glory Grace unmeasured love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry Slain by death the God of life But no grave could e'er restrain him Praise the Lord he is alive What a foretaste of deliv'rance How unwavering our hope Christ in power resurrected As we will be when he comes

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## **Tithes And Offerings**

## **Musical Offering** When I Survey The Wondrous Cross When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of glory died My richest gain I count but loss And pour contempt on all my pride Forbid it Lord that I should boast Save in the death of Christ my God All the vain things that charm me most I sacrifice them to his blood See from his head his hands his feet Sorrow and love flow mingled down Did e'er such love and sorrow meet Or thorns compose so rich a crown Were the whole realm of nature mine That were a present far too small Love so amazing so divine Demands my soul my life my all 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

## "My Heart, Christ's Home"

*Ephesians 3:16-17* Rev. Richard Harris

## **Closing Song**

## My Jesus, I Love Thee

My Jesus I love thee I know thou art mine For thee all the follies of sin I resign My gracious Redeemer my Savior art thou If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

I love thee because thou hast first loved me And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

In mansions of glory and endless delight I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

## Benediction

#### Postlude