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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 66:1-3

Minister: Shout for joy to God, all the earth;  
sing the glory of his name;  
give to him glorious praise!  
Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!"  
Let us worship God together!

**Hymn of Praise**

**Ye Servants Of God**

Ye servants of God your master proclaim  
And publish abroad his wonderful name  
The name all victorious of Jesus extol  
His kingdom is glorious and rules over all

God ruleth on high almighty to save  
And still he is nigh his presence we have  
The great congregation his triumph shall sing  
Ascribing salvation to Jesus our king

Salvation to God who sits on the throne  
Let all cry aloud and honor the Son  
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim  
Fall down on their faces and worship the Lamb

Then let us adore and give him his right  
All glory and pow'r all wisdom and might  
All honor and blessing with angels above  
And thanks never ceasing for infinite love

**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

The Apostles' Creed

Minister: Christian, what do you believe?

**All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell.\* The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living 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.**

*\*Jesus "descended into hell" as he suffered the pain and torment of divine wrath.*

*\*\*The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, geographical, or language barriers.*

## Psalm 48, Great Is The Lord Our God

Great is the LORD our God  
And greatly to be praised  
Upon a hill God's city stands  
In glorious beauty raised  
His holy mountain high  
Mount Zion in the north  
The city of the mighty King  
The joy of all the earth

God makes his city strong  
By living in her halls  
When kings join forces and advance  
They marvel at her walls  
They stood and looked amazed  
In terror took to flight  
As anguish gripped like labor pains  
They trembled in their fright

LORD you have dashed the ships  
Of Tarshish in your might  
You battered them with eastern winds  
Destroyed them in the fight  
What we have heard is seen  
Within your city LORD  
The LORD of hosts establishes  
God's city evermore

Within your temple LORD  
In that most holy place  
We on your lovingkindness dwell  
The wonders of your grace  
Your people sing your praise  
Where'er your name is known  
By ev'ry deed your hand has done  
Your righteousness is shown

## Call to Confession

James 2:8-10

Minister: If you really fulfill the royal law according to the Scripture, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself," you are doing well. But if you show partiality, you are committing sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become guilty of all of it.

## Public Confession

Adapted from  
Richard Baxter's *The Savoy Liturgy* (1661)

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

**All: O most great, just, and gracious God. You condemn the ungodly, but you have promised mercy through Jesus Christ. We confess that we have all sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. We have dishonored and neglected those around us. We have dealt unjustly and uncharitably with our neighbors. We have run into temptations, and the sin, which we should have hated. We are careless, ignorant, rash and presumptuous against your commands, promises, threats, mercies and judgments. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father. Be reconciled to us, and let the blood of Jesus Christ cleanse us from all our sins. Amen.**

## Silent Confession

### Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

Ezekiel 36:25-27

Minister: I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.

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

## People: Thanks be to God!

### Jesus Paid It All

I hear the Savior say  
Thy strength indeed is small  
Child of weakness watch and pray  
Find in me thine all in all

*Chorus*

*Jesus paid it all  
All to him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow*

Lord now indeed I find  
Thy pow'r and thine alone  
Can change the leper's spots  
And melt the heart of stone

*Chorus*

And when before the throne  
I stand in him complete  
Jesus died my soul to save  
My lips shall still repeat

*continued*

Jesus paid it all all to him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow  
He washed it white as snow  
He washed it white as snow

Oh praise the One who paid my debt  
And raised this life up from the dead

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## **Tithes And Offerings**

### **Musical Offering**

#### **Christ Is All**

I've found a treasure that can't be taken  
Found a well that won't run dry  
O worldly pleasure be now forsaken  
Behold what love what life is mine

Could endless striving  
Now make me righteous  
Could all my works now grant me hope  
Oh hallelujah the blood of Jesus  
My only plea my only boast

*Chorus*

*Christ is all Christ is all  
And my song will ever be Christ is all  
All in all and my song will ever be  
Christ is all*

And in the trial when storms are raging  
Though tears may fall my soul will rise  
For there's a peace that is mine unchanging  
There is a joy that never dies

*Chorus*

When life is passing and strength is fading  
I'll see the One that I adore  
Let this world vanish oh give me Jesus  
My great desire my true reward

*Chorus 2x*

## 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

#### **"Walk as Children of Light"**

*Ephesians 5:8-14*

Rev. Richard Harris

### The Service of Communion

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is fitting and right that we give you thanks and praise, O God, at all times and in all places. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we praise and magnify your name, saying, "Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts: heaven and earth are full of your glory. Glory to God in the highest."**

### Words of Institution

#### The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

##### **Behold The Lamb**

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away  
Slain for us and we remember  
The promise made that all who come in faith  
Find forgiveness at the cross  
So we share in this Bread of Life  
And we drink of his sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of peace  
Around the table of the King

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ  
Torn for you eat and remember  
The wounds that heal  
The death that brings us life  
Paid the price to make us one  
So we share in this Bread of Life  
And we drink of his sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of love  
Around the table of the King

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin  
Shed for you drink and remember  
He drained death's cup that all may enter in  
To receive the life of God  
So we share in this Bread of Life  
And we drink of his sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of grace  
Around the table of the King

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And so with thankfulness and faith we rise  
To respond and to remember  
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ  
As his body here on earth  
As we share in his suffering  
We proclaim Christ will come again  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven  
Around the table of the King  
Around the table of the King

## **Benediction**

## **Postlude**

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