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THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 16th, 2017—11:00 a.m.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*Please stand if you are able.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 99:1-5

PASTOR: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble!

**PEOPLE: He sits enthroned upon the cherubim;
let the earth quake!**

PASTOR: The LORD is great in Zion;
he is exalted over all the peoples.

**PEOPLE: Let them praise your great and awesome
name!
Holy is he!**

PASTOR: The King in his might loves justice.
You have established equity;
you have executed justice and righteousness in
Jacob.

**PEOPLE: Exalt the LORD our God;
worship at his footstool! Holy is he!**

*HYMN OF PRAISE

Come Praise and Glorify

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Oh how good it is
To embrace His command
To prefer one another
Forgive as He forgives.
When we live as one
We all share in the love
Of the Son with the Father
And the Spirit.

CHORUS

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GOD BLESSES US AND SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN

Romans Doxology

Oh, the depth of the riches, the wisdom of God
How unsearchable are His ways.
How profound are his judgments,
So high above our thoughts,
And His pathways no man can trace.

For from Him and through Him,
And to Him are all things!
To Him be glory forevermore!
To Him be glory forever!
Amen! Amen! Amen!

POSTLUDE

*HYMN OF PREPARATION #108

Whate'er My God Ordains Is Right

SERMON

Matthew 7:1-6

"Judgment & Discernment"

Rev. David Hina

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

Oh, How Good It Is

**Oh how good it is
When the family of God
Dwells together in spirit
In faith and unity.
Where the bonds of peace,
Of acceptance and love
Are the fruit of His presence
Here among us.**

CHORUS

**So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His word
Till the whole earth sees the Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people.**

**Oh how good it is
On this journey we share
To rejoice with the happy
And weep with those who mourn.
For the weak find strength
The afflicted find grace
When we offer the blessing
Of belonging.**

CHORUS

**Come praise and glorify our God
The Father of our Lord
In Christ He has in heav'nly realms
His blessings on us poured
For pure and blameless in His sight
He destined us to be
And now we've been adopted through
His Son eternally**

CHORUS

**To the praise of Your glory
To the praise of Your mercy and grace
To the praise of Your glory
You are the God who saves**

**Come praise and glorify our God
Who gives His grace in Christ
In Him our sins are washed away
Redeemed through sacrifice
In Him God has made known to us
The myst'ry of His will
That Christ should be the head of all
His purpose to fulfill**

**Come praise and glorify our God
For we've believed the Word
And through our faith we have a seal
The Spirit of the Lord
The Spirit guarantees our hope
Until redemption's done
Until we join in endless praise
To God, the Three in One**

*INVOCATION

GOD INVITES US TO THE MEANS OF GRACE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles Creed

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. (*universal)

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Romans 14:10-13

Why do you pass judgment on your brother? Or why do you despise your brother? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God; for it is written, "As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to me, and every tongue shall confess to God." So then each of us will give an account of himself to God. Therefore let us not pass judgment on one another any longer, but rather decide never to put a stumbling block or hindrance in the way of a brother.

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

Psalm 51:1-4

(In these moments, we individually come to God in prayer, meditating on these words, and silently confessing personal sins so that we may take hold of the forgiveness won for us by Christ, our Redeemer.)

Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin!
For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is ever before me.
Against you, you only, have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight,
so that you may be justified in your words
and blameless in your judgment.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 3:16-17

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

*OT SCRIPTURE READING

2 Samuel 12:1-9

RECEIVING NEW MEMBERS

Jerry & Carol Jenkins

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PASTORAL PRAYER