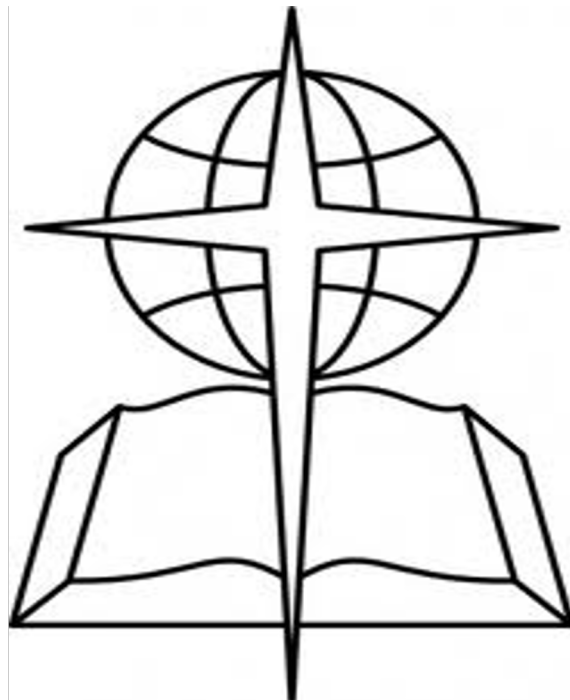


Soli Deo Gloria

To God Alone be the Glory



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Order of Worship

Call to Worship & Prayer of Praise

Psalm 66:1-5, 16-20

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!
So great is your power that your enemies
come cringing to you.

**All the earth worships you
and sings praises to you;
they sing praises to your name."**

Come and see what God has done:
he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man.

**Come and hear, all you who fear God,
and I will tell what he has done for my soul.**

I cried to him with my mouth,
and high praise was on my tongue.

**If I had cherished iniquity in my heart,
the Lord would not have listened.**

But truly God has listened;
he has attended to the voice of my prayer.

**Blessed be God,
because he has not rejected my prayer
or removed his steadfast love from me!**

Hymns of Praise

BLESSED ASSURANCE (*Hymn 446*)

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

*This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior all the day long.*

Perfect submission, perfect delight, Visions of rapture now burst on my sight:
Angels descending bring from above Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Perfect submission, all is at rest. I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above, Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

I MUST TELL JESUS (*Hymn #424*)

I must tell Jesus all of my trials;
I cannot bear these burdens alone;
In my distress He kindly will help me;
He ever loves and cares for His own.

*I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus! I cannot bear my burdens alone;
I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus! Jesus can help me, Jesus alone.*

I must tell Jesus all of my troubles:
He is a kind, compassionate Friend;
If I but ask Him, He will deliver,
Make of my troubles quickly an end.

Tempted and tried, I need a great Savior,
One who can help my burdens to bear.
I must tell Jesus, I must tell Jesus;
He all my cares and sorrows will share.

O how the world to evil allures me!
O how my heart is tempted to sin!
I must tell Jesus, and He will help me
Over the world the victory to win

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Scripture Reading

PSALM 32:1-11

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.

² Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

³ For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away
through my groaning all day long.

⁴ For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;
my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. *Selah*

⁵ I acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;

I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. *Selah*

⁶ Therefore let everyone who is godly
offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found;
surely in the rush of great waters,
they shall not reach him.

⁷ You are a hiding place for me;
you preserve me from trouble;
you surround me with shouts of deliverance. *Selah*

⁸ I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go;

I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

⁹ Be not like a horse or a mule, without understanding,

which must be curbed with bit and bridle,

or it will not stay near you.

¹⁰ Many are the sorrows of the wicked,

but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the LORD.

¹¹ Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, O righteous,

and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!

Prayer of Confession

Hymn of Response

AMAZING GRACE (*Hymn #104*)

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost but now am found,

Was blind but now I see.

Tw'as grace that taught my heart to fear,

And grace my fears relieved.

How precious did that grace appear

The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,

I have already come;

'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,

And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me.

His Word, my hope secures

He will my shield and portion be

As long as life endures.

When we've been there ten thousand years,

Bright shining as the sun,

We've no less days to sing God's praise

Than when we first begun.

Scripture Readings

GENESIS 28:10-28

¹⁰ Jacob left Beersheba and went toward Haran. ¹¹ And he came to a certain place and stayed there that night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place to sleep. ¹² And he dreamed, and behold, there was a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven. And behold, the angels of God were ascending and descending on it! ¹³ And behold, the LORD stood above it and said, "I am the LORD, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac. The land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring. ¹⁴ Your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south, and in you and your offspring shall all the families of the earth be blessed. ¹⁵ Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land. For I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you." ¹⁶ Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, "Surely the LORD is in this place, and I did not know it." ¹⁷ And he was afraid and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven."

¹⁸ So early in the morning Jacob took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it. ¹⁹ He called the name of that place Bethel,^[d] but the name of the city was Luz at the first. ²⁰ Then Jacob made a vow, saying, "If God will be with me and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat and clothing to wear, ²¹ so that I come again to my father's house in peace, then the LORD shall be my God, ²² and this stone, which I have set up for a pillar, shall be God's house. And of all that you give me I will give a full tenth to you."

JOHN 1:43-51

⁴³ The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." ⁴⁴ Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. ⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." ⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." ⁴⁷ Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!" ⁴⁸ Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰ Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these." ⁵¹ And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."

SERMON

“SEEING JESUS”

I. JESUS – AS WRITTEN IN THE LAW & PROPHETS

A. Jesus is the S_____ of G_____... (Psalm 2)

- ... who C_____ all N_____

B. Jesus is the K_____ of I_____... (Zeph. 3:14-20)

- ... who R_____ His P_____

C. Jesus is the S_____ of M_____... (Dan. 7:13-14)

- ... who is E_____ to H_____

II. JESUS – AS REVEALED TO HIS FIRST DISCIPLES

A. The Great Things They Believed (John 1:43-48)

- Jesus is the L_____...
- ...who S_____ our H_____ (1 Sam. 16:7)

B. The Greater Things They Will See (John 1:49-51)

- Jesus will be the S_____...
- ...who B_____ us H_____ (Gen. 28:10-22)

III. APPLICATION: HOW WE COME & SEE JESUS (Ps. 32)

A. By Repenting of all...

- P_____ and P_____ (Ps. 32:2-5, 9)

B. By Trusting in Him

- C_____ our S_____ (Ps. 32:1-5)
- O_____ our P_____ (Ps. 32:6-7)
- R_____ in His L_____ (Ps. 32:8-11)

Hymn of Response

BE THOU MY VISION (*Hymn #83*)

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be alleles 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, and I Thy true son, Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou my 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.

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Prayers of the Church

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Closing Hymn

1. To God be the glory! Great things He has done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son;
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice!

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!

O Come to the Father, through Jesus the Son:

And give Him the glory! Great things He has done!

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood! To every believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes, That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.
3. Great things He has taught us, great things He has done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater will be;
Our wonder, our victory, when Jesus we see.

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Benediction