



Order of Worship

January 19, 2025

10:15 a.m.

*Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world.
Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."*

John 8:12

Prelude

*Please stand if you are able

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Isaiah 9:2-3

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone. You have multiplied the nation; you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as they are glad when they divide the spoil.

*Song of Praise

Only A Holy God

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven? Who else could make every king bow down?
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles? Only a Holy God.

What other beauty demands such praises? What other splendor outshines the sun?
What other majesty rules with justice? Only a Holy God.

*Chorus: Come and behold Him; The One and the Only.
 Cry out, sing holy; Forever a Holy God;
 Come and worship the Holy God.*

What other glory consumes like fire? What other power can raise the dead?
What other name remains undefeated? Only a Holy God. (*Chorus 2x*)

Who else could rescue me from my failing? Who else would offer His only Son?
Who else invites me to call Him Father? Only a Holy God, Only my Holy God. (*Chorus 2x*)

*Prayer of Adoration and Confession

*Words of Assurance

1 Peter 2:9-10

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

*Song of Praise

Jesus, Your Mercy

Jesus, Your mercy is all my plea. I have no defense, my guilt runs too deep.
The best of my works pierced Your hands and Your feet. Jesus, Your mercy is all my plea.

Jesus, Your mercy is all my boast, the goodness I claim, the grounds of my hope.
Whatever I lack, it's still what I need most. Jesus, Your mercy is all my boast.

Chorus 1:

Praise the King who bore my sin, took my place when I stood condemned.

Oh how good You've always been to me. I will sing of Your mercy!

Jesus, Your mercy is all my rest when fears weigh me down and enemies press.
A comfort I cling to in life and in death. Jesus, Your mercy is all my rest. (*Chorus 1*)

Jesus, Your mercy is all my joy! Forever I'll lift my heart and my voice,
to sing of a treasure no pow'r can destroy. Jesus, Your mercy is all my joy!

Chorus 2:

Praise the King who bore my sin, took my place when I stood condemned.

Oh how good You've always been to me. I will sing! (Chorus 1)

***What We Believe**

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.

Hearing God's Word

Jeremiah 16:14-21

Prayers of the People

***Offering our Gifts to God**

Ancient of Days

Though the nations rage, kingdoms rise and fall;
There is still one King reigning over all.
So I will not fear for this truth remains:
That my God is, the Ancient of Days.

Chorus: *None above Him, none before Him; All of time in His hands;
For His throne it shall remain and ever stand.
All the power, all the glory;
I will trust in His name; For my God is, the Ancient of Days.*

Though the dread of night overwhelms my soul;
He is here with me, I am not alone.
O His love is sure, and He knows my name;
For my God is, the Ancient of Days. *(Chorus)*

Though I may not see what the future brings;
I will watch and wait for the Savior King.
Then my joy complete standing face to face;
In the presence of the Ancient of Days. *(Chorus)*

Let the Little Children Come

(Children Pre-K through first grade may exit for Ambassador Kids)

Scripture

Matthew 4:12-22

Message from God's Word

Warren Harvey

"Following Jesus, Fishing for Men"

***Song of Praise**

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee.
Which were and art and evermore shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
Though the eye of sinful men Thy glory may not see.
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee
Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth, and sky, and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

***Benediction**

Galatians 1:3-5

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

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Welcome!

We are so glad you are here! We would love to get to know you better. Please scan this code and fill out any information you would like to share with us.



This Sunday, January 19 -

- **12:15 pm** - We will hold our annual **Congregational Meeting** immediately following the worship service. We will hear ministry updates and vote to approve the 2025 budget.
- **5:30 pm - Sunday Night Light!** Join us for dinner at 5:30 pm followed by small groups for our adults, youth and children. Our topic this week: Navigating Conflict. Dinner menu: Ham Sliders

We are now using Church Center for all of our online giving! Churchtrac giving will no longer be available as of **February 15**. Please see the messenger for steps to cancel any recurring donations in Churchtrac and to begin using Church Center.

Saturday, February 8 - Ladies, join us for brunch at 9:30 am at the church. We will also box up care packages for our college students!

Date	2024 Budget	Actual Giving	Deacon's Fund
October	\$51,426.84	\$45,457.54	\$1,120.00
November	\$51,426.84	\$42,408.00	-
December	\$51,426.84	\$120,838.52	\$1,120.00
YTD	\$617,122.11	\$712,930.07	\$10,462.00