

June 13, 2021

# Order of Worship



Sunday Gathering 11:45 a.m. 1301 W. 100th Ave, Anchorage, AK 99515 www.kaleoalaska.org



# REFLECTION

"Sometimes people approach me and say, "I really struggle with this aspect of Christian teaching. I like this part of Christian belief, but I don't think I can accept that part." I usually respond: "If Jesus rose from the dead, then you have to accept all he said; if he didn't rise from the dead, then why worry about any of what he said? The issue on which everything hangs is not whether or not you like his teaching but whether or not he rose from the dead." That is how the first hearers felt who heard reports of the resurrection. They knew that if it was true it meant we can't live our lives any way we want. It also meant we don't have to be afraid of anything, not Roman swords, not cancer, nothing. If Jesus rose from the dead, it changes everything."

 The Reason for God: Belief in an Age of Skepticism by Timothy Keller

#### Call to Worship:

Our worship begins each week with a call to worship. We are gathered here today because God, our Creator, desires to have a relationship with us. It has been the practice of the church for thousands of years to have portions of the Bible read during worship services.

#### Confession & Assurance:

We confess together, in community, before a gracious God who has given us himself. Confession both acknowledges our need for mercy and celebrates its abundance in Christ. We are assured in the scriptures that our penalty was paid completely by Christ.

# **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Matthew 6:25-27

"Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life?"

## SONG

## CONFESSION

Matthew 7:2-4

For with the judgment you pronounce you will be judged, and with the measure you use it will be measured to you. Why do you see the speck that is in your brother's eye, but do not notice the log that is in your own eye? Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when there is the log in your own eye?

(Let's reflect on our need for a Savior and celebrate our abundance in Jesus.)

# **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Matthew 11:28-30

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

Faith & Repentance: None is righteous, no, not one... for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God... For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord... if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved... For

everyone who calls on the name

so loved the

world, that he

that whoever believes in him

of the Lord will be saved... For God

gave his only Son,

should not perish

but have eternal life... And there is

salvation in no

under heaven given among men by which we must

be saved.

one else, for there is no other name

(Romans 3:10, 23; 6:23; 10:9-10, 13. John 3:16. Acts 4:12.)

# SONG

## **SERMON**

Acts 13:13-52
Patrick Matthew, Kaleo Elder

# COMMUNION

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

# SONG

# **SENDING**

Matthew 5:14-16

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

Amen.

**Prayer of Belief** Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

**Communion** 

Also called the Lord's Supper is the family meal of Christians. We invite all followers of Jesus Christ who acknowledge their sins against God and their neighbors and confess their need for the grace of Christ to partake of this meal.

Please also use this as a time of

**Baptism** 

prayer.

reflection,

If you are a
Christian and
haven't been
baptized, please talk
with an elder. We
would be honored to
baptize you.

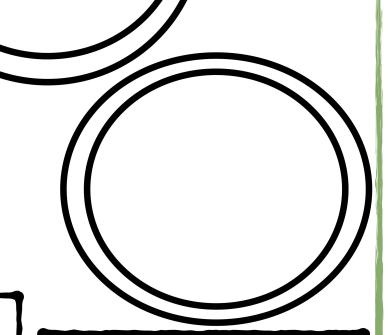
application, and

**Seeking** 

We hope this time has been helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with his people, the church. Our pastors and elders are available for any questions you might have.



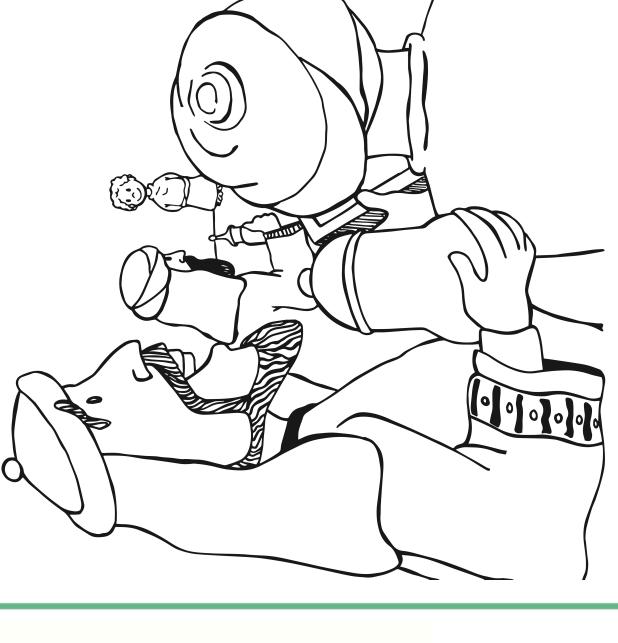
While worshipping this morning, who do you notice is leading us in singing, reading Scripture, or praying?



What is something that you are happy or excited about that you would like to tell God today?

What is something that you are worried or sad about that you would like to tell God today?

While listening to the sermon today, answer some of the questions below:  Who is Preaching?  Who is Preaching?  Book ChapterVerses Old Testament  New Testament	
An idea I heard talked about in the sermon today:	Good News I heard today?
	I did not understand



The name of the LORD is a strong tower; the righteous man runs into it and is safe.

PROVERBS 18:10

# We Love Jesus

#### Joseph and Pharaoh's Dream

Chris has the perfect plan to get great seats at the big game. The only thing he didn't plan was what to do when everything goes wrong! Superbook takes Chris, Joy and Gizmo to meet Joseph. Witness the ups and downs of his life—from Jacob's favorite son to a kidnapped slave, and from a forgotten prisoner to a powerful ruler in Egypt. The children learn that God is always working out His plans for our good, even when things seem out of control!

#### Lesson 1



#### **Joseph Trusted God**

**SuperTruth:** I will trust God and His plan for me.

**SuperVerse:** Trust in the LORD with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. Proverbs 3:5 (NLT)

Bible Story: Genesis 37,39–45

#### Lesson 2



#### A Good Plan for Me

**SuperTruth:** God's plans for me are good.

SuperVerse: "For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope." Jeremiah 29:11 (NLT)

#### Lesson 3



#### God's Plan for Jesus

**SuperTruth:** God's plan for Jesus brought salvation to all.

SuperVerse: "You tried to harm me, but God made it turn out for the best, so that He could save all these people, as He is now doing." Genesis 50:20 (CEV)

