

July 18, 2021

Order of Worship



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



REFLECTION

The church is so constituted that every member matters, and matters in a very vital sense. So I call attention to this whole subject [of revival] partly because I sense there is a curious tendency today for members of the Christian Church to feel and to think that they themselves can do very little, and so they tend to look to others to do all that is needed for them. This, of course, is something that is characteristic of the whole of life today. For instance, men and women no longer take exercise in sport as they used to. Instead, people tend to sit in crowds and just watch other people play. There was a time when people provided their own pleasure, but now the radio and television provide their entertainment and pleasure for them. And I fear that the tendency is even manifesting itself in the Christian Church. More and more we see evidence that people are just sitting back in crowds while one or two people are expected to do everything.

Now that of course, is a complete denial of the New Testament doctrine of the Church as the Body of Christ, where every single member has responsibility and has a function and matters, and matters in a most vital sense... 1Corinthians 12... you find that he says that our less comely parts are as important as the more comely parts, that every part of the body is to function and is to be ready for the Master's use, and always to be usable.

"Walking with God Day by Day" (see. June 1) By Martin Lloyd-Jones

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 himse<u>lf.</u> 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

Romans 8:31-32

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? *He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things*?

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CONFESSION

Romans 7:24-25

Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself serve the law of God with my mind, but with my flesh I serve the law of sin.

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 8:1-3

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh...

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 of the Lord will be saved... For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life... And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.

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

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SERMON

Acts 15:36-16:10
"Gospel Partnerships"
Pastor Chris Cha, Kaleo Church

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.

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SENDING

Romans 8:37-39

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord... *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,

application, and

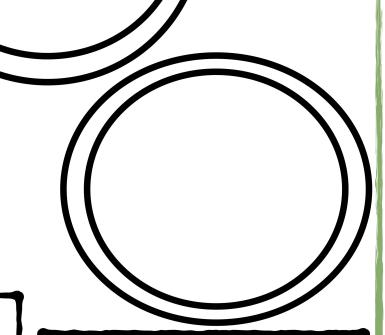
If you are a
Christian and
haven't been
baptized, please talk
with an elder. We
would be honored to
baptize you.

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.



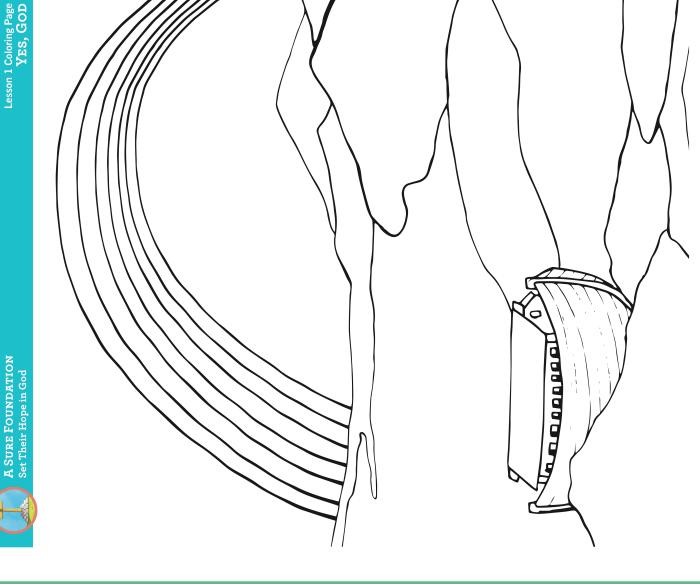
While worshipping this morning, who do you notice is leading us in singing, reading Scripture, or praying?



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



with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. Trust in the LORD PROVERBS 3:5

We Should Say, "Yes, God."

Rahab and the Walls of Jericho

Joy is upset when she must do a science project with an unfriendly girl. Can they ever work together? Superbook takes Joy, Chris and Gizmo to ancient Jericho, where Joshua's spies sneak into the city and meet a woman named Rahab. Will she betray the Israelites—or risk her life to help them? The children learn that even the highest walls are no match for faith in God!

Lesson 1



The Supreme God

SuperTruth: Nothing can stand against God.

SuperVerse: "No wonder our hearts have melted in fear! ... For the LORD your God is the supreme God of the heavens above and the earth below." Joshua 2:11 (NLT)

Bible Story: Joshua 1–6

Superbook Video: Rahab and the Walls of Jericho

Lesson 2



Overcome in Christ

SuperTruth: With Christ I can overcome all obstacles.

SuperVerse: It was by faith that the people of Israel marched around Jericho for seven days, and the walls came crashing down. Hebrews 11:30 (NLT)

Bible Story: Joshua 1–6

Superbook Video: Rahab and the Walls of Jericho

Lesson 3



Adopted Into God's Family

SuperTruth: Through Christ, I am adopted into His family.

SuperVerse: You received God's Spirit when He adopted you as His own children. Now we call Him, "Abba, Father." Romans 8:15b (NLT)

Bible Story: Joshua 1–6

Superbook Video: Rahab and the Walls of Jericho

