



September 4, 2022

# Order of Worship

Welcome! We hope you find this time meaningful and life giving.  
Please silence your devices for the duration of the service.  
Join us in the responsive readings written in **bold text**.  
May the LORD bless you!

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C H U R C H

Sunday Gathering 11:45 a.m.  
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Call to  
Worship

We gather today because God desires a relationship with us. It has been the practice of the church for thousands of years to have portions of the Bible read corporately during worship services.

Confession  
& Assurance

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.

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 ...

CALL TO WORSHIP

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."**

CONFESSION

Titus 2:11-12

For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, **training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age...**

(Let us reflect on our need for a Savior.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Titus 2:13-14

...waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, **who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.**

SONGS

SENDING OF KIDS

# SERMON

Pastor Chris Cha, Kaleo Church

## COMMUNION

Also called the Lord’s Supper is the family meal of Christians. We invite all followers of Jesus Christ who have examined their lives and confessed their sins to partake of this meal. This is a time of reflection, application, and prayer.

### Prayer for Receiving Communion

Lord Jesus, your perfect life, death, and resurrection are the source of all blessing in this life and the life to come. As I eat this bread and drink this cup, renew me in the joy and glory of knowing and serving you. I come to this table on the basis of your merit only and not my own. As you have completely and fully offered yourself for me, I now completely and fully offer myself to you as a living sacrifice. Amen.

## SONG

## SENDING

*Philippians 4:6-7*

do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

***Amen.***

### **Faith & Repentance Continued**

*...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.)*

# WELCOME

- We are glad you're here! Visitors please pick up a welcome gift at the checkin table.
- Are you visiting? Text "Hello" to (907) 312-5454.
- For information about community groups, text "KGroup" to (907) 312-5454.
- If you are a regular attender, Kaleo offering boxes are in the back of the sanctuary or text 84231 to give online.

# REFLECT

"I do not think that all who choose wrong roads perish; but their rescue consists in being put back on the right road. A sum can be put right: but only by going back till you find the error and working it afresh from that point, never by simply going on. Evil can be undone, but it cannot 'develop' into good. Time does not heal it. The spell must be unwound, bit by bit, 'with backward mutters of dissevering power' —or else not. It is still 'either-or'. If we insist on keeping Hell (or even Earth) we shall not see Heaven: if we accept Heaven we shall not be able to retain even the smallest and most intimate souvenirs of Hell. I believe, to be sure, that any man who reaches Heaven will find that what he abandoned (even in plucking out his right eye) has not been lost: that the kernel of what he was really seeking even in his most depraved wishes will be there, beyond expectation, waiting for him in 'the High Countries'."

— *The Great Divorce* by C. S. Lewis

# CONNECT

- TODAY - "Greet N Grub" in family room after church.
- Sept. 11th - "Fall Kick Off" after church.
- Sept. 18th - "Membership Class" 5 p.m. Dinner and childcare included. Sign up online.
- Sept. 25th - "Baptism Sunday." Sign up online.
- Urgent Need for two Toddler/PreK volunteers. Apply online at Kaleo Kids or contact Lucy (907) 441-2479.

## Prayer of Belief

*Lord Jesus, I admit that I am more sinful than I ever before believed, but through the cross, I am more loved and accepted than I ever hoped. 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.*

## Baptism

*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 and your relationship with Jesus Christ.*