

September 11, 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!



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

<u>Call to</u> <u>Worship</u>

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

Romans 1:16-17

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith."

CONFESSION

Isaiah 6:4-5

And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 6:6-7

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for."

SONGS

SENDING OF KIDS

SERMON

John 20:30-31
"That You May Believe"
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

Ephesians 1:13-14

In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.

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 evervone 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 text "Hello" to (907) 312-2000 and pick up a complimentary coffee card at the Welcome Table.
- Check out community groups text "KGroup" to (907) 312-2000.
- If you call Kaleo home, an offering box is hanging on the back wall of the auditorium near the double doors. You can also give online by texting any dollar amount to 84321.

REFLECT

"One of the few interesting statements uttered by (Tom) Brady came after Super Bowl number three... The interviewer asked Brady what he felt after winning pro football's ultimate prize, no doubt expecting him to say something along the elation-at-being-the-best or culmination-of-hard-work lines. Standard athlete stuff. Instead, Brady said something along the lines of "Is this all there is?" It was classic book-of-Ecclesiastes stuff, and for the first time I became interested in Brady other than simply being jealous of him and therefore wishing that he would get crushed... he gave voice to something that usually only comes out in private.. In Ecclesiastes 6: 1-2, the Teacher/ narrator expresses a similar sentiment when he writes: "I have seen another evil under the sun, and it weighs heavily on men: God gives a man wealth, possessions and honor, so that he lacks nothing his heart desires, but God does not enable him to enjoy them, and a stranger enjoys them instead. This is meaningless, a grievous evil." He goes on to write in verse 7: "All man's efforts are for his mouth, yet his appetite is never satisfied."

- The Reason For Sports: A Christian Fanifesto, by Ted Kluck

CONNECT

- 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, 1 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 vou 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.