

Order of Worship

October 20, 2019

Preparing Our Hearts: If you arrive a little early, prepare your heart for worship by reading and thinking about this text:

- *He remembers his covenant forever, the word that he commanded, for a thousand generations.* (Psalm 105:8 ESV)

Call to Worship:

- God calls us to worship
 - *Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples! Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works! Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice! Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually! Remember the wondrous works that he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he uttered, O offspring of Abraham, his servant, children of Jacob, his chosen ones!* (Psalm 105:1–6 ESV)
- We humbly respond with praise
 - Congregational Song: “Forever”
 - Congregational Song: “I Surrender All”

Gospel Assurance:

- Our need for Jesus
 - You were taught to put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires,
and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.
Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor,
for we are members one of another.
(Ephesians 4:22-25 ESV)
- God’s grace
 - *I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just*

as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ’s gift. Therefore it says, “When he ascended on high he led a host of captives, and he gave gifts to men.”

(Ephesians 4:1–8 ESV)

- Congregational Song: “You Alone Can Rescue”

What We Believe: As a church we want to affirm our unity in what we believe.

- Congregational Song: “This I Believe (The Creed)”

Prayer: We bring our requests to the Lord through Jesus Christ.

Church Life/Greeting: In Christ, we live and fellowship together as believers. We take time to learn what is going on in our church, and to greet one another as we worship.

Prayer for Understanding: We pray that God will open our hearts and minds to the preaching of His Word.

Sermon:

- Exodus 3:16-4:9

Lord’s Supper: In taking communion together, we remember the death of Christ as we proclaim it to one another as we consume the elements.

- Congregational Song: Oh the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus”

Praise to God (Doxology): We end our time of worship together as we resound in praises together.

- Congregational Song: “10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)”

God Blesses: We go into the world this week with God’s blessings as He enables us to serve Him.

- *Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all. (2 Thessalonians 3:16 ESV)*

Provisions and Promises

Exodus 3:16-4:9

Pastor Nathan Hogan

Discussion Questions:

1. The Lord tells Moses to go to the elders of Israel and take them with him when he goes to Pharaoh. How does this compare to Moses' last attempt at helping the Israelites?
 2. The Lord reminds Moses of His covenant with His people, and how he is going to be faithful to that covenant. Why does God make covenants if it is impossible for Him to lie? How does the fact that the Lord does this reveal His grace?
 3. What is Moses' objection in Exodus 4:1? Is this relatable? Why or why not?
 4. Ephesians 4:8 describes God's spiritual gifts to the church as the plunder of Jesus' victory. How does this description impact your view and desire to use your spiritual gifts?
 5. Do you ever feel ill-equipped to do what God has called you to do? How do the truths of this text encourage you?
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Next Week: Exodus 4:10-17