

Order of Worship

October 27, 2019

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

- *For your steadfast love is great to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.* (Psalm 57:10 ESV)

Call to Worship:

- God calls us to worship
 - *Oh, how abundant is your goodness, which you have stored up for those who fear you and worked for those who take refuge in you, in the sight of the children of mankind!* (Psalm 31:19 ESV)
- We humbly respond with praise
 - Congregational Song: “You Are Worthy of My Praise”
 - Congregational Song: “Psalm 19”

Gospel Assurance:

- Our need for Jesus
 - *O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise. For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it; you will not be pleased with a burnt offering. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.* (Psalm 51:15–17 ESV)
 - Prayer of Confession
- God’s grace
 - *The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me to bring good news to the poor; he has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound; to proclaim the year of the LORD’s favor, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all who mourn; to grant to those who mourn in Zion— to give them a beautiful headdress instead of ashes, the oil of gladness instead of mourning, the garment of praise instead of a faint spirit; that they may be called oaks of righteousness,*

the planting of the LORD, that he may be glorified.(Isaiah 61:1–3 ESV)

- Congregational Song: “Show Us Christ”
- Congregational Song: “Majesty (All Hail King Jesus)”

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

- *We believe there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all. He was manifested in the flesh, vindicated by the Spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among the nations, believed on in the world, taken up in glory. Amen.* (1 Timothy 2:5-6; 3:16 ESV)

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 4:10-17

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: “There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood”

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

- Congregational Song: “Today Is the Day”

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

- *Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.* (1 Timothy 1:2 ESV)

Closing Arguments

Exodus 4:10-17

Pastor Nathan Hogan

Discussion Questions:

1. What are the questions/objections Moses has raised with the Lord up to this point?
 2. What is Moses' concern in verse 10? How can you relate to this?
 3. What is the Lord's response to Moses in verses 11-12? How is this response both challenging and encouraging?
 4. One obstacle to Moses' obedience was his weakness. What weaknesses do you have that can be obstacles to your obedience? How does the Lord's response to Moses encourage you in your weakness?
 5. Why is the Lord's anger kindled in verse 14?
 6. Moses did not want to obey the Lord and wished the Lord would find someone else. What should we do when we don't feel like obeying the Lord?
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Next Week: Exodus 4:18-31