

Order of Worship
December 27, 2020

Call to worship:

- God calls us to worship:
 - *The grass withers, the flower fades when the breath of the LORD blows on it; surely the people are grass. The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.* (Isaiah 40:7–8 ESV)
- We humbly respond with praise:
 - Congregational Song: “Forever”
 - Congregational Song: “Be Thou My Vision”

Our Need for Jesus:

We are reminded of our need for Jesus, and God’s grace through Christ:

- *For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!” But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, “Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?” So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.* (Romans 10:13–17 ESV)
- Congregational Song: “Show Us Christ”

Church Life:

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.

- **Missionary Highlight/Prayer:** Unreached people group

Sermon: “Brotherly Love” 1 Peter 1:22-25

Lord’s Supper:

In taking communion together, we remember the death of Christ as we proclaim it to one another in consuming the elements.

- Congregational Song: “Lead Me To The Cross”

Benediction:

- 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)

“Forever”

Verse 1:

Give thanks to the Lord
Our God and King
His love endures forever
For He is good He is above all things
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Verse 2:

With a mighty hand
And an outstretched arm
His love endures forever
For the life that's been reborn
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise
Pre-Chorus
Sing praise sing praise

Chorus:

*Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever forever*

Verse 3:

From the rising to the setting sun
His love endures forever
And by the grace of God
We will carry on
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

“Be Thou My Vision”

Verse 1:

Be Thou my vision O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me save that Thou art
Thou my best thought by day or by night
Waking or sleeping thy presence my light

Verse 2:

Be Thou my wisdom be Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one

Verse 3:

Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance now and always
Thou and Thou only be first in my heart
High King of heaven my treasure Thou art

Verse 4:

High King of heaven when vict'ry is won
May I reach heaven's joys O bright heaven's Sun
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

“Show Us Christ”

Verse 1:

Prepare our hearts O God
Help us to receive
Break the hard and stony ground
Help our unbelief

Plant Your Word down deep in us
'Cause it to bear fruit
Open up our ears to hear
Lead us in Your truth

Chorus:

*Show us Christ show us Christ
O God reveal Your glory
Through the preaching of Your Word
Until every heart confesses Christ is Lord*

Verse 2:

Your Word is living light
Upon our darkened eyes
Guards us through temptations
Makes the simple wise

Your Word is food for famished ones
Freedom for the slave
Riches for the needy soul
Come speak to us today

Bridge:

Where else can we go Lord
Where else can we go
You have the words of eternal life
(REPEAT)

“Lead Me To The Cross”

Verse 1:

Saviour I come quiet my soul
Remember redemption's hill
Where Your blood was spilled
For my ransom

Pre-Chorus:

Ev'rything I once held dear
I count it all as loss

Chorus:

*Lead me to the cross
Where Your love poured out
Bring me to my knees
Lord I lay me down
Rid me of myself
I belong to You
Oh lead me lead me to the cross*

Verse 2:

You were as I tempted and tried human
The word became flesh
Bore my sin in death
Now You're risen

Bridge:

To Your heart
To Your heart
Lead me to Your heart
Lead me to Your heart