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**Order of Worship**  
**April 19, 2020**

Prepare to worship by reading:

*O Israel, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. O house of Aaron, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. You who fear the LORD, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. (Psalm 115:9–11 ESV)*

Sing: “As the Deer”

*(Chorus)*

*You alone are my strength, my shield  
To You alone may my spirit yield  
You alone are my heart's desire  
And I long to worship Thee*

*As the deer panteth for the water  
So my soul longeth after Thee  
You alone are my heart's desire  
And I long to worship Thee*

*You're my friend  
And You are my brother  
Even though You are a King  
I love You more than any other  
So much more than anything*

*I want You more than gold or silver  
Only You can satisfy  
You alone are the real joy giver  
And the apple of my eye*

Acknowledge your sin to God by reading:

*Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD! O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared. (Psalm 130:1–4 ESV)*

Rejoice in God's grace by reading:

*I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning. O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him*

*is plentiful redemption. And he will redeem Israel from all his iniquities. (Psalm 130:5–8 ESV)*

Sing: “Amazing Grace”

*Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found;  
Was blind, but now I see.*

*T'was Grace that taught my heart to fear  
And Grace, my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed*

*Through many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.*

*When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.*

Confess what you believe by reading:

*We believe in one God, Creator of all things, holy, infinitely perfect, and eternally existing in a loving unity of three equally divine Persons: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Having limitless knowledge and sovereign power, God has graciously purposed from eternity to redeem a people for Himself and to make all things new for His own glory. (EFCA Statement of Faith)*

Listen:

Message on Psalm 131

Be encouraged this week by reading:

*Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain. (1 Corinthians 15:58 ESV)*

## Sermon Notes

### Questions:

1. How does the description of a quiet soul in Psalm 131 contrast with the world's portrayal of a quiet self?
2. Why is a quiet soul humble, content, and hopeful? Which of these do you need to grow in the most?
3. Based on Psalm 131, how would you describe a noisy soul?