

Order of Worship - Week of February 23rd, 2020

Call to Worship and Invocation

Pastor Phil leads the congregation in a call to worship from 96

Leader:

Oh sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth!

All
Sing to the Lord, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.

Leader:

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!

All
For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; he is to be feared above all gods.

Songs of response:

1. *All Creatures of Our God and King*
2. *From the Rising of the Sun (Psalm 113)*

Confession of Sin

All confess using a prayer from Psalm 32

Leader:

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts
no iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

All:
**For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away
through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was
heavy upon me;
my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I
acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;
I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Leader:

Therefore let everyone who is godly offer prayer to you at a time when
you may be found;
surely in the rush of great waters,
they shall not reach him.

All:

**You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you
surround me with shouts of deliverance.**

Assurance of Pardon

Lucas reads Psalm 32:10-11

Many are the sorrows of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds the
one who trusts in the Lord. Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, O righteous,
and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!

Songs of response:

1. *Jesus Paid it All*
2. *Christ is Risen*

Confession of Faith

*Pastor Phil leads the congregation in a confession of faith from the
Westminster Shorter Catechism, questions 11-12*

Q. 11. What are God's works of providence?

**God's works of providence are his most holy, wise, and powerful
preservation and control of all his creatures, and all their actions**

Q. 12. What special act of providence did God exercise toward man in
the state in which he was created?

**When God had created man, he entered into a covenant of life with
him, on condition of perfect obedience, forbidding him to eat of the
tree of the knowledge of good and evil on penalty of death.**

Preaching of God's Word