

Order of Worship

May 16, 2021

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Reflecting on our Baptism and Invocation

*Call to Worship

Psalm 118:1-4, 14-16 (ESV)

Leader: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

Congregation: Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures forever."

Let the house of Aaron say, "His steadfast love endures forever."

Let those who fear the LORD say, "His steadfast love endures forever."

The LORD is my strength and my song; he has become my salvation.

Glad songs of salvation are in the tents of the righteous:

**"The right hand of the LORD does valiantly, the right hand of the LORD exalts,
the right hand of the LORD does valiantly!"**

*Song of Praise

The Lord Is My Salvation

1. The grace of God has reached for me, and pulled me from the raging sea.

And I am safe on this solid ground: The Lord is my salvation.

2. I will not fear when darkness falls, His strength will help me scale these walls.

I'll see the dawn of the rising sun: The Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love.

My debt is paid and the vict'ry won: The Lord is my salvation.

3. My hope is hidden in the Lord, He flow'rs each promise of His Word.

When winter fades, I know spring will come: The Lord is my salvation.

4. In times of waiting, times of need, when I know loss, when I am weak.

I know His grace will renew these days: The Lord is my salvation.

5. And when I reach the final day, He will not leave me in the grave.

But I will rise, He will call me home: The Lord is my salvation.

Glory be to God, the Father, glory be to God, the Son,

glory be to God, the Spirit; The Lord is our salvation.

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Call to Confession

Psalm 118:5-9 (ESV)

Leader: Out of my distress I called on the LORD;
the LORD answered me and set me free.
The LORD is on my side; I will not fear.
What can man do to me?
The LORD is on my side as my helper;
I shall look in triumph on those who hate me.
It is better to take refuge in the LORD
than to trust in man.
It is better to take refuge in the LORD
than to trust in princes.

Song of Confession

Who You Say I Am

1. Who am I that the highest King would welcome me.
I was lost but He brought me in. Oh, His love for me.
Oh, His love for me.

Who the Son sets free, oh is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes I am.

2. Free at last, He has ransomed me, His grace runs deep.
While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me.
Yes, He died for me.

Who the Son sets free, oh is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes I am.
In my Father's house there's a place for me.
I'm a child of God, yes I am.

I am chosen, not forsaken. I am who You say I am.
You are for me, not against me. I am who You say I am.

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Scripture Reading

Romans 8:14-17 (ESV)

Leader: All who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

This Week's Missionary

Richard and Robyn Crane serving in Miami, Florida with MTW

This Week's Birthdays

May 16, Phil Pinegar; May 17, Dan Lambert; May 19, Rebekah Smith;
May 21, Elbert Hedges, Faye Schroeder; May 22, Zachary Haller; May 23, Peggy Taylor;
May 24, Jenni Martinez Ramos, Nate Shockey

Assurance of Pardon

Psalms 118:17-24 (ESV)

Leader: I shall not die, but I shall live, and recount the deeds of the LORD.
The LORD has disciplined me severely, but he has not given me over to death.

**Congregation: Open to me the gates of righteousness,
that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD.**

This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it.
I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.
The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

**This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.
This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

*Song of Assurance

How Firm a Foundation
Hymn No. 94

1. How firm a foundation, you saints of the Lord,
is laid for your faith in his excellent Word!
What more can he say than to you he has said,
to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?
2. "Fear not, I am with you, O be not dismayed;
for I am your God, and will still give you aid;
I'll strengthen you, help you, and cause you to stand,
upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.
3. "When through the deep waters I call you to go,
the rivers of sorrow shall not overflow;
for I will be with you, your troubles to bless,
and sanctify to you your deepest distress.
4. "When through fiery trials your pathway shall lie,
my grace, all sufficient, shall be your supply;
the flame shall not hurt you; I only design
your dross to consume and your gold to refine.
6. "The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to his foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no never, no never forsake."

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Offering

Pastoral Prayer

*Scripture Reading

Numbers 13:25-33 (ESV)

Morning Message

The Lord's Table

Heidelberg Catechism #1

Leader: Q. What is your only comfort in life and death?

**All: A. That I am not my own,
but belong with body and soul,
both in life and in death,
to my faithful Saviour Jesus Christ.**

**He has fully paid for all my sins
with his precious blood,
and has set me free
from all the power of the devil.**

**He also preserves me in such a way
that without the will of my heavenly Father
not a hair can fall from my head;
indeed, all things must work together
for my salvation.**

**Therefore, by his Holy Spirit
he also assures me
of eternal life
and makes me heartily willing and ready
from now on to live for him.**

Overcome

1. Seated above, enthroned in the Father's love;
Destined to die, poured out for all mankind.

2. God's only Son, perfect and spotless One;
He never sinned, but suffered as if He did;

All authority, ev'ry victory is Yours.
Savior, worthy of honor and glory,
worthy of all our praise, for You overcame;
Jesus, awesome in power forever;
Awesome and great is Your Name, for You overcame.

3. Power in hand, speaking the Father's plan;
Sending us out, light in this broken land;

We will overcome by the blood of the Lamb
and the word of our testimony; Ev'ryone overcome.

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*Song of Response

Gloria Patri
Hymn No. 735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.

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*Benediction