

*Gathering/Preparation to Receive God's Word*

**PRELUDE**

Jeanne Homan

**INTROIT**

***Rain Down***

Chancel Choir

Jaime Cortez; arr. John Carter

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OPENING SENTENCES** (*from Philippians 1*)

Leader: Live in a way that is worthy of the gospel.

People: **Stand firm in the Spirit, side by side.**

**GATHERING SONG**

***This I Believe***

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Ben Fielding & Matt Crocker

**CALL TO WORSHIP** (*from Psalm 79*)

Leader: Do not remember against us our former iniquities;

People: **let your compassion come speedily to meet us, for we are brought very low.**

Leader: Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of your name;

People: **deliver us, and atone for our sin, for your name's sake!**

Leader: Let the groans of the prisoners come before you; according to your great power, preserve those doomed to die!

People: **We the people, the sheep of your pasture, will give thanks to you forever; from generation to generation we will recount your praise.**

Leader: Let us join together in singing our Hymn of Praise, *Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty*, song #482 in the blue hymnal.

**HYMN OF PRAISE** #482 *Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty*

(blue hymnal)

**CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

People: **Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your holy name.**

(Time of silent confession)

**GLORIA PATRI** - Hymn #579

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: **And also with you!**

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another!

Hymn #304 *Jesus Loves Me!* v.1

**TIME WITH CHILDREN**

***Noisy Buckets!!***

Hymn #304 *Jesus Loves Me!* v.2

*Word/Receiving God's Word*

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

Lord God, pour out your Spirit upon us to bring good news to the oppressed, and let your word be fulfilled among us; through Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE READING**

Old Testament: Exodus 20: 3 - 7

Gospel Reading: Matthew 24: 3 - 12

New Testament: Galatians 1: 1 - 12

Leader: The word of God, for the people of God.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON**

*"There Is But One Gospel"*

Pastor, Rev. Edgar C. Mariel

*Response/Responding to God's Word*

**ANTHEM**

***Before the Throne of God Above***

Chancel Choir

Charitie Bancroft and Vikki Cook; arr. Russell Maudlin

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - THE APOSTLE'S CREED**

The *Apostle's Creed (Traditional)* may be found in the blue hymnal in the *Aids to Worship* section, page 14

**INVITATION TO OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY**

Jeanne Homan

**DOXOLOGY** - Hymn #592

**PRAYER'S OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**CLOSING HYMN** #379 *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less* (blue hymnal)

**BENEDICTION**

**RESPONSE SONG** #239 *Rejoice In the Lord Always* (red book)