



November 1 - 8:30 am and 9:45 am
Sanctuary

“Repentance is a characteristic of the whole life, not the action of a single moment.” -Sinclair Ferguson

Prelude *It Is Well* arr. Rhett Barnwell

Community Life

PRAISING THE CREATOR

*Call to Worship Psalm 111:1-3

Leader: Praise the Lord!

**All: I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,
in the company of the upright, in the congregation.**

Leader: Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.

All: Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn of Praise

For all the saints who from their labors rest,
Who thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be for ever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress, and their Might;
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true Light. Alleluia! Alleluia!

O may thy soldiers faithful, true, and bold,
Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,

And win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia! Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Alleluia! Alleluia!

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*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Kenyan Liturgy

Leader: Is the Father with us?	All: He is.
Leader: Is Christ among us?	All: He is.
Leader: Is the Spirit here?	All: He is.
Leader: This is our God.	All: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
Leader: We are his people.	All: We are redeemed.
Leader: Lift up your hearts.	All: We lift them to the Lord.
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.	All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

*Hymn of Adoration

Do you feel the world is broken? **We do.** Do you feel the shadows deepen? **We do.**

But do you know that all the dark won't stop the light from getting through? **We do.**

Do you wish that you could see it all made new? **We do.**

Is all creation groaning? **It is.** Is a new creation coming? **It is.**

Is the glory of the Lord to be the light within our midst? **It is.**

Is it good that we remind ourselves of this? **It is.**

Is anyone worthy? Is anyone whole? Is anyone able to break the seal and open the scroll?

The Lion of Judah, who conquered the grave; He is David's Root
And the Lamb who died to ransom the slave.

Is He worthy? Is He worthy of all blessing and honor and glory? Is He worthy of this? He is.

Does the Father truly love us? **He does.** Does the Spirit move among us? **He does.**

And does Jesus our Messiah hold forever those He loves? **He does.**
Does our God intend to dwell again with us? **He does.**

Is anyone worthy? Is anyone whole? Is anyone able to break the seal and open the scroll?

The Lion of Judah, who conquered the grave; He is David's Root
And the Lamb who died to ransom the slave.

From ev'ry people and tribe, every nation and tongue;

He has made us a kingdom and priests to God to reign with the Son.

Is He worthy? Is He worthy?

Of all blessing and honor and glory? Is He worthy? Is He worthy? Is He worthy of this? He is!

Is He worthy? Is He worthy? He is! He is!

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LAMENTING THE FALL

Confession of Sin

Romans 2:1, 3-4

Moment of Silent Confession

CHERISHING REDEMPTION

Words of Grace and Peace

Titus 3:4-6

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior.

*Hymn of Worship

There is an everlasting kindness you lavished on us.
When the radiance of heaven came to rescue the lost,
You called the sheep without a shepherd to leave their distress
For Your streams of forgiveness, and the shade of your rest.

And with compassion for the hurting you reached out your hand;
As the lame ran to meet you and the dead breathed again.
You saw behind the eyes of sorrow and shared in our tears;
Heard the sigh of the weary; let the children draw near.

*What boundless love what fathomless grace, you have shown us, O
God of compassion.*

*Each day we live an offering of praise as we show to the world Your
compassion.*

We stood beneath the cross of Calv'ry and gazed on Your face;
At the thorns of oppression and the wounds of disgrace.
For surely You have borne our suffering and carried our grief
As You pardoned the scoffer and showed grace to the thief.

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LONGING FOR RESTORATION

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:14-41

Leader: This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

A New People Coming Home to God

Tim Pitzer

Communion Prayer

from “Valley of Vision”

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

An usher will invite you forward. The bread and wine offered by the elders can be taken at your pew at any time. If you are unable to come forward, raise your hand to be served at your pew.

Communion Hymns

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come; Jesus I come.

Into thy freedom, gladness and light, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of my sickness into thy health, out of my wanting and into thy wealth,

Out of my sin and into thyself, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.

Into the glorious gain of thy cross, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of earth’s sorrows into thy balm, out of life’s storms and into thy calm,

Out of distress into jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.

Into thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of myself to dwell in thy love, out of despair into raptures above,

Upward forever on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to thee.

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Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face,
and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of His glory
and grace.

Turn your eyes to the hillside where justice and mercy embrace;
there the Son of God gave His life for us, and our measureless debt
was erased.

*Jesus, to You we lift our eyes—Jesus, our glory and our prize.
We adore You, behold You, our Savior ever true; O Jesus, we turn
our eyes to You.*

Turn your eyes to the morning and see Christ the lion awake!
What a glorious dawn fear of death is gone, for we carry His life in our
veins.

Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

*Hymn of Response

Turn your eyes to the heavens: our King will return for His own;
every knee will bow, every tongue will shout, "All glory to Jesus alone!"
*Jesus, to You we lift our eyes—Jesus, our glory and our prize.
We adore You, behold You, our Savior ever true; O Jesus, we turn
our eyes to You.*

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*Benediction

*Postlude

Assisting in Worship:

Preacher: Tim Pitzer, Equip the Church Pastor

Liturgist: Caleb Kreitz, Spiritual Formation Director

In Memory and In Celebration

In his perfect timing, over the course of the previous 12 months, the Lord Jesus has lovingly gathered to himself the following members of Mitchell Road:

Jackie Wallace

Barbara Riddle

Eloise Edwards

Mary Kretzinger

Dewaine Wagner

Joe Franks

Kent Darlington

Sally Hoosh

Jerry Gohs

Flo Godfrey

Glenn Barnes

Jake Joye

Tom Stanley

Nancy Tanner

Marj Eckerson

Joyce Shuey

Rosie Clough

Doug Buchanan