

April 15, 2018

ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:15 & 11:00 Services

REFLECTIONS FOR WORSHIP

If I profess with the loudest voice and clearest exposition every portion of the truth of God except precisely that point which the world and the devil are at that moment attacking, I am not confessing Christ. Where the battle rages, there the loyalty of the soldier is proven, and to be steady on all the battle fronts besides is mere flight and disgrace if he flinches at that point. - Martin Luther

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- Jeremiah 2:12-13

PRELUDE

The Heavens Declare - Marcello
Jill Lee, organist

‡ CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: As we gather for worship, may we remember that God's love and Christ's example enable us to live as children of the light.

Congregation: **Strengthen us, then, in this hour,
that we may live like people who belong to you.**

Minister: Keep us from worthless things that belong to the world of darkness.

All: **Make us ready and willing to receive your Word that we may live in the light, giving thanks to our God.**

‡ HYMN OF ADORATION

No. 92 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* - Zundel
vs. 1, 2 and 4

‡ **INVOCATION | THE LORD'S PRAYER** Rev. Nick Turner, Pastor of Families and Children

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

All: God of Light, we confess that we have gone astray and have left your light. Forgive us for not seeking the true Light of your love for all the world. Forgive us for not following the ways of Jesus, who commanded us to love one another. Call us to be light-bearers of love, compassion and justice, in which the Mystery of Your Love is revealed. In the name of Jesus the Messiah, we pray.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Isaiah 43:25)

Minister: *I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake,
and I will not remember your sins.*

‡ DOXOLOGY

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

GOD'S TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS

8:15 *He Leadeth Me* - Archer
Ella Ramsey, Piano

11:00 *Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer* - Getty / Beck
Westminster Choir and Orchestra

INTERLUDE (11:00)

Children (5K - 3rd grade) are dismissed to Children's Church

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Mike Honeycutt, Senior Pastor

Don't Go to Church; Be the Church
Ephesians 5:1-8

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

‡ HYMN OF RESPONSE

No. 371 *Have Thine Own Way, Lord* - Stebbins
vs. 1 and 4

‡ BENEDICTION

‡ POSTLUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy - Linker
Jill Lee, organist

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9:30 Service

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WELCOME

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‡ INVOCATION

‡ SONGS OF PRAISE

*Glorious Day
Come Thou Fount*

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CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

How Can It Be

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

GOD'S TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS

How Can It Be

Children (K5 - 3rd grade) are dismissed to Children's Church

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Mike Honeycutt, Senior Pastor

Don't Go to Church; Be the Church

Ephesians 5:1-8

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

‡ CHORUS OF RESPONSE

No Longer Slaves

‡ BENEDICTION

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