

Service of Worship

*About the ninth hour Jesus cried out in a loud voice,
"Eloi, Eloi, lama sabachthani?" — which means,
"My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"
Matthew 27: 46*

GATHERING MUSIC

Sanctuary Choir
Jim DeJarnette

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 13)

Jim Singleton - 8:30 & 11:30 A.M.

Dan Jessup - 10:00 A.M.

Leader: How long, O Lord? Will you forget me forever?

People: How long will you hide your face from us?

Leader: But I trust in your unfailing love.

People: Our hearts rejoice in your salvation.

Leader: I will sing to the Lord,

People: For he has been good to us.

Leader: Let us worship God.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,
And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;
There are sweet expressions on each face,
And I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove,
Stay right here with us, filling us with your love;
And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise;
Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived
When we shall leave this place.

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Chris Lawson, Steve Hock, Dave Martz, Trumpets

* PRAYER OF PRAISE

Sara Singleton - 8:30 A.M.

Jim Smith - 10:00 & 11:30 A.M.

** GREETINGS

SONGS OF PRAISE

"Sanctuary"

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving,
I'll be a living sanctuary for you. *Repeat.*

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"Healer of My Soul"

Healer of my soul, keep me at evening.
Keep me at morning, keep me at noon,
Healer of my soul.

Keeper of my soul, on rough course faring.
Help and safeguard my means this night,
Keeper of my soul.

I am tired, astray and stumbling,
Shield my soul from the snare of sin.

Healer of my soul, keep me at evening.
Keep me at morning, keep me at noon,
Healer of my soul.

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Chris Sebby, Piano; Todd Gustafson, Keyboard and Piano;
James Bristow, Guitar; Jeremy Laukauf, Bass; Steve Ross, Percussion;
Phil Perry, Sax and Flute; Wayne Hoey, Sax

CALL TO CONFESSION

John Goodale - 8:30 A.M.

Dan Jessup - 10:00 A.M.

Clarence Shuler - 11:30 A.M.

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, you see into our hearts and find what is broken and what is rebellious. Forgive us for trying to be Lord of our own lives. You see our lives and our futures better than we. Forgive us for our failure to trust you. You see the purpose in what has happened to us in ways we cannot fathom. Forgive us our doubts. You understand even the annoying obstacles placed in our paths. Forgive us for our complaints. Open each of us to the daring trust we want to have in you (*continue in the silence*). Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;
Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light:
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

When my way grows drear, precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone;
Hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I fall:
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

When the darkness appears and the night draws near,
And the day is past and gone,
At the river I stand, guide my feet, hold my hand:
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

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NEWS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY

Please write your name and address in the blue friendship folder.

Jim Singleton - 8:30 & 11:30 A.M.

Jim Smith - 10:00 A.M.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Jim Singleton

SACRAMENT OF INFANT BAPTISM (11:30 A.M.)

Reagan Elizabeth Drake and Carson James Drake

Children of David Houston Drake and Christina Lynn Burns Drake

FAITH SHARING

Linda Boyles

OFFERTORY

8:30 & 10:00 A.M.

“I’ve Overcome” DeJarnette

11:30 A.M.

“Everlasting God” Brown and Riley

*** DOXOLOGY**

*** PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON, II Corinthians 1:3-11, Page 1794

John Goodale - 8:30 A.M.

Dan Jessup - 10:00 A.M.

Clarence Shuler - 11:30 A.M.

ANTHEM

8:30 & 10:00 A.M.

“I Made It” Patterson

Lydia Countess, Soloist

11:30 A.M.

“You Are So Good to Me” Chaffer,

Pasley, and Pasley

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Sara Singleton - 8:30 A.M.

Jim Smith - 10:00 & 11:30 A.M.

*** HYMN OF PREPARATION**

"Just a Closer Walk With Thee"

I am weak but thou art strong.
Jesus, keep me from all wrong.
I'll be satisfied as long
As I walk, let me walk close to thee.

Refrain:

Just a closer walk with thee,
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea.
Daily walking close to thee,
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

Through this world of toil and snares,
If I falter, Lord who cares?
Who with me my burden shares?
None but thee, dear Lord, none but thee. *Refrain*

When my feeble life is o'er,
Time for me will be no more.
Guide me gently, safely o'er
To thy kingdom shore, to thy shore. *Refrain*

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SERMON,

"How Long Is It Between Verse 21 and Verse 22?"

Psalm 22

Jim Singleton

*** HYMN OF RESPONSE**

"Amazing Grace"

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

The Lord has promised good to me,
His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

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*** BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE,

"Amazing Grace" arr. Shearing
Don Dyck

*Congregation standing. **Ushers will seat worshipers who are delayed here and during hymns.
***Members of the choir leaving during the second hymn have sung in previous services.