To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are a stranger and want fellowship;

to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whoever will come – this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

#### STANDING

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 86:4-5, 8-13

Text in **bold** is read together by the entire congregation. Plain text is read by one of the worship service leaders.

Gladden the soul of your servant, for to you, O Lord, do I lift up my soul.

For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon you.

There is none like you among the gods, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours.

All the nations you have made shall come and worship before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

For you are great and do wondrous things; you alone are God.

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth; unite my heart to fear your name.

I give thanks to you, O Lord my God, with my whole heart, and I will glorify your name forever.

For great is your steadfast love toward me; you have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.

#### STANDING

# SONG OF EXALTATION

HE IS OUR GOD

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Who can light the fires
Of a thousand burning suns
Blazing in the heavens, there is only One
He is our God

Who commands the nations
Building up and tearing down
Silencing His rivals, there is only One
He is our God, He is our God

Refrain

Holy, You alone are holy Matchless in Your glory, holy God

Who would come to save us
When we turned away His love
Conquer us with kindness, there is only One
He is our God, He is our God

Chorus

Holy, You alone are holy Matchless in Your glory, no one is like You Worthy, You alone are worthy We adore You only, holy God

Bridge

Now to the King on the throne Who was and is to come And to the Lamb Who was slain be glory Scott Olsen | Turn Your Eyes | @ 2006 Scott Olsen Productions

Praise the LORD, O my soul And all my inmost being, Praise His holy Name! Praise the LORD, O my soul Forget not all of His blessings Praise His holy Name!

#### Chorus

He Who forgives all my sins, heals my diseases Redeeming my life from the pit of despair Who crowns me with love Who crowns with compassion And satisfies all my desires With only good things Only good things

#### SEATED

# CONFESSION OF SIN

Ephesians 4:32; Matthew 6:14-15

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

#### Father,

Because of Your grace in Jesus, our sins are forgiven and our condemnation is forever removed. And yet, at times, our pride keeps us from extending the same grace to one another. Please have mercy on us and teach us to forgive like Jesus. Help us to see one another as you see us, for your glory and our joy. Amen

# RECEIVING OF GRACE

Colossians 2:13-14

And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

#### STANDING

# REJOICE IN THE LORD

ARISE, MY SOUL, ARISE
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Arise, my soul, arise,
Shake off thy guilty fears
The bleeding Sacrifice
In my defense appears
Before the Throne He stands;
Before the Throne He stands
My name is written on His hands

He ever lives above, for me to intercede His own redeeming love, His precious blood to plead Before the Throne of Grace, Before the Throne of Grace He gladly bends and takes my place

Five bleeding wounds He bears,
Received on Calvary
They pour effective prayers;
They strongly plead for me
"Forgive, forgive!" they cry;
"Forgive, forgive!" they cry
"This ransomed sinner must not die!"

The Father hears Him pray,
His dear anointed One
He cannot turn away
The Presence of His Son
He sees the priceless blood
He sees the priceless blood
And tells me I am born of God

My God is reconciled,
His pardoning voice I hear
He owns me for His child,
I can no longer fear
With boldness I draw nigh,
With boldness I draw nigh
And, "Father, Abba, Father!" I cry

NOT ALL THE BLOOD OF BEASTS

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Not all the blood of beasts On Jewish altars slain Could give the guilty conscience peace Or wash away the stain.

But Christ, the Heavenly Lamb, Takes all our sins away; A sacrifice of nobler name And richer blood than they.

#### Chorus

Hallel-ujah, A perfect Savior given! That ca-me to take, His own dear sons to heaven

My faith would lay her hand On that dear head, of Thine While like a penitent I stand And there confess my sin.

My soul looks back to see The burden Thou didst bear When hanging on the cursed tree And knows her guilt was there. Believing, we rejoice
To see the curse removed;
We bless the Lamb with cheerful voice
And sing His bleeding love.

#### SEATED

# SACRED READING

Hebrews 9

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

#### SEATED

GOSPEL

# Paul's Epistle To Colossae

Text: Colossians 2:10 Pastor John Schubert

#### STANDING

# SONG OF RESPONSE

FAITH REVIVING

Words by Augusutus Toplady | Chorus by John Schubert | Adjustments and music by Jeremy Pynch

From where's this fear and unbelief? Has not the Father put to grief His spot—less Son for me? And will the righteous Judge of men Condemn me for that debt of sin Which, Lord, was charged on thee?

Complete atonement you have made, And to the utmost you have paid Whatever thy people owed; How then can wrath on me take place If sheltered in thy righteousness, And sprinkled with thy blood?

#### Chorus

God is for me, this I know The Bible tells me so. I've been Jus—tified by His grace One day I'll see His face!

If thou hast my discharge procured,
And freely in my room endured
The whole of wrath divine,
Payment God cannot twice demand—
First at my bleeding Surety's hand,
And then again at mine.

Turn then, my soul, unto the feast!
And the merits of thy great High Priest
Who bought your liberty;
Trust in his efficacious blood,
Nor fear thy banishment from God,
Since Jesus has died for thee.

#### STANDING

#### SENDING

Ephesians 6:23-24

Peace be to the brothers, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible.

# **Complete in Christ!**

### Colossians 2:10

### I. Complete Atonement

- a. The **cause** of our completeness in Christ
- b. The work of **Christ** in our completeness
  - i. Complete **blotting** out all sin!

### Problems with neglecting confession:

- Unconfessed sin causes a rift between God and sinner
- Unconfessed sin hardens our hearts
- Unconfessed sin causes the sinner to forget their sin

### Blessings with confession:

- A tender conscience

### II. Complete Justification