

Glorify God, grow disciples, and meet the needs of our neighbors.



So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus. Romans 6:11

GATHERING

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 86)

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

People: All the nations shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

Leader: Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth; give me an undivided heart to revere your name.

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

OPENING HYMN GTG 39

Great Is Thy Faithfulness (verses 1,3)

FAITHFULNESS

CALL TO CONFESSION

Sin destroys lives, relationships, hope. But through faith in the saving death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, our lives, our relationships, and our future are no longer enslaved to sin. Trust in the love of God and let us confess our sin.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God of immeasurable grace, how shall we measure our sins? Only you know their real dimensions – the history of human disobedience replayed over and over, the ramifications of suspicion, mistrust, and hatred, the multiplication of wrongdoing by generations, the perpetuation of prejudices by unthinking repetition, the aggravation of offenses by the unforgiving and vengeful. All of us stand in need of your grace, mercy, love, healing, and forgiveness. Have mercy upon us; teach us your ways in Jesus Christ so that we may walk in your truth in the power of the Holy Spirit. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

You are invited to take a moment for silent confession.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

God, who loves us, does not abandon us or forsake us. Our Savior hears and answers when we cry out from the wastelands of sin. Death cannot bind us, for the risen Christ sets us free. In Jesus Christ you are forgiven!

We are alive to God in Jesus Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit to follow our Lord Jesus Christ.

RESPONSE GTG 582

Glory To God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

GLORY TO GOD

HEARING THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 10:24-39

ANTHEM

If You Search with All Your Heart Craig Courtney

Sydney Barber, accompanist

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 6:1-11

SERMON Rev. Dr. Ken Ritchie

"Baptized into the Newness of Life"

RESPONDING

REAFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

Sentences of Scripture

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the might acts of the One who called you out of darkness into God's marvelous light.

Once we were not a people, but now we are God's people; once we had not received mercy, but now we have received mercy.

Profession of Faith

Beloved people of God and renounce evil and its power in the world?

I do.

Who is your Lord and Savior?

Jesus Christ is my Lord and Savior.

Will you be Christ's faithful disciple, obeying his word and showing his love?

I will, with God's help

Thanksgiving for Baptism and Anointing

Remember your baptism and be thankful, and, know that the Holy Spirit is at work within you.

Thanks be to God.

HYMN OF MEDITATION GTG 490

Wash, O God, Your Sons and Daughters (verses 1,3)

BEACH SPRING

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you

OFFERING

Offertory

Doxology Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

GTG 606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here below. Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

O Lord Jesus, gentle and humble of heart, full of compassion and maker of peace, you lived in poverty and suffered persecution for the cause of justice. You chose the cross as the path to glory to show us the way of salvation. May we receive the good news of Jesus joyfully and live by example as heirs and citizens of your kingdom, through Christ. Amen.

SENDING

HYMN OF DEDICATION GTG 738 MARYTON

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee (verses 1,2)

BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

Choral Amen

COVID-19 Update! We continue to worship online as we move beyond Pentecost. COVID-19 may change how we worship. BUT, it does not stop worship! We will keep you informed as best we can as we continue this journey. Remember, keep connected to each other through phone calls, emails, and texts! If you are aware of anyone who needs something, please let Pastor Ken know.

Camp-In-A-Box VBS 2020 is coming in July! FUPC & Iglesia Emmanuel joint Camp-in-a-Box brings the fun of a camp or VBS program to your doorstep! The box is designed with the elementary camper in mind, grades K-6th. Each box provides 5 days' worth of activities that are screen-free. encourage outdoor activity, and minimize demands on parents or grandparents.

How Do I get a box? Please visit the 2020 VBS website at https://www.myvbs.org/CampBox2020/ to register a child or family for a Camp-In-A-Box. Boxes will be available in English, Spanish or both languages. Boxes available for curbside pick-up on July 18th!



PRAYER LIST

Barbara Stein Dale Durcholz

Dennis Van Deventer Roger Jones

Sugie Maxfield Kathie Heffler Rev. Sungho Daniel Son **Grethel Creech** Betty Runkel Jeanne Sawyer

Mary Marxer

Homebound/Rehab: Margaret Jones, Wanda

Mosher, Freddie Simmons

Our thanks to musicians in worship!

Caroline Busselberg, vocals Natasha Wroblewski, vocals Mary Marxer, vocals Jessica Stottlemyer, vocals Patti Sloey, vocals Shanae Kemp, vocals Kyle Feather, vocals Dillon Hanson, vocals Malcolm Payne, vocals Jeremy Rohwer, vocals Rich Lewis, vocals Brian Hotchkiss, vocals David Pierce, Director of Music Sydney Barber, accompanist

The FUPC Staff is here for you!

Pastor Ken, Brenda Swindle, and David Pierce are in their "Work from Home" offices and ready to assist. Ken and Brenda are checking the mail box daily to receive your notes or checks. They are also receiving your emails and calls with any questions or concerns.

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Great Is Thy Faithfulness - cont.





Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

This text incorporates many of the images associated with the water of baptism in the Thanksgiving Over the Water in *The Book of Common Worship*, especially nourishment, the calling forth of life, cleansing and renewal, freedom from bondage, and sharing in Christ's resurrection.



In honestly admitting the limits of human ability, this prayerful hymn does not seek a sense of God's presence for self-comfort but for strength and companionship in pursuing the tasks that God sets before us. The author specifically chose this tune to accompany his words.