

ORDER OF WORSHIP
SUNDAY AUGUST 20th, 2017 at 10:30 A.M.

“WE APPROACH GOD...”

Entry of the Bible

Call to Worship - Psalms 40:1-8 (CEV)

One: I patiently waited, LORD, for you to hear my prayer.

All: You listened pulled me from a lonely pit full of mud and mire. You let me stand on a rock with my feet firm,

One: and you gave me a new song, a song of praise to you. Many will see this, and they will honor and trust you, the LORD God.

All: You bless all of those who trust you, LORD, and refuse to worship idols or follow false gods.

One: You, LORD God, have done many wonderful things, and you have planned marvelous things for us. No one is like you! I would never be able to tell all you have done.

All: Sacrifices and offerings are not what please you; gifts and payment for sin are not what you demand. But you made me willing to listen and obey.

One: And so, I said, "I am here to do what is written about me in the book, where it says,

All: 'I enjoy pleasing you. Your Law is in my heart.' "

***HYMN #269 “REVIVE THY WORK, O LORD”**

Welcome & Announcements

***HYMN #527 “SAVIOUR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US”**

Opening Prayer

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

***HYMN #519 “NEARER, MY GOD TO THEE”**

...TO LISTEN TO AND REFLECT ON HIS WORD...

Responsive Reading: Book of Praise #629 (Psalm 32)

Scripture Readings: Joshua 24: 14 -18 (168/268)

James 4: 13 - 17 (856/1361)

Response: “Lord, Thy word abideth,
And our footsteps guideth
Who its truth believeth.
Light and joy receiveth.” Amen

Preaching of the Word:

“WHAT’S NEXT?”

Prayers of Thanks and For Others

...AND TO RESPOND IN FAITH AND SERVICE...

Worship with Tithes and Offerings: “Polanaise” By Brahms

*Doxology (sung together)

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

***HYMN #522 “HE LEADETH ME: O BLESSED THOUGHT”**

*Benediction and Threefold Amen

***ALL WHO ARE ABLE, PLEASE STAND**

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If you are joining us in worship for the first time or returning to visit family and friends, we warmly welcome you as our guest. It is our goal and prayer that you would be blessed and encouraged to start a new week renewed in spirit. Thank you for joining us in worship this morning.

There is holy anticipation as we gather to celebrate the love of God through our worship. Let us prepare our hearts prayerfully this morning as we eagerly seek for the ministry of the Spirit of God to be a blessing in our worship.

- Our Sanctuary has a **Hearing Loop**, use the T switch on your hearing aid;
- Our facility is a **Fragrance Free** building. The front door has an **automatic door opener** for wheelchair access;
- The sermon is available to listen to on the church website.
- We offer a sponsored **Taxi service** for those who need a ride to Worship, and other Congregational events. The details are available at the Message Centre or speak to **Catherine Held**.

This morning your greeters are **Sadie Dagg & Fran Dunbar**, the Announcements will be reviewed by **Bill Macmillan**, the Scripture lessons will be read by **Catherine Held**.

Following worship, everyone is invited to stay for lemonade, iced tea and fellowship. Today's Hosts are **Catherine Khan & Margaret Robinson**.

PRAYER LIST

- Ethel & Jim Crawford:** Jim is at home recovering.
- Lynda & John LeGros:** John and Lynda would like to thank everyone for their cards and prayers during this time of recovery for John.
- Marion & Alex Mathie:** Alex continues to recover at home.

PRESBYTERIAN PRAYER PARTNERSHIP: We pray for congregations and ministries that are seeking fresh ways to be the church in their communities. Help them to discern your will and dedicate their service to your kingdom.

SERVING OPPORTUNITY: We are in need of more volunteers to sign up to be coffee hour hosts. All of September needs to be filled. Please consider signing up to help on the sheet in Mahood Hall.

TODAY DEVOTIONAL: The "Today" Daily Devotional (Sept/Oct) is available at the Message Centre. Pick up your copy today.



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