

✘ ORDER OF WORSHIP ✘
REFORMATION
Sunday, October 29, 2017 – 11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please stand as you are able.)

OPENING SONG

A Mighty Fortress

Verse 1

A mighty fortress is our God,
A bulwark never failing;
Our helper He amid
The flood of mortal ills prevailing.
For still our ancient foe doth seek
To work us woe,
His craft and pow'r are great,
And, armed with cruel hate,
On earth is not his equal.

Verse 2

Did we in our own strength confide,
Our striving would be losing,
Were not the right man on our side,
The man of God's own choosing.
Dost ask who that may be?
Christ Jesus it is He;
Lord Sabaoth His name,
From age to age the same,
And He must win the battle.

Verse 3

And tho' this world, with devils filled,
Should threaten to undo us.
We will not fear, for God hath willed
His truth to triumph through us.
The prince of darkness grim
We tremble not for him.
His rage we can endure,
For, lo, his doom is sure;
One little Word shall fell him.

Refrain

**A mighty fortress,
A mighty fortress is our God!
A mighty fortress,
A mighty fortress is our God!**

Verse 4

That word above all earthly pow'rs
No thanks to them, abideth;
The Spirit and the gifts are ours
Through Him who with us sideth.
Let good and kindred go,
This mortal life also;
The body they may kill;
God's truth abideth still;
His kingdom is forever!

(Repeat Refrain)

INVOCATION

(Please stand as you are able.)

CONFESSION OF SINS AND WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

Pastor: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

People: **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

People: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the ✠ life of the world to come. Amen.

OUR GIFTS AND TITHES FOR GOD / REGISTRATION

OFFERTORY SONG.....In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found; He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground, Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace, When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all - Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh, Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness, Scorned by the ones He came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died, The wrath of God was satisfied;
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid - Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious day, Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory, Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine - Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death - This is the pow'r of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home - Here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

OUR PRAYERS & OUR 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

✠ **OUR LORD'S SUPPER** ✠

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING OF THE PEACE

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
People: **And also with you.**

AGNUS DEI – Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

grant us peace, grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION SONGS.....Jesus Messiah

Verse 1

He became sin, who knew no sin;
That we might become His righteousness;
He humbled Himself, and carried the cross.
Love so amazing, love so amazing.

(Repeat Chorus)

Bridge

**All our hope is in You, all our hope is in You;
All the glory to You, God,
The Light of the world.**

Chorus

**Jesus, Messiah, Name above all names;
Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel.
The Rescue for sinners,
the Ransom from heaven;
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.**

(Repeat Chorus)

Verse 2

His body the bread, His blood the wine
Broken and poured out, all for love.
The whole earth trembled, and the veil was torn.
Love so amazing, love so amazing.

10,000 Reasons

Chorus

**Bless the Lord, O my soul,
O my soul;
Worship His holy name.
Sing like never before,
O my soul;
I'll worship Your holy name.**

(Repeat Chorus)

Verse 3

And on that day when my strength is failing,
The end draws near and my time has come;
Still, my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years, and then forevermore!

Verse 1

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning,
It's time to sing Your song again.
Whatever may pass,
And whatever lies before me,
Let me be singing when the evening comes.

(Repeat Chorus)

Ending

**Worship Your holy name.
Lord, I'll worship Your holy name.
Sing like never before,
O my soul;
I'll worship Your holy name,
Worship Your holy name,
Worship Your holy name.**

Verse 2

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger.
Your name is great and Your heart is kind.
For all Your goodness, I will keep on singing;
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

(Please stand as you are able.)

DISMISSAL FROM COMMUNION

KIDS CHURCH DISMISSAL

✠ GOD'S WORD ✠

NEW TESTAMENT READING.....Ephesians 2:8-10

(Please stand as you are able.)

GOSPEL READING.....John 3:16-19

SERMON.....Graced for Good Works

Pastor Randy Rozelle

(Please stand as you are able.)

THE BLESSING

CLOSING SONGYour Grace Is Enough

Verse 1

Great is Your faithfulness, O God,
You wrestle with the sinner's heart.
You lead us by still waters into mercy,
And nothing can keep us apart.

So remember Your people,
Remember your children,
Remember Your promise, O God

Chorus

**Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough for me.**

Verse 2

Great is Your love and justice, God,
You use the weak to lead the strong.
You lead us in the song of Your salvation,
And all Your people sing along.

So remember Your people,
Remember Your children,
Remember Your promise, O God.

(Repeat Chorus 2X)

So remember Your people,
Remember Your children,
Remember Your promise, O God

**Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough for me.
Yeah, Your grace is enough,
Heaven reaching down to us,
Your grace is enough for me.
God, I see
Your grace is enough,
And I'm covered in Your love,
Your grace is enough for me, for me.**

POSTLUDE

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