November 1, 2020 Order of Worship

Prelude Song for All Saints
Mary McDonald

Suk Choi

Welcome Pastor Jim

Call to Worship Pastor Jim

Leader: Hear what the Lord requires of members in the family of God:

People: To do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with your God.

Leader: Hear what Jesus taught about participation in the kingdom of God:

People: Love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind and all

your strength; and love your neighbor as yourself.

Leader: Let us be true to our calling to follow Christ.

People: Let us begin in worship today!

Opening Prayer Pastor Jim

O God of all creation, God of community, how good it is when brothers and sisters live together in unity! Knit us together as your people gathered in this place. As we come together in worship, may the words we say bear witness to your good news for all people. Enliven our worship with an abundance of your Spirit. Amen.

10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord) Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman Michael Smith

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

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

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

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 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

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

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

I'll Worship Your holy name Lord I'll worship Your holy name

Indescribable Jesse Reeves and Laura Story

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea Creation's revealing Your majesty

From the colors of Fall
to the fragrance of Spring
Ev'ry creature unique
in the song that it sings
All exclaiming

Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God

All powerful untamable
Awestruck we fall to our knees
As we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God

Who has told ev'ry lightning bolt where it should go Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light

Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night

None can fathom

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All powerful untamable
You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God

Prayer of Confession

Pastor Anette

Gracious and loving Spirit, who moves freely and gracefully through this world, transforming and mending the broken pieces, we confess that we stumble through life, trying to survive on our own power. We feel paralyzed—numbed by fear, by old habits, by the effort we expend in trying to impress others. We try to earn your grace through our own awkward endeavors, forgetting that all that we are comes from you. In your mercy forgive us. Fill us with your liberating Spirit, that our souls might run, leap, and praise you, so that all the world would know your grace and truth. Set us free as we confess our sinfulness before you now.

Silent Prayer

Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Pastor Anette

God is forgiving. Even though our actions create great pain, and strain our relationship, God is bigger and more compassionate than we can ever comprehend. God not only forgives but also restores. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Response of Thanksgiving

Gloria Patri Jaime and Lani Colley

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.

Amen.

Passing of the Joy & Peace of Christ

Pastor Anette

When I gaze into the night skies and see the work of Your fingers;

The moon and stars suspended in space.

Oh what is man that You are mindful of him?

You have given man a crown of glory and honor,
And have made him a little lower than the angels.
You have put him in charge of all creation;
The bests of the field, the birds do the air, the fish of the sea.
But what is man, oh, what is man that You are mindful of him?

O Lord, our God, the majesty and glory of Your name.
Transcends the earth and fills the heavens.
O Lord, our God, little children praise You perfectly,
And so would we, and so would we.

Alleluia! Alleluia! The majesty and glory of Your name. Alleluia! Alleluia! The majesty and glory of Your name.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Time For Young Disciples

C.M. Hourigan

Prayer Song

God is always near me, God will always hear me, When I pray.

First Lesson Matthew 22: 34-40 Pastor Anette

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. ³⁶ "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" ³⁷ He said to him, "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' ³⁸ This is the greatest and first commandment. ³⁹ And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' ⁴⁰ On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Be still, my soul! the Lord is on your side:
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain;
Leave to your God to order and provide;
In every change he faithful will remain.
Be still, my soul! Your best, your heavenly Friend
Thro' thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soul! Your God will undertake
To guide the future as he has the past;
Your hope, your confidence let nothing shake;
All now mysterious shall be bright at last.
Be still, my soul! The waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while he dwelt below.

Second Lesson Micah 6: 6-8 Pastor Jim

6 "With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old?
 7 Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?"
 8 He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Blessing of Tithes and Offerings

Pastor Jim

Offertory

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Beethoven
Israel Chambi, Annie Boscardin, and Kathie Fink

LNPC Handbell Ensemble

Kathie Fink, Bell Choir Director

Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord's Prayer

Pastor Anette

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 of Response

Come, All Christians Be Committed
Eva B. Lloyd
Jaime and Lani Colley

Come, all Christians, be committed to the service of the Lord;
Make your lives for him more fitted,
tune your hearts with one accord.
Come into his courts with gladness, all your sacred vows renew,
Turn away from sin and sadness, be transformed with life anew.

Come in praise and adoration, all who in Christ's name believe; Worship him with consecration, grace and love will you receive. For his grace give him the glory, for the Spirit and the Word, And repeat the gospel story until all his name have heard.

Choral Response

Prayer For The RoadJaime and Lani Colley

May we be blessed as we go on our way.

May we be kept in safety and love.

May grace and compassion find their way to every soul,

May this be our blessing, Amen.

Amen, Amen.

Amen, Amen.

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May this be our blessing, Amen.

May this be our blessing, Amen.

Postlude

Prelude to the Te Deum
M. Charpentier
Suk Choi