

ORDER OF WORSHIP

February 10, 2019

Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymn of Praise | "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Invocation

The Lord's Prayer

"Gloria Patri"

Affirmation of Faith

Psalm 136:1-9, 26

Minister: Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever.

Minister: Give thanks to the God of gods,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever.

Minister: Give thanks to the Lord of lords,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

Minister: To him who alone does great wonders,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

Minister: To him who by understanding made the heavens,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

Minister: To him who spread out the earth above the waters,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

Minister: To him who made the great lights,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

Minister: The sun to rule over the day,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

Minister: The moon and stars to rule over the night,

People: For his steadfast love endures forever;

All: Give thanks to the God of heaven, for his steadfast love endures forever.

"King of Love"

Call to Confession

1 John 1:6, 8-10

Minister: If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

Public Confession

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

All: **Our God in heaven, if you should mark iniquities, who could stand? We know that if we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. Not one of us does good, no, not one. We have stiffened our necks against your will, hardened our hearts to your Word, refused to hear your voice, pulled away from your loving embrace, despised correction, and forgotten you in our thoughts. Yes, we have sinned against you. Father, we repent. We come to Christ, who has promised rest for our souls. We take his yoke upon us. We desire to learn from him. Grant that we may bring forth the fruits of repentance from sincere hearts, which are precious in your sight. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

Romans 8:1

Minister: There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Hear and receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God!

"Jesus, I Come"

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

Musical Offering | CEPC Band | "All Must Be Well"

The Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Sermon

"God Is My Portion"

Psalm 73

Rev. Nolan Williamson

Closing Song | "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Benediction

Postlude