

November 30, 2025 5:00p Prelude

**Call to Worship** Isaiah 55:1, 6, 10-11

**Leader**: "Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price."

People: "Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near."

**Leader:** "For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater."

People: "So shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it."

Hymnal #455 "And Can It Be That I Should Gain"

And can it be that I should gain an int'rest in the Savior's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain?
For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

### Refrain:

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'Tis myst'ry all! Th'Immortal dies: who can explore his strange design? In vain the firstborn seraph tries to sound the depths of love divine. 'Tis mercy all! Let earth adore, let angel minds inquire no more. [Refrain]

He left his Father's throne above (so free, so infinite his grace!), humbled himself (so great his love!) and bled for all his chosen race! 'Tis mercy all, immense and free, for, O my God, it found out me. [Refrain]

Long my imprisoned spirit lay fast bound in sin and nature's night; thine eye diffused a quick'ning ray; I woke, the dungeon flamed with light; my chains fell off, my heart was free; I rose, went forth, and followed thee. [Refrain]

No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head,
and clothed in righteousness divine,
bold I approach th'eternal throne,
and claim the crown, through Christ, my own.
[Refrain]

# **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**

Hymnal #89 "God Is Our Strength and Refuge"

God is our strength and refuge, our present help in trouble; and we therefore will not fear, though the earth should change! Though mountains shake and tremble, though swirling floods are raging, God the Lord of Hosts is with us evermore!

There is a flowing river, within God's holy city;
God is in the midst of her she shall not be moved!
God's help is swiftly given,
thrones vanish at his presence God the Lord of Hosts is with us evermore!

Come, see the works of our Maker, learn of his deeds all pow'rful; wars will cease across the world when he shatters the spear! Be still and know your Creator, uplift him in the nations -God the Lord of Hosts is with us evermore!

# Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 13-14

**Q. 13.** Did our first parents continue in the estate wherein they were created?

A. Our first parents, being left to the freedom of their own will, fell from the estate wherein they were created, by sinning against God.

**Q. 14.** What is sin?

A. Sin is any want of conformity unto, or transgression of, the law of God.

Prayer of the Church Elder Mike Ewing

Hymnal #648 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine; for thee all the follies of sin I resign.
My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art thou; If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love thee because thou hast first loved me, and purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree. I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love thee in life, I will love thee in death; and praise thee as long as thou lendest me breath;

and say, when the death-dew lies cold on my brow:

if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow: if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

#### God's Word Read Luke 7:36-50

**God's Word Preached** "A Meal You'll Never Forget" by Pastoral Intern Morgan Loughlean

## Psalm 4:7-8 "Answer When I Call"

You have given my heart greater joy by far Than when grain and new wine most abundant are.

So in peace I lie down; I will rest and sleep, For, O Lord, You only will me safely keep.

### **Benediction**

## **Postlude**