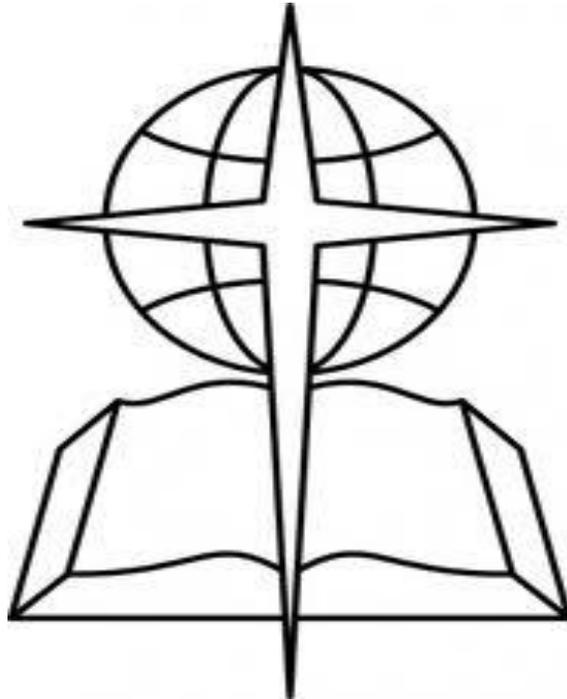


# *Soli Deo Gloria*

*To God Alone be the Glory*



**10:00 am Worship**  
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# Order of Worship

## Call to Worship & Prayer of Praise

*Psalm 138*

I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart;  
before the gods I sing your praise;  
I bow down toward your holy temple  
and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love  
and your faithfulness, for you have exalted above all  
things your name and your word.

**On the day I called, you answered me;  
my strength of soul you increased.**

All the kings of the earth shall give you thanks, O LORD,  
for they have heard the words of your mouth,  
and they shall sing of the ways of the LORD,  
for great is the glory of the LORD.

**For though the LORD is high, he regards the lowly,  
but the haughty he knows from afar.**

Though I walk in the midst of trouble,  
you preserve my life;  
you stretch out your hand against the wrath of my enemies,  
and your right hand delivers me.

**The LORD will fulfill his purpose for me;  
your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever.  
Do not forsake the work of your hands.**

## Hymns of Praise

**COME THOU FOUNT** (*Hymn #98*)

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace.  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet, Sung by flaming tongues above;  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it. Mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer; Hither by Thy help I'm come.  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, Safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger; Wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger, Interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let Thy grace, Lord, like a fetter, Bind my wandering heart to Thee;  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, Prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it; Seal it for Thy courts above.

## **BE THOU MY VISION** (*Hymn #83*)

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be alleles to me, save that Thou art  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night, Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true Word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;  
Thou my great Father, and I Thy true son, Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou my inheritance, now and always;  
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won, May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

## **Scripture Reading**

### **1 PETER 5:6-10**

<sup>6</sup> Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, <sup>7</sup> casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. <sup>8</sup> Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. <sup>9</sup> Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. <sup>10</sup> And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. <sup>11</sup> To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

## **Prayer of Confession**

## **Hymn of Response**

### **WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS** (*Hymn #235*)

When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of glory died,  
My richest gain I count but loss, And pour contempt on all my pride.

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, Save in the death of Christ my God!  
All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.

See from His head, His hands, His feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down!  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were a present far too small;  
Love so amazing, so divine, Demands my soul, my life, my all

## **Scripture Readings**

### **EPHESIANS 6:10-20**

<sup>10</sup> Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. <sup>11</sup> Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. <sup>12</sup> For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of

evil in the heavenly places. <sup>13</sup> Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm. <sup>14</sup> Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, <sup>15</sup> and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. <sup>16</sup> In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; <sup>17</sup> and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, <sup>18</sup> praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, <sup>19</sup> and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel, <sup>20</sup> for which I am an ambassador in chains, that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak.

### **JAMES 3:13 – 4:17**

<sup>13</sup> Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. <sup>14</sup> But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. <sup>15</sup> This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. <sup>16</sup> For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. <sup>17</sup> But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. <sup>18</sup> And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

**4** What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? <sup>2</sup> You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. <sup>3</sup> You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. <sup>4</sup> You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. <sup>5</sup> Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, “He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us”? <sup>6</sup> But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.” <sup>7</sup> Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. <sup>8</sup> Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. <sup>9</sup> Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. <sup>10</sup> Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

<sup>11</sup> Do not speak evil against one another, brothers. The one who speaks against a brother or judges his brother, speaks evil against the law and judges the law. But if you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law but a judge. <sup>12</sup> There is only one lawgiver and judge, he who is able to save and to destroy. But who are you to judge your neighbor?

<sup>13</sup> Come now, you who say, “Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit”— <sup>14</sup> yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. <sup>15</sup> Instead you ought to say, “If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that.” <sup>16</sup> As it is, you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil. <sup>17</sup> So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

**Sermon**

*“Standing Against the Devil’s Schemes” (Ephesians 6:10-11)*

**I. WHO IS THE DEVIL?**

**A. The Fall of the Devil (Ez. 28:11-19; Gen. 3:1-15)**

- From B\_\_\_\_\_ C\_\_\_\_\_
- To C\_\_\_\_\_ S\_\_\_\_\_

**B. The Sins of the Devil (Isaiah 14:12-14; John 8:44)**

- A H\_\_\_\_\_ full of P\_\_\_\_\_
- A M\_\_\_\_\_ full of L\_\_\_\_\_

**II. WHAT ARE THE DEVIL’S SCHEMES?**

**A. The Goals of the Devil (Matt. 4:1-11; Rev. 12)**

- To T\_\_\_\_\_ God’s T\_\_\_\_\_
- To D\_\_\_\_\_ God’s P\_\_\_\_\_

**B. The Temptations of the Devil (James 3 – 4)**

- To P\_\_\_\_\_ and S\_\_\_\_\_ -R\_\_\_\_\_
- To E\_\_\_\_\_ and R\_\_\_\_\_

**III. HOW DO WE STAND AGAINST THE DEVIL’S SCHEMES?**

**A. By Humbling Ourselves before the Lord (James 4)**

- No longer J\_\_\_\_\_ our N\_\_\_\_\_
- But now W\_\_\_\_\_ over our own S\_\_\_\_\_
- And R\_\_\_\_\_ the G\_\_\_\_\_ of Christ

**B. By Drawing Near to God (1 Peter 5:6-10)**

- C\_\_\_\_\_ our A\_\_\_\_\_ on him
- R\_\_\_\_\_ that we are not A\_\_\_\_\_

## Hymn of Response

### **HE WILL HOLD ME FAST** (*Matt Merker*)

1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast  
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.  
I could never keep my hold...Through life's fearful path  
For my love is often cold. He must hold me fast

#### CHORUS:

He will hold me fast. He will hold me fast  
For my Savior loves me so. He will hold me fast

2. Those He saves are His delight; Christ will hold me fast  
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast  
He'll not let my soul be lost. His promises shall last  
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast
3. For my life He bled and died; Christ will hold me fast  
Justice has been satisfied. He will hold me fast  
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast  
Till our faith is turned to sight, When he comes at last

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## Prayers of the Church

### Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

### Closing Hymn

#### **IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL** (*HYMN #447*)

1. When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, When sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, Thou has taught me to say, It is well, it is well, with my soul.  
*It is well, with my soul...It is well, with my soul, It is well, it is well, with my soul.*
2. Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control,  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.
3. My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought! My sin, not in part but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more,  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
4. And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, Even so, it is well with my soul.

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## Benediction