

Prayer of Preparation

O Almighty God, who alone
canst order the unruly wills and
affections of sinful men:

Grant unto thy people that they may
love the thing which thou commandest,
and desire that which thou dost promise;
that so, among the sundry and
manifold changes of the world,
our hearts may surely there
be fixed where true joys
are to be found; through Jesus
Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth
with thee and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.

Amen.

~ Book of Common Prayer

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Welcome!

We are grateful that you joined us today and
would love to keep in touch. After worship,
please join us downstairs for refreshments
provided by Arbor Dale's Patience Group.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Refreshments for next Sunday: Kindness Group.
Contact Teresa Taylor, 828-504-0234

Feeding Avery Families Thanks You for your
generosity! We are still collecting food and
especially personal care items whenever you can
bring them! Please see Patty for more info.

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* Congregation Stands



GREETING

Leader: *The Lord be with You.*

All: And also with you.

PRELUDE

Water / Wind / Fire

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: *When my heart was grieved and my spirit
embittered, I was senseless and ignorant;
I was a brute beast before you.*

**All: Yet I am always with you;
you hold me by my right hand.**

Leader: *You guide me with your counsel, and
afterward you will take me into glory.*

**All: Whom have I in heaven but you?
And earth has nothing I desire besides you.
My flesh and my heart may fail,
but God is the strength of my heart
and my portion forever.**

* **HYMN OF PRAISE** Psalm 116 ~ Love You Lord

(2x) I love You, Lord For You have delivered me
I love You, Lord
For You have delivered
My soul from death
My feet from stumbling
I will walk in the land of the living
My soul from death
My feet from stumbling
I will walk in the land of the living

I will bless You, Lord for You heard my cry
I reached out my hand and You saved my life
I will bless You, Lord for You heard my plea
And the God of Heaven turned His ear to me
I will bless You, Lord for unending love
For Your grace and mercy raining down from above
And I will bless You, Lord to the very end
I will call on You as long as I may live.

CALL TO CONFESSION

The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit; a
broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Almighty God, you despise nothing you have made, and
you forgive our sins in your Son. By your Spirit create in
us new and contrite hearts, that, truly
repenting and acknowledging our brokenness, we may
obtain from you, the God of all mercy, mercy and free-
dom. We ask for grace on top of grace in the name of
our redeemer who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

* **ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Psalm 130:7-8

Put your hope in the Lord, for with the Lord
is unfailing love and with him is full redemption.
He himself will redeem Israel from all their sins.

* **PASSING THE PEACE**

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** #488 Just as I Am

SCRIPTURE AND SERMON Luke 12:49-53;
Jesus the Prophet

* **COMMUNION HYMN** #602 I Have Decided
to Follow Jesus

* **CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: Therefore we join our voices with all the
saints and angels and the whole creation
to proclaim the glory of your name.

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and
might, heaven and earth are full of your
glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes In the name
of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

* **HYMN OF SENDING** Romans 11 Doxology

Oh, the depth of the riches
Of the wisdom and knowledge of God
How unsearchable His judgment
How untraceable His paths

**Refrain: Who knows the mind of our God?
Who can bring council to Him?
Who has given to God
That God should repay?
For, from Him, through Him
To Him is everything**

To God be the glory forever and ever
To God be the glory forever, amen

Oh, the depth of the riches
Of the wisdom and knowledge of God
How unsearchable His judgment
How untraceable His paths

Refrain

To God be the glory forever and ever
To God be the glory forever, amen
To God be the glory forever and ever
To God be the glory forever, amen

From Him, through Him
To Him is everything
From Him, through Him
To Him is everything

To God be the glory forever and ever
To God be the glory forever, amen
To God be the glory forever and ever
To God be the glory forever, amen

Hallelujah, to God be the glory forever and ever
Forever and ever
Forever and ever, amen

* **BENEDICTION**