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is to be a city-center church
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to make disciples in our homes, city, and the world.*

Worship Service | JANUARY 17, 2021

PREPARING HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" arr. Molly Ijames

THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 98.4, 7-9

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;

People: break forth into joyous song and sing praises!

Leader: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;

People: the world and those who dwell in it!

Leader: Let the rivers clap their hands;

People: let the hills sing for joy together before the LORD,

Leader: for He comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world with righteousness,

People: and the peoples with equity.

HYMNS OF PRAISE

*"All Creatures of Our God and King"
"10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"*

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S PEOPLE

THE WORD FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

SERMON

"Jesus Sends Out the Twelve"

Luke 9:1-6

Travis Hutchinson

TASTING GOD'S GRACE

CONFESSION OF SIN AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

We praise You, O God of light,

that in You there is no darkness at all.

We are Your children;

help us to walk as children of the light.

Illumine our lives with Your Word of truth,

that we might know ourselves and see our great need for You.

Father, we confess before You and in the presence of one another

those things which You alone can see,

the part of us which nurtures sinful desire,

the pride that shields us from being really honest with You

and with one another.

We are afraid to be seen as we really are,

and yet, O God, You know us through and through.

Impress upon me that since I have been crucified with Christ,

that I am dead to my sin.

Lord, I cry out to You in my need.

Be pleased to help me, O God,

through Jesus, my Savior and Light,

who rescues me from the darkness.

THANKSGIVING

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give You thanks, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

WORDS OF PRAISE

Pastor: Christ, our Passover, was sacrificed for us. Alleluia.

People: Alleluia.

Pastor: These are the gifts of God for the people of God. Take these in remembrance that Jesus Christ died for you. Feed on them in your heart by faith, and drink remembering that Christ's blood was shed for you.

HYMNS OF RESPONSE

"And Can It Be"
"The Lord Bless You and Keep You"

THE SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

BENEDICTION

Leader: May the grace, peace, mercy and love of God be with all of you in Christ Jesus. In the name of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. Amen. Go in peace.

All: Thanks be to God! Amen!

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

Tune: Numbers 6:24-26
Tune: Peter Christian Lotkin, 1850-1931

The Lord bless you and keep you; The Lord lift His countenance up -
on you, and give you peace, and give you peace;
and give you peace, and give you peace;
The Lord make His face to shine up - on you,
And be gracious un - to you, be gra - cious,
and be gra - cious, and be gra - cious,
The Lord be gra - cious, gra - cious un - to
you.
you. A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men,
you. A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men,
and A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men,
men, A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men.
A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men.
men, A - men, A - men, A - men.

The flowers today are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Dave and Bashie Evans.

Flowers from today's display will be arranged by the flower committee and delivered by volunteers to our homebound and hospitalized on Monday, January 18th.

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