

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Confession

Patient and ever-faithful God, we come to you this evening confessing that we can be a grumpy and unsatisfied people. When things are not perfect in our eyes, we murmur and complain, and grumble and doubt. We lose hope in the people around us and, even worse, we lose hope in you. We challenge instead of accept. We put you to the test rather than trust your caring love. Forgive our doubts and complaining. Forgive our loss of hope. Let your healing, life-giving waters pour over us. Restore our souls. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Our hope and assurance rest in God's unfailing love and forgiveness. Open your hearts and minds and souls that the healing waters of God's never-ending love and forgiveness may flow into and over you. Know that in this love and forgiveness you have encountered the living God. Amen.

Opening Song

"O Come To The Altar"

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¹ Are you hurting and broken within overwhelmed by the weight of your sin
Jesus is calling have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well Jesus is calling

Chorus

O come to the altar the Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with the precious blood of Jesus Christ

² Leave behind your regrets and mistakes come today there's no reason to wait
Jesus is calling bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born Jesus is calling

Bridge

Oh what a Savior Isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen bow down before him
For he is Lord of all sing alleluia Christ is risen

³ Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

Reading

Psalm 40

¹I waited patiently for the LORD; he inclined to me and heard my cry. ²He drew me up from the desolate pit, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure. ³He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the LORD. ⁴Happy are those who make the LORD their trust, who do not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after false gods. ⁵You have multiplied, O LORD my God, your wondrous deeds and your thoughts toward us; none

can compare with you. Were I to proclaim and tell of them, they would be more than can be counted.
⁶Sacrifice and offering you do not desire, but you have given me an open ear. Burnt offering and sin offering you have not required. ⁷Then I said, "Here I am; in the scroll of the book it is written of me. ⁸I delight to do your will, O my God; your law is within my heart." ⁹I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation; see, I have not restrained my lips, as you know, O LORD. ¹⁰I have not hidden your saving help within my heart, I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation; I have not concealed your steadfast love and your faithfulness from the great congregation. ¹¹Do not, O LORD, withhold your mercy from me; let your steadfast love and your faithfulness keep me safe forever. ¹²For evils have encompassed me without number; my iniquities have overtaken me, until I cannot see; they are more than the hairs of my head, and my heart fails me. ¹³Be pleased, O LORD, to deliver me; O LORD, make haste to help me. ¹⁴Let all those be put to shame and confusion who seek to snatch away my life; let those be turned back and brought to dishonor who desire my hurt. ¹⁵Let those be appalled because of their shame who say to me, "Aha, Aha!" ¹⁶But may all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you; may those who love your salvation say continually, "Great is the LORD!" ¹⁷As for me, I am poor and needy, but the LORD takes thought for me. You are my help and my deliverer; do not delay, O my God.

Message

Pastor Karna Moskalik

Offering

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Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Closing Song

"Forever"

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¹ Give thanks to the Lord our God and King His love endures forever
For He is good He is above all things His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

² With a mighty hand and an outstretched arm His love endures forever
For the life that's been reborn His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Pre-Chorus

Sing praise sing praise

Chorus

Forever God is faithful forever God is strong
Forever God is with us forever forever

³ From the rising to the setting sun His love endures forever
And by the grace of God we will carry on His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Blessing

May the Lord, mighty Lord bless and keep you forever.
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.
Lift your eyes to see God's face and God's grace forever.
May the Lord, mighty Lord, bless and keep you forever.