

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: How dear to me is your dwelling, O LORD of hosts!
My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD;
My heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

All: The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts, my Sovereign and my God.

PRAYERS OF ADORATION

SONGS OF PRAISE

I Love You Lord

*I love you Lord
And I left my voice to worship You
O my soul rejoice
Take joy my King in what You hear
May it be a sweet sweet sound in Your ear.*

Agnus Dei

*Alleluia, Alleluia; For our Lord God Almighty reigns
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Alleluia*

*Holy, Holy; You Are Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, Worthy is the Lamb*

*You are Holy
Holy are You Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb; Worthy is the Lamb
Amen*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Psalm 51: 1-7

Leader: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
All: **Wash me through and through from my wickedness and cleanse me from my sin.**
Leader: For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

All: **Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight.**

Leader: And so you are justified when you speak and upright in your judgment.

All: **Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, a sinner from my mother's womb.**

Leader: For behold, you look for truth deep within me, and will make me understand wisdom secretly.

All: **Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.**

SILENT TIME OF CONFESSION

II CORINTHIANS 5:17-21

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

THANKSGIVING

PSALM 107:1-8

Leader: Give thanks to the LORD who is good, whose mercy endures forever.

All: **Let all those whom the LORD has redeemed proclaim that the LORD redeemed them from the hand of the foe.**

Leader: God gathered them out of the lands; from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

All: **Some wandered in desert wastes; they found no way to a city where they might dwell.**

Leader: They were hungry and thirsty; their spirits languished within them.

All: **Then in their trouble they cried to the LORD, who delivered them from their distress.**

Leader: The LORD put their feet on a straight path to go to a city where they might dwell.

All: **Let them give thanks for the mercy of God, for the Wonders the LORD does for all people.**

PRAYERS OF SUPPLICATION

PSALM 86: 1-10

- Leader: Bow down your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and in misery.
- All: Keep watch over my life, for I am faithful; save your servant, for I put my trust in you.**
- Leader: Be merciful to me, O LORD, for you are my God; I call upon you all the day long.
- All: Gladden the soul of your servant, for to you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.**
- Leader: For you, O LORD, are good and forgiving, and great is your love toward all who call upon you.
- All: Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer, and attend to the voice of my supplications.**
- Leader: In the time of my trouble I will call upon you, for you will answer me.
- All: Among the gods there is none like you, O LORD, nor anything like your works.**
- Leader: All nations you have made will come and worship you, O LORD, and glorify your name.
- All: For you are great; you do wondrous things; and you alone are God.**

CLOSING SONG

This is My Prayer

*This is my prayer to You ... This is my prayer to You
This is my prayer to You
to seek Your face and worship You forever
That I may know You in that secret place
and dwell with You forever*

Refrain

*Oh that You would Bless me and enlarge my territory
And that Your hand would be with me
Oh that You would Bless me and enlarge my territory
And that Your hand would be with me
And that You would keep me from evil
That I may not cause pain*

*I long to see you in the splendor of your holiness and beauty
Just to praise You
and to sing a song of angels
You are holy*

A Service of Prayer



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