

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

“For mercies, countless as the sands / Which daily I receive
From Jesus, my Redeemer’s hands, / My soul, what canst thou give?
The best return for one like me, / So wretched and so poor;
Is from His gifts to draw a plea, / And ask Him still for more.”
- John Newton

God Calls Us to Worship Him

Call to Worship: Psalm 77.11-15

Leader: I will remember the deeds of the Lord;
yes, I will remember your wonders of old.
People: I will ponder all your work,
and meditate on your mighty deeds.
Your way, O God, is holy.
What god is great like our God?
Leader: You are the God who works wonders;
People: You have made known your might among the peoples.
You with your arm redeemed your people
All: Let’s worship the Lord!

Greeting: 2 Thessalonians 3.18

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
People: And also with you!

Doxology: Trinity Hymnal #731

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn of Praise: I Greet Thee Who My Sure Redeemer Art
Trinity Hymnal #168

God Cleanses Us by His Grace

Conviction of the Law: Ephesians 2.12

Remember that you were at that time separated from Christ, alienated
from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers to the covenants of
promise, having no hope and without God in the world.

Confession of Sin

Comfort of the Gospel: Ephesians 2.13

But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of
Christ.

God Consecrates Us by Praise and Prayer

Hymn of Thanksgiving: O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus
Trinity Hymnal #535

Prayer of Intercession: The 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Hymn of Meditation: Christ The Sure and Steady Anchor

Christ the sure and steady anchor / In the fury of the storm
When the winds of doubt blow through me / And my sails have all been torn
In the suffering, in the sorrow / When my sinking hopes are few
I will hold fast to the anchor / It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor / While the tempest rages on
When temptation claims the battle / And it seems the night has won
Deeper still then goes the anchor / Though I justly stand accused
I will hold fast to the anchor / It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor / Through the floods of unbelief
Hopeless, somehow, o my soul / Now lift your eyes to Calvary
This my ballast of assurance / See His love forever proved
I will hold fast to the anchor / It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor / As we face the wave of death
When these trials give way to glory / And we draw our final breath
We will cross that great horizon / Clouds behind and life secured
And the calm will be the better / For the storms that we endured.

Christ the shore of our salvation / Ever faithful ever true
We will hold fast to the anchor / It shall never be removed

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Children dismissed to Little Church

God Counsels Us through His Word

Scripture Reading: Psalm 116

Sermon: The Real Auld Lang Syne

God Communes with Us in the Sacrament

Profession of Faith: Wesleyan Covenant Prayer

I am no longer my own, but Yours.
Put me to what You will, place me with whom You will.
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.
Let me be employed for You or laid aside for You,
Exalted for You or brought low for You.
Let me be full, let me be empty.
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.
I freely and heartily yield all things to Your pleasure and disposal.
And now, O glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
You are mine, and I am Yours. May it be so.
And may the covenant which I have just made here on earth
Be confirmed in heaven. Amen.

Hymn of Preparation: I Will Glory in My Redeemer (Vs. 1-2)

I will glory in my Redeemer / Whose priceless blood has ransomed me
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails / And hung him on that judgment tree
I will glory in my Redeemer / Who crushed the power of sin and death
My only Savior before the Holy Judge /The Lamb who is my righteousness
The Lamb who is my righteousness

I will glory in my Redeemer / My life He bought my love He owns
I have no longings for another / I’m satisfied in Him alone
I will glory in my Redeemer / His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me / My feet are firm held by His grace
My feet are firm held by His grace

Sursum Corda:

Leader: Lift up your hearts!
People: We lift them up to the Lord!
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

Prayer of Adoration and Assistance

Invitation to the Table: John 6:35

Fencing of the Table: 1 Corinthians 11.27-32

Words of Institution: 1 Corinthians 11.23-26

God Commissions Us to Serve Him

Hymn of Response: I Will Glory in My Redeemer (Vs. 3)

I will glory in my Redeemer / Who carries me on eagle’s wings
He crowns my life with lovingkindness / His triumph song I’ll ever sing
I will glory in my Redeemer / Who waits for me at gates of gold
And when He call me it will be paradise / His face forever to behold
His face forever to behold

Benediction: Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to
you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.