

# Sunday Morning Worship Celebration

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September 15, 2024 - Acts  
2:41-47 | "A Community of Love"

## Gathering

### Gloria Patri

### Welcome & Announcements

25th Anniversary Announcement by Harley Wood

Mission Update: Atlas Ministry by Ryan Gibadlo and Lisa Brondyke

### Praise

### Prelude

### Call to Worship | Psalm 100

[1] Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! [2] Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! [3] Know that the Lord, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. [4] Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! [5] For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

### The Invocation

*Hymn of Praise | Praise To The Lord The Almighty* [ Andrew Whitaker ]

### Confession & Assurance

### Need of Confession | Proverbs 4:23

[23] Keep your heart with all vigilance, for from it flow the springs of life.

### Personal Confession of Sin

### Corporate Confession of Sin

Unison: #11 from The Worship Sourcebook

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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### **Assurance of Pardon | Proverbs: 28:13**

[13] Whoever conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will obtain mercy.

### *Hymn of Praise | Thy Mercy* [ Default Arrangement ]

#### **Corporate Prayer & Giving**

#### **The Lord's Prayer (unison) / Pastoral 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 the 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.

#### **Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

#### **Offertory | "Then Sings My Soul"**

Arranged by Tom Fettke. Presented by the Men's Ensemble: Carlton Curtis, Harold Parker, Ken Adkins, Parke Kallenberg, Hunter Tomlin, Doug Attaway, Dick Forrester and Rich Driessnack.

#### **Doxology | T733**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise him above, ye heavenly host:

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

## Hearing of the Word

### Sermon Text | Acts 2:41-47

[41] So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

[42] And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. [43] And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. [44] And all who believed were together and had all things in common. [45] And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. [46] And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, [47] praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

### Sermon Title | "A Community of Love"

*Hymn of Response | Your Will Be Done* [ CityAight ]

### Sending

### Benediction

### Postlude

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