

Morning Order of Worship

Sioux Center United Reformed Church

Sunday, August 15, 2021

MY WITNESS IS IN HEAVEN

Scripture: Job 16:1-17:16

August 15, 2021 AM

Rev. Jon Bushnell

OPENING OF SERVICE

- * Call to Worship
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * God's Greeting
- * Psalm of Praise: 96: 1,2,4,6 *Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise*

SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION

Call to Confession

Hymn of Confession: 275 *Arise, My Soul, Arise*

Assurance of Pardon

SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

God's Will for Our Lives

Congregational Prayer

SERVICE OF THE WORD

- * Hymn of Preparation: 274: 1-3 *Jesus, My Great High Priest*
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture: Job 16:1-17:16
- Message: **MY WITNESS IS IN HEAVEN**
- Prayer of Application

CLOSING OF SERVICE

- * Hymn of Response: 276 *Jesus Paid It All*
- Offertory Prayer
- Hymn of Thanksgiving: 277 *Before the Throne of God Above*
- Offering: Christian Education Fund (offering received during song)
- * Benediction
- * Doxology: 563 *May the Grace of Christ Our Savior* (unannounced)

1. "God has worn me out"

2. "Argue the case for me"

3. "Lay down a pledge for me"

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. What are some similarities between Job's suffering and Christ's suffering?
2. What do we need to remember when we are suffering?
3. Who is the one who testifies for Job on high? Who comes to Job's defense in heaven?
4. What does this text teach you to believe?

**Please stand if you are able*

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WHY PRAY?

Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 45

Scripture: Psalm 116

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THE CHURCH GATHERS TOGETHER

- * Call to Worship
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * God's Greeting
- * Hymn of Praise: 520 *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

TO AFFIRM OUR FAITH

- * The Apostle's Creed (pg. 851)
- * Hymn of Response: 522: 1,4,6 *Before the Throne of Grace!*

TO PRAISE GOD

Psalm 113

Psalm of Praise: 113B *Praise God, O Servants of the Lord*

FOR SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Congregational Prayer

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

- * Psalm of Preparation: 116A: 1,3,6,8 *I Love the LORD, for He Has Heard My Voice*

Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 45

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Psalm 116

Message: **WHY PRAY?**

Prayer of Application

AND DEPARTS TO SERVE

- * Hymn of Response: 77: 1,5 *I Cried Aloud to God for Help*
- Offertory Prayer
- Psalm of Thanksgiving: 86B: 1,2,3,7 *Lord, My Petition Heed*
- Offering: General Fund (offering received during song)
- * Benediction
- * Doxology: 568 *Doxology* (unannounced)

**Please stand if you are able*

1. Remembering God's Goodness

2. Responding in Love

3. Responding in Praise

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. What do we learn about prayer from Psalm 116?
2. Why do we pray?
3. What has God done for you?
4. What is David's response to the Lord's deliverance?