

Morning Order of Worship

Sioux Center United Reformed Church
Sunday, August 13, 2023

OPENING OF SERVICE

- * Call to Worship
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * God's Greeting
- * Hymn of Praise: 494 *O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts*

SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION

Call to Confession
Hymn of Confession: 441 *Jesus Sinners Doth Receive*
Assurance of Pardon

SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

God's Will for Our Lives
Congregational Prayer

SERVICE OF THE WORD

- * Psalm of Preparation: 119L *Eternal Is Your Word, O LORD*
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture: Jonah 1:17-3:2
- Message: **AND THE LORD...**
- Prayer of Application

SERVICE OF COMMUNION

- * Hymn of Preparation: 353:1,3,5 *Lamb, Precious Lamb*
- Offering: General Fund (received during song)
- Formulary (pg 45)
- Communion

CLOSING OF SERVICE

- Thanksgiving and Offertory Prayer
- Psalm of Thanksgiving: 92A:1,2,4,5 *It's Good to Thank the LORD*
- Offering: Benevolence Fund (received during song)
- * Benediction
- * Doxology: 100B:1,4 *All People That on Earth Do Dwell*
(unannounced)

**Please stand if you are able*

AND THE LORD...

Scripture: Jonah 1:17-3:2
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1. God's Provision

2. God's Presence

3. God's Patience

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. What does this passage teach us about God and his relationship with us?
2. If you've never known God and have no sense of being in his presence, then do you know what it is like to be out of his presence?
3. What is communion with God? How is he present with us?
4. What does God's patience with Jonah, mean for God's relationship with you?

Evening Order of Worship

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THE CHURCH GATHERS TOGETHER

- * Call to Worship
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * God's Greeting
- * Psalm of Praise: 95C *Now with Joyful Exultation*

TO AFFIRM OUR FAITH

- * The Nicene Creed (pg 852)
- * Psalm of Response: 43B *Judge Me, God of My Salvation*

TO PRAISE GOD

Psalm 43

Psalm of Praise: 43A *Vindicate Me, O God*

FOR SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Congregational Prayer

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

- * Psalm of Preparation: 119D *My Soul Is Sinking Down to Dust*
Canons of Dort, Fifth Head of Doctrine, Articles 12-13, Rejection of Errors 6 (pg 914)

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Philippians 3:1-16

Message: **BECAUSE CHRIST JESUS HAS MADE ME HIS OWN**

Prayer of Application

AND DEPARTS TO SERVE

- * Psalm of Response: 46C *God IS Our Refuge and Our Strength*
Offertory Prayer
Hymn of Thanksgiving: 429 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*
Offering: Mission Fund (offering received during song)
- * Benediction
- * Doxology: 563 *May the Grace of Christ Our Savior* (unannounced)

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1. The Grip

2. The Striving

3. The Goal

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. How would you respond to someone who said, "if the preservation of the saints is true, then why not just go out and sin all you want? You're saved no matter what anyway."?
2. Does Paul's assurance make him a lazy Christian?
3. What does it mean that the certainty of persevering is the true root of humility, childlike reverence, etc.?
4. What are we pressing on to take hold of and why are we pressing on?