

WELCOME TO EMMANUEL CHAPEL

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome and Announcements

Song of Preparation* *Sanctus*

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God Calls Us into His Holy Presence

Psalm 119.1-6

Minister: Blessed are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the LORD!

Congregation: **Blessed are those who keep his testimonies, who seek him with their whole heart,**

Minister: Who also do no wrong, but walk in his ways!

Congregation: **You have commanded your precepts to be kept diligently.**

Minister: Oh that my ways may be steadfast in keeping your statutes!

Congregation: **Then I shall not be put to shame, having my eyes fixed on all your commandments.**

Hymn* *And Can It Be That I Should Gain*

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Prayer of Praise

Minister: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

Congregation: **Amen!**

Minister: The Peace of the Lord be with you.

Congregation: **And Also with you.**

Minister: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

Congregation: **Maker of heaven and earth!**

Minister: Let us read corporately our duty as those redeemed in Christ

Minister: "Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience,

Unison: **Bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Let the word of**

Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.”
(Colossians 3:12–17 ESV)

God Cleanses His People

Corporate Confession of Sin Psalms 130:2–3

“O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?”

(The congregation is invited to kneel as we pray)

Unison: Heavenly Father, I desire to find my soul’s rest in You. To bow my life before You this day is a great comfort. There are many storms in my life which I know You have permitted to blow upon me. As I look to You now in full expectation of Your covenant faithfulness and love, will You speak such comfort and peace to me in Christ? Forgive me my sins against Your Holy Law, for not loving You with my whole heart nor loving my neighbor as myself. Work righteousness in me that I might engage righteously in all the moments You grant unto me. And where I fail and sin, work true and deep repentance in my life. I trust You to do this for me as I hunger and thirst for righteousness through the precious presence of Your Holy Spirit within me. May Jesus speak His victorious and powerful word over my life this day for it is in His name I pray. Amen.

Silent Prayer

*Congregation stands as able

Declaration of Forgiveness* Ephesians 1:7–10

Minister: “In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.”

Minister: Your sins are forgiven through Christ!

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

Hymn* *Amazing Grace*

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God Equips and Prepares His People

Confession of Faith* Westminster Shorter Catechism (Questions 4-7)

Minister: Question 4. What is the God?

Congregation: **God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.**

Minister: Question 5. Are there more Gods than one?

Congregation: **There is but one only, the living and true God**

Minister: Question 6. How many persons are there in the Godhead?

Congregation: **There are three persons in the Godhead: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory.**

Minister: Question 7. What are the decrees of God?

Congregation: **The decrees of God are, his eternal purpose, according to the counsel of his will, whereby, for his own glory, he hath foreordained whatsoever comes to pass.**

The Reading of God's Word

Old Testament Reading Exodus 3.1-15
New Testament Reading 1 Timothy 1.1-11

Reader: The Word of the Lord!

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

Prayer of Intercession and 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.

Psalm 122* *O, 'Twas A Joyful Sound To Hear* CC 160

The Preaching of God's Word

"No Other Gods Before Me" Exodus 20.1-3

Psalm 27* *My Savior God Is All My Light* CC 50

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings*

Doxology CC 437

God Communes With His People

Hymn* *Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior* CC 208
Stanzas 1-2 (Communion – Bread)

The Bread and the Wine

(It is our practice to remain seated for the Lord's Supper as the bread and cups of wine are passed down the rows. Additionally, we hold the elements until all have been served. You are



welcome to participate if you are a baptized Christian, a follower of Jesus Christ, and a faithful member or adherent of this or some other Christian Church.)

Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior
Stanzas 3-4

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(Communion – Wine)

Hymn* *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

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God Blesses and Sends His People

Benediction

Gloria Patri

(The congregation is invited to lift their hands)

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Amazing Grace

*If through the offence of one many be dead, much more the grace of God,
and the gift by grace, which is by one man, Jesus Christ, hath abounded unto many. Rom. 5:15*

1. A - maz - ing grace! How sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me!
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re - lieved;
3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils and snares, I have al - read - y come;
4. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright shin - ing as the sun,

I once was lost, but now am found; Was blind, but now I see.
How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved.
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.

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