

Order of Worship including Holy Communion

Lighting of a Candle

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Psalm of the Day: 145.1-8

Introit:

*Come, now is the time to worship,
come, now is the time to give your heart;
come, just as you are to worship,
come, just as you are before your God.
Come.*

One day every tongue will confess you are God,
one day every knee will bow.

Still, the greatest treasure remains
for those who gladly choose you now.

Come, now is the time to worship...

Welcome and Pastoral News of the Fellowship

Call to Worship:

The Lord our God is great and to be highly praised.

We come to worship.

The Lord our God is great beyond our understanding.

We come to worship.

The Lord our God is loving and full of mercy.

We come to worship.

Hymn:

- 1 Take my life, and let it be
yours, my Lord, eternally;
take my moments and my days,
let them flow in ceaseless praise.
- 2 Take my hands, and let them move
at the impulse of your love;
take my feet, they must not stray
from your true and faithful way.
- 3 Take my voice, and let me sing
always, only, for my King;
take my lips, let them proclaim,
to the world, your holy name.
- 4 Take my silver and my gold;
not one piece would I withhold;
take my intellect, and use
ev'ry pow'r as you would choose.
- 5 Take my will, my deep desire,
fill me with prophetic fire;
take my heart: it is thine own;
it shall be your royal throne.
- 6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour
at your feet its treasure-store;
take myself, my vows renew:
ever, only, all for you.

Bible Reading: Matthew 20.1-16

Word for the Day

Communion:

Words of Invitation

Jesus, stand among us
At the breaking of the bread;
Join us as one body
As we worship You, our Head.
O Jesus, we love You, so we gather here;
Join our hearts in unity and take away our fear.

Prayer:

In trial and tribulation, **God of comfort, be near me.**
In loss and devastation, **God of grief, grieve with me.**

In uncertainty and confusion,
God of the way, show me a path.

In want and in need,
God of provision, provide for me.

In times of sluggishness and laziness,
God of patience, wait for me.

In comfort and in joy,
God of love, let me not forget you.

As we share bread and wine,
**God who gave us your Son,
may we remember and be thankful**

*Take bread and eat, take wine and drink
Prayer*

Prayers of Intercession and Lord's Prayer

News of the Community

Hymn:

All I once held dear, built my life upon,
All this world reveres, and wars to own,
All I once thought gain I have counted loss;
Spent and worthless now, compared to this.

*Knowing You, Jesus knowing You,
there is no greater thing.*

*You're my all, You're the best,
You're my joy, my righteousness,
and I love You, Lord.*

Now my heart's desire is to know You more,
To be found in You and known as Yours.
To possess by faith, what I could not earn,
All-surpassing gift of righteousness.

Chorus

Oh, to know the power of Your risen life,
And to know You in Your sufferings.
To become like You in Your death, my Lord,
So with You to live and never die.

Chorus

Sending Out:

**Lord, give us a way to go, a path to follow,
a purpose to fulfil and meaning to our deeds.
Amen.**

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and share in a time of fellowship