

# LITURGY & SONGS – September 20th, 2020

## Call to Worship:

**Leader:** Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise! Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man.

**All:** The LORD has done great things for us; we are glad. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory! He is worthy of our praise.

<Based on Psalm 126:3; Revelation 19:7>

### **Confession of Sin:**

**Leader:** Father, I confess that my daily life is not characterized by reverence for and attentiveness to your Word. In prideful self-reliance or fearful anxiety, I hurry past my most important meeting of the day with you in the name of productivity. When I do hear you speaking to me through your Word, I often fail to respond with joy and with obedience. I draw too little strength from your truth and your love. O Lord, have mercy on me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

<Based on Nehemiah 8:3; Psalm 51:12>

#### **Assurance of Pardon:**

**All:** Brothers and Sisters, let us look to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. Jesus died and rose again in order to save sinners. He said, "whoever comes to me I will never cast out." Let us return to him, for in his presence there is fullness of joy and pleasures forevermore.

<Hebrews 12:2; John 6:37; Psalm 16:11>

## **Benediction:**

**Leader:** Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

<Based on Jude 24-25>

#### **SONGS**

Great Is Thy Faithfulness Lord I Need You He Is Worthy In Christ Alone