

## SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

October 16, 2022, 9:00 a.m. West and 11:00 a.m. Downtown

9:00 PRELUDE *Cleanse Me* arr. Don Wrytzen

11:00 PRELUDE *There is No Greater Love* arr. Mickelson & Wrytzen

HYMN OF PRAISE *There's Something About that Name* #171

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! There's just something about that name!  
Master, Savior, Jesus! Like the fragrance after the rain.  
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Let all heaven and earth proclaim:  
Kings and kingdoms will all pass away,  
But there's something about that name!

WELCOME Pastor Amanda Davis

HYMN OF WELCOME *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* #400

Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I'm come;  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee.  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Video: One With Each Other

Faithful Giving Prayer Pastor Amanda Davis

OFFERING

MINISTRY IN MUSIC *Mercy Tree* Bradley Knight

Sanctuary Choir; Bradley Acree, Soloist  
Presented in honor of Ward Schmidt

*On a hill called Calvary there stands an endless mercy tree.  
Ev'ry broken, weary soul, find your rest and be made whole.  
Stripes of blood that stain its frame shed to wash away our shame,*

*From the scars, pure love released, salvation by the mercy tree.  
In the sky, between two thieves hung the blameless Prince of peace,  
Bruised and battered, scarred and scorned,  
Sacred Head pierced by our thorns.*

*"It is finished" was His cry! The perfect Lamb was crucified.  
The sacrifice, our victory; our Savior chose the mercy tree.  
Hope went dark that violent day. The whole earth quaked at Love's display.  
Three days silent in the ground, this Body born for heaven's crown.  
On that bright and glorious day, heaven opened up the grave.  
He's alive and risen indeed! O praise Him for the mercy tree!  
Death has died; love has won. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!  
Jesus Christ has overcome. He has risen from the dead.  
One day soon we'll see His face, and ev'ry tear He'll wipe away.  
No more pain or suffering; O praise Him for the mercy tree!  
Death has died; love has won, Hallelujah! Hallelujah!  
Jesus Christ has overcome; He has risen from the dead;  
Death has died; love has won. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!  
Jesus Christ has overcome; He has risen from the dead!*

DOXOLOGY *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* #95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed #881  
Pastor Amanda Davis

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI *Glory Be to the Father* #70

Glory be to the Father  
And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VIDEO

Courtney Hutchins and Mandy Jones

HYMN OF PREPARATION

*Here I Am, Lord*

#593

*Refrain*

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard You calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if You lead me.  
I will hold Your people in My heart.

I the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard My people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin, My hand will save.  
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?

*Repeat Refrain*

SCRIPTURE

Pastor Lance Richards

Acts 2:42-47

The Word of God for us, the people of God.

**Thanks be to God!**

MESSAGE

Pastor Lance Richards

***One Together: One With Each Other***

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Lance Richards

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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INVITATION TO THE ALTAR

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HYMN OF BLESSING

*O Jesus, I Have Promised*

#396

O Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end;  
Be Thou forever near me, my Master and my friend.  
I shall not fear the battle if Thou art by my side,  
Nor wander from the pathway if Thou wilt be my guide.

O let me feel Thee near me! The world is ever near;  
I see the sights that dazzle, the tempting sounds I hear;  
My foes are ever near me, around me and within;  
But Jesus, draw Thou nearer, and shield my soul from sin.

O let me hear Thee speaking in accents clear and still,  
Above the storms of passion, the murmurs of self-will.  
O speak to reassure me, to hasten or control;  
O speak, and make me listen, Thou guardian of my soul.

**O Jesus, Thou hast promised to all who follow Thee  
That where Thou art in glory there shall Thy servant be.  
And Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end;  
O give me grace to follow, my Master and my Friend.**

BENEDICTION

Pastor Lance Richards

BENEDICTION RESPONSE *Great Is Thy Faithfulness (Refrain)*

#140

**Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!**

POSTLUDE

*Festival Toccata*

Percy Fletcher

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar today are given by Glen and Carolyn Severs  
in honor of their 44<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on October 14.

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