

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Lord's Day, August 28, 2022

Welcome and Announcements

* God Calls Us to Worship Him: Responsive Reading of Psalm 104:24-25;33

Pastor: O LORD, how manifold are your works!

Congregation: In wisdom have you made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

Pastor: Here is the sea, great and wide, which teems with creatures innumerable, living things both small

and great.

All: I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

* We Sing in Response: #122 Red Hymnal "God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory"

*We Seek God's Presence in Prayer

We Confess Our Sins Together:

Merciful Lord, we confess that with us there is an abundance of sin, but in you there is the fullness of right-eousness and abundance of mercy. We are spiritually poor, but you are rich and in Jesus Christ came to be merciful to the poor. Strengthen our faith and trust in you. We are empty vessels that need to be filled; fill us. We are weak in faith; strengthen us. We are cold in love; warm us, and make our hearts fervent for you that our love may go out to one another and to our neighbors. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We Pray Silent Prayers of Confession

God Assures Us We Are Forgiven: Psalm 116:5-7

* We Sing In Response to God's Forgiveness: Back of sermon outline "Christ, the True and Better Adam"

* We Confess Our Faith Together: Ligonier Statement on Christology

We confess the mystery and wonder of God made flesh and rejoice in our great salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord. With the Father and the Holy Spirit, the Son created all things, sustains all things, and makes all things new. Truly God, He became truly man, two natures in one person. He was born of the Virgin Mary and lived among us. Crucified, dead, and buried, He rose on the third day, ascended into heaven, and will come again in glory and judgment. For us, He kept the Law, atoned for sin, and satisfied God's wrath. He took our filthy rags and gave us His righteous robe. He is our Prophet, Priest, and King, building His church, interceding for us, and reigning over all things. Jesus Christ is Lord; we praise His holy name forever. Amen.

We Read From God's Word: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

We Pray For The Congregation and Community

We Memorize God's Word: 2 Corinthians 5:14-15

For the love of Christ controls us, because we have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died; and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

We Present Our Tithes & Offerings In Worship

We Worship Through the Music of Offertory

- * We Sing the Doxology: #731 Red Hymnal "Doxology"
- * We Give Thanks to the Lord
- * We Sing In Preparation for the Word: #368 Black Hymnal "Speak, O Lord"

(Children age 4 through kindergarten may be dismissed to Children's Worship)

Pastor Reads the Sermon Text: Exodus 4:1-17

Pastor Preaches God's Word: "The Promise and Power of God amidst Moses' Weakness" - Pastor Wes James

We Celebrate the Lord's Supper

- * We Sing In Response to the Word: #642 Red Hymnal "Be Thou My Vision"
- * The Lord Sends Us Out (Benediction)

Sermon Outline

Exodus 4:1-17

"The Promise and Power of God amidst Moses' Weakness"

08-28-22

Proposition: God equips those whom He calls to execute His will for the glory of His name in the redemption of His people.

Main Point One: The Lord's Call

Sub Point One: Moses' Context = A Shepherd of Sheep

Sub Point Two: Moses' Challenge = the people will not

believe

Main Point Two: The Lord's Power

Sub Point One: Miraculous Signs

Sub Point Two: The People's Faith

Main Point Three: The Lord's Provision

Sub Point One: Moses' Weakness = slow of speech

Sub Point Two: God's Sovereign Hand... "who made

man's mouth?"

Sub Point Three: God's Promise..."I will be with you...I

will teach you what to say"