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The Call to Worship is directed to the people by God through the worship leader. It is a call to focus mind, heart, and intention on the worship of God.

Confessing our faith together reminds us of our core beliefs and helps keep us true to our faith.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

GOD CALLS US

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| + Call to Worship | Psalm 145:8-10 | p. 621 |
| + Opening Hymn | <i>Give to Our God Immortal Praise</i> | PH 215 |
| + Invocation | | |
| + Confession of Faith | <i>Heidelberg Q&A 1</i> | |

Q. What is your only comfort in life and death?

A. **That I, with body and soul, both in life and death, am not my own, but belong to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ; who with his precious blood has fully satisfied for all my sins, and delivered me from all the power of the devil; and so preserves me that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; yea, that all things must be subservient to my salvation, wherefore by his Holy Spirit he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me heartily willing and ready, henceforth, to live unto him.**

GOD PARDONS US

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| Reading the Law | <i>Leviticus 19:1-18</i> | p. 115 |
| Prayer of Confession | | |
| Declaration of Pardon | <i>Titus 3:4-7</i> | p. 1185 |
| + Hymn of Thanksgiving | <i>His Mercy Is More</i> | Insert |

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GOD SPEAKS TO US

Old Testament Lesson *Psalm 123:1-4* p. 612

New Testament Lesson *1 Peter 2:4-10* p. 1204

Pastor: The grass withers, and the flower fades.

People: **But the Word of our God will stand forever.**

Sermon *"Tis Mercy All" Psalm 123:1-4*
Dr. Daniel Schrock

God's law gives us the opportunity to examine ourselves, confess our sins to God and repent of them. We are reminded of forgiveness that God has given to us through Jesus' death on the cross.

WE RESPOND TO GOD

+ Hymn of Response *To You, O LORD, I Lift My Eyes* PH 123

Intercessory Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.

We respond to God's promises and grace in song, prayer, and generosity.

We pray for the needs of our own people, the universal church, and our world.

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*God has offered himself to
us in Christ. We give as a
way of offering ourselves to
Him.*

*God sends us out into the
world with his blessing.*

Offering and Offertory *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say* PH 272
Please pass the friendship pad located at the center aisle. (alternate tune)

+ **Doxology and Prayer of Dedication** PH 570

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures
here below: alleluia, alleluia! Praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

+ **Closing Hymn** *And Can It Be That I Should Gain* PH 431

+ **Benediction**

+ **Postlude**