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Second Sunday

March 10, 2024

11:00 A.M.

The Rev. Dr. Nicole Lock

Lay Leader: Cleveland Robinson *Worship Leader: Maggie Sofidiya*
Pianist: Paul Settles *Drums: Ben Wilkinson*
Percussion: Sam Jones *Bass: Joe Rivers*

GATHERING SONG

Video "Order My Step

COMMUNITY NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Lay Leader

Leader: Come let us sing and shout to the Lord.

People: We rejoice, for He is the Rock of our salvation.

Leader: He is El Shaddai..... God Almighty.

People: Let us worship and adore Him.

OPENING PRAISE

AAHH No. 590

Come We That Love the Lord

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Unison*)

Lay Leader

Thank You, Lord, that we can come to You with all our cares and concerns. Forgive us when we take our eyes off You and become anxious and ineffective in Your kingdom. There are so many distractions - from the media, from the news, from our personal challenges. Sometimes we are swayed about like a ship in a storm. Help us, we pray and have mercy on us, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. *

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Lay Leader

Psalm 121 reminds us that our help does not come from high people or places BUT from the Lord who made heaven and earth. David looked forward to the promised Messiah. We are privileged to know Jesus, the Christ, the Messiah. He has promised to forgive the sins of all who admit they have done wrong in God's eyes and with His help, we can depend on the Holy Spirit to teach and guide us, so we can live to honor and to serve Him. Thank you, oh Lord, for Your mercy. Amen

OFFERING OF PRAISE

Every Praise

Hallelujah, All I Have is Christ

+PASTORAL PRAYER

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Text and online giving available. See the website for information.

OFFERTORY

Praise Band

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Doxology

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Chancel Choir

"Where Can I Go?"

By Cymbala, Jefferson, Webb

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

(Children ages 4 & 5 and grades 1st-5th are dismissed to class)

INTRODUCTION of The Rev. Dr. Nicole Lock

+ SCRIPTURE READING

(If you are able, please stand for the reading of the Word of God)

OT Genesis 12:1-9

NT Luke 7:18-28

Reader: The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

SERMON

Pastor Nicole

"Looking for Someone?"

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

HYMN OF THE MONTH

Hymn No. 231

Free From the Law, O Happy Condition

BENEDICTION

People: Amen

WHEN THE GATHERING ENDS, THE SERVICE BEGINS.

GO IN PEACE, TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD.

Hymn= Hymns for the Living Church.

AAHH = African American Heritage Hymnal

(All music and words approved by CCLI License No. 58738)

COME, WE THAT LOVE THE LORD

Come, we that love the Lord,
And let our joys be known,
Join in a song of sweet accord,
Join in a song of sweet accord,
and thus surround the throne,
and thus surround the throne.

Refrain:

We're marching to Zion,
beautiful, beautiful Zion,
We're marching upward to Zion,
The beautiful city of God.

Let those refuse to sing
Who never knew our god,
But children of the heavenly King,
But children of the heavenly King
May speak their joys abroad,
May speak their joys abroad.

Refrain

The hill of Zion yields
A thousand sacred sweets
Before we reach the heavenly fields,
Before we reach the heavenly fields
Or walk the golden streets,
Or walk the golden streets. (Refrain)

Then let our songs abound
And every tear be dry;
We're marching through Immanuel's ground,
We're marching through Immanuel's ground
to fairer worlds on high,
to fairer worlds on high.

Refrain

Isaac Watts

EVERY PRAISE

Every praise is to our God
Every word of worship with one accord
Every praise every praise is to our God
Sing hallelujah to our God
Glory hallelujah is to our God
Every praise every praise is to our God

(Bridge)

God my Savior, God my Healer
God my Deliverer
Yes He is, yes He is
(Yes He is yes He is)

(Ending)

Every praise is to our God
Every word of worship with one accord
Every praise every praise (*with repeats*)
Every praise every praise is to our God

ALL I HAVE IS CHRIST

Chorus:

Hallelu-Jah, All I have is Christ!
Hallelu-Jah! Jesus is my life!
Hallelu-Jah, All I have is Christ!
Hallelu-Jah! Jesus is my life!

I once was lost in darkest night,
yet thought I knew the way.
The sin that promised joy and life,
had led me to the grave.
I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your
will.
And if You had not loved me first,
I would refuse You still.

But as I ran my hell-bound race,
indifferent to the cost,
You looked upon my helpless state and led me to
the cross.
And I beheld God's love displayed,
You suffered in my place.
You bore the wrath reserved for me,
now all I know is Grace.

Chorus

Now Lord I would be Yours alone,
and live so all might see.
The strength to follow Your commands,
could never come from me.
O Father use my ransomed life,
in any way You choose.

And let my song forever be,
my only boast is You! (Chorus)

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FREE FROM THE LAW, O HAPPY CONDITION (#231)

Free from the law, O happy condition,
Jesus hath bled, and there is remission;
Cursed by the law and bruised by the fall,
Grace hath redeemed us once for all.

Refrain:

Once for all--O sinner, receive it;
Once for all--O brother, believe it;
Cling to the cross, the burden will fall,
Christ hath redeemed us once for all.

Now we are free--there's no condemnation,
Jesus provides a perfect salvation;
"Come unto Me," O hear His sweet call,
Come, and He saves us once for all. (Refrain)

Children of God, O glorious calling,
Surely His grace will keep us from falling;
Passing from death to life at His call,
Blessed salvation once for all. (Refrain)

Philip P. Bliss