

DOXOLOGY

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NEW CITY

CALL TO WORSHIP*

God initiates the dialogue
by calling us through his
Word.

PSALM 113:1-3

- LEADER "Praise the Lord!
Praise, O servants of the Lord,
praise the name of the Lord!"
- ALL "Blessed be the name of the Lord
from this time forth and forevermore!"
- LEADER "From the rising of the sun to its setting,
the name of the Lord is to be praised!"
- ALL "The Lord is high above all nations,
and his glory above the heavens!"

PRAYER OF INVOCATION*

We respond to God's
gracious initiative through
corporate prayer and
songs of adoration.

PSALM 145:10-13

- ALL All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your saints shall bless you!
They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom
and tell of your power,
to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds,
and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.
Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,
and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

SONGS OF APPROACH*

O PRAISE THE NAME (ANÁSTASIS)

I cast my mind to Calvary
Where Jesus bled and died for me
I see His wounds His hands His feet
My Saviour on that cursed tree

His body bound and drenched in tears
They laid Him down in Joseph's tomb
The entrance sealed by heavy stone
Messiah still and all alone

**O praise the Name of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days we will sing Your praise
Oh Lord oh Lord our God**

Then on the third at break of dawn
The Son of heaven rose again
O trampled death where is your sting
The angels roar for Christ the King

He shall return in robes of white
The blazing sun shall pierce the night
And I will rise among the saints
My gaze transfixed on Jesus' face

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JESUS MESSIAH

He became sin who knew no sin
That we might become His righteousness
He humbled Himself and carried the cross
Love so amazing love so amazing

**Jesus Messiah Name above all names
Blessed Redeemer Emmanuel
The Rescue for sinners
The Ransom from heaven
Jesus Messiah Lord of all**

His body the bread His blood the wine
Broken and poured out all for love
The whole earth trembled and the veil was torn
Love so amazing love so amazing

***All our hope is in You
All our hope is in You
All the glory to You God
The Light of the world***

**Jesus Messiah Lord of all
The Lord of all**

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READING OF THE LAW*

As the Lord, Jesus reveals his will for those that belong to his Kingdom. In turn, we recognize our sin and respond with confession.

EPHESIANS 4:1-6

LEADER I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

HEIDELBERG CATECHISM

QUESTION 34

LEADER Why do you call Him our Lord?

ALL Because—not with gold or silver, but with his precious blood—he has set us free from sin and from the tyranny of the devil, and has bought us, body and soul, to be his very own.

CORPORATE AND SILENT CONFESSION

We pray with full confidence that our holy God is merciful to sinners because of Jesus Christ.

CONFESSION OF SIN

ALL Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and crowned him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him or acknowledged his rule in our lives. We have gone along with the way of the world and failed to give him glory. Forgive us and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the world and is head of the church, his body. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON*

We believe that on the cross all our sins--past, present, and future--have been paid for.

2 CORINTHIANS 5:21

LEADER For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

SONG OF THANKSGIVING *

Having received mercy
in Christ Jesus, we give
thanks to God.

BLESSED ASSURANCE

Blessed assurance Jesus is mine
O what a foretaste of glory divine
Heir of salvation purchase of God
Born of His Spirit washed in His blood

**This is my story this is my song
Praising my Savior all the day long
This is my story this is my song
Praising my Savior all the day long**

Perfect submission perfect delight
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight
Angels descending bring from above
Echoes of mercy whispers of love

Perfect submission all is at rest
I in my Savior am happy and blest
Watching and waiting looking above
Filled with His goodness lost in His love

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PASSING OF THE PEACE *

We embrace our new
family in Christ with
the peace Jesus has
accomplished by his
death-and-resurrection.

LEADER Through the blood of Christ our Lord, we have been made
righteous. May the peace of Christ be with you!

ALL And also with you!

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

HERE IS LOVE

Here is love vast as the ocean
Lovingkindness as the flood
When the Prince of Life our Ransom
Shed for us His precious blood
Who His love will not remember
Who can cease to sing His praise
He can never be forgotten
Throughout Heav'n's eternal days

Let me all Thy love accepting
Love Thee ever all my days
Let me seek Thy kingdom only
And my life be to Thy praise
Thou alone shalt be my glory
Nothing in the world I see
Thou hast cleansed and sanctified me
Thou Thyself hast set me free

On the mount of crucifixion
Fountains opened deep and wide
Through the floodgates of God's mercy
Flowed a vast and gracious tide
Grace and love like mighty rivers
Poured incessant from above
Heav'n's peace and perfect justice
Kissed a guilty world in love

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ELDER PRAYER

NewCity is led by a Session, a leadership body of ruling and teaching elders. They lead the family in prayers of adoration, confession, thanksgiving, and supplication.

HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Scan the QR code and submit prayer requests for our elders to pray over on Sundays. Confidential requests will not be shared publicly.



SCRIPTURE READING*

1 PETER 2:18-3:7

SERMON

1 PETER: DELIBERATELY DISTINCT
THE CHURCH'S EXILIC CALLING, PART 11

Because the Bible is God's inspired, infallible, and authoritative word, we incline our hearts to hear the reading of Scripture and the proclamation of the gospel with a resolve to obey our risen King.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-26

The Lord's Supper is a sacrament instituted by God and to be shared only by baptized believers who are members in good standing of a local church.

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

*we use gluten-free bread for the Lord's Supper

SONG OF FAITH*

CHRIST THE TRUE AND BETTER

Having received
instruction and blessing,
we commit to proclaim
the hope of eternal life
and pursue philanthropy.

Christ the true and better Adam
Son of God and Son of man
Who when tempted in the garden
Never yielded never sinned
He who makes the many righteous
Brings us back to life again
Dying He reversed the curse then
Rising crushed the serpent's head

Christ the true and better Isaac
Humble son of sacrifice
Who would climb the fearful mountain
There to offer up his life
Laid with faith upon the altar
Father's joy and only son
There salvation was provided
Oh what full and boundless love

Amen amen
From beginning to end
Christ the story His the glory
Alleluia amen

Christ the true and better
Moses Called to lead a people home
Standing bold to earthly powers
God's great glory to be known
With his arms stretched wide to heaven
See the waters part in two
See the veil is torn forever
Cleansed with blood we pass now through

Christ the true and better David
Lowly shepherd mighty King
He the champion in the battle
Where O death is now thy sting
In our place He bled and conquered
Crown Him Lord of majesty
His shall be the throne forever
We shall e'er His people be

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost amen

We give glory to God
who is the source of
every blessing.

BENEDICTION*

JUDE 24-25

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.

ALL **Amen. Thanks be to God!**

Finally, as God initiated the dialogue of worship, so now he concludes our time together by sending us out with a word of blessing so that we might be a blessing to all.

NEW?

Get connected and learn more about us by letting us know who you are. Scan the QR code to fill out our newcomer card and we'll be in touch!

