MORNING WORSHIP

SEPTEMBER 13, 2020 | 9:30 A.M.

PREPARATION AND PRAISE

Prelude: "O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing" arr. L. Larson

"The Perfect Wisdom of Our God" arr. L. Larson

Welcome and Announcements

ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Call to Worship: Psalm 145:1-7

Choir: "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

God's Greeting Psalm 124:8, Psalm 95:6-7, Philippians 1:2

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you have built your church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Join us together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may become a holy temple, acceptable to you, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

CONFESSION AND PRAYER

Call to Confession <u>based on Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 32</u>

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon: Ephesians 2:19-22

God's Will for Our Lives: James 4:1–10

Congregational Prayer

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

Sermon: Servant Leaders <u>Mark 9:33-50</u>

Hymn: "And Can It Be"

OUR RESPONSE OF GRATITUDE

Ministry Moment: Steve Frieswick

Offertory Prayer

Confession of Faith: <u>Apostle's Creed</u>

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Benediction: <u>I Thessalonians 5:23–24</u>

Doxology: "Beautiful Savior"
Postlude: "Servant Medley"

Minister: Rev. Joel Vande Werken Liturgists: Kelly Penning, Don & Ellen Stahl Choir Director and Piano: Laurie VanderBaan

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