

Order of Worship for 7/2/23

10:00am CST

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Baptism of Banner Troy Sanford

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has welcomed us without reservation,
so let us welcome all in God's name!

People: **Peace be with you. God's peace be among us,
around us, and within us.**

OPENING PRAYER (all)

**O God,
Light of the minds that know you,
Life of the souls that love you,
Strength of the thoughts that seek you:
Help us so to know you
That we may fully serve you,
Whose service is perfect freedom;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Who lives and reigns with you
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and forever. Amen**

***OPENING HYMN #455**

All Creatures of Our God and King

1 All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
Thou silver moon with softer gleam,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

2 Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
Ye clouds that sail in heaven along,
O sing ye! Alleluia!
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,
Ye lights of evening, find a voice!

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

3 Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
Make music for thy Lord to hear,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright,
That givest man both warmth and light,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

4 Thou fertile earth, that day by day
Unfoldest blessings on our way,
O sing ye! Alleluia!
The flowers and fruits that in thee grow,
Let them God's glory also show!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

5 And everyone of tender heart,
Forgiving others, take your part,
O sing ye! Alleluia!
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
Praise God and cast on God your care!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

6 All creatures, your Creator bless,
And worship God in humbleness.
O sing ye! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

****PRAYER OF CONFESSION (all)***

**We do not deserve these gifts.
We take them and squander them.
We continue to trust ourselves
more than we trust you.
We fail to embrace others as you have
embraced us.
Accept our confession.
Be our glory and our strength for the days
to come, our strength, shield, and deliverer. Amen**

****ASSURANCE OF PARDON***

****HYMN #2026***

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah
Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

Halle Hallelujah

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

GRADUATES RECOGNITION

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Jeremiah 29: 7-13 (p.731)

TIME FOR CHILDREN

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Banner Troy Sanford

The Presentation

The Profession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed
(see insert)

Thanksgiving Over the Water

The Baptism

The Welcome

**People: With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's
church to share with us in his ministry,
for we are all one in Christ.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 Peter 3: 18-22 (p.234)

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Baptism Now Saves You
Pastor John Gay

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #498**

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise

1. Child of blessing, child of promise,
Baptized with the Spirit's sign,
With this water God has sealed
Unto love and grace divine.
2. Child of love, our love's expression,
Love's creation, loved indeed
Fresh from God, refresh our spirits,
Into joy and laughter lead.
3. Child of joy, our dearest treasure,
God's you are, from God you came
Back to God we humbly give you;
Live as one who bears Christ's name.
4. Child of God, your loving parent,
Learn to listen for God's call.
Grow to laugh and sing and worship,

Trust and love God more than all

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERTORY CALL & OFFERTORY MUSIC

PRAYER FOR THE OFFERING

****DOXOLOGY #592***

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Invitation

The Great Thanksgiving Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Words of Institution and Distribution

Communion Music

Prayer following Communion

SENT IN GOD'S NAME

****CLOSING HYMN #142*** 142 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

1 All hail the power of Jesus' Name!

Let angels prostrate fall;

Bring forth the royal diadem,

And crown Him Lord of all!

Bring forth the royal diadem,

And crown Him Lord of all!

2 Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,

Ye ransomed from the fall,

Hail Him who saves you by His grace,

And crown Him Lord of all!

Hail Him who saves you by His grace,

And crown Him Lord of all!

3 Let every kindred, every tribe,

On this terrestrial ball,

To Him all majesty ascribe,

And crown Him Lord of all!

To Him all majesty ascribe,
And crown Him Lord of all!

4 O that with yonder sacred throng
We at His feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song,
And crown Him Lord of all!
We'll join the everlasting song,
And crown Him Lord of all!

****BENEDICTION***

POSTLUDE

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