

Sending

*Benediction

*Closing Song: "God Our Father (Let Your Kingdom Come)"

1. *God our Father, King of heaven, let your kingdom come.
On the earth as in your heaven, let your will be done.*

2. *Everything we need you've given; bread for every day.
In your mercy we're forgiven, may we show your grace.*

Chorus:

Let your kingdom come, let your will be done.

3. *Lead us not into temptation, help us walk your ways.
Lord, deliver us from evil, hear us as we pray: (to chorus)*

Bridge:

*For the kingdom and the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever, forevermore.*

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Worship Participants

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Hearing Assistance



A telecoil hearing-loop system sends a signal into the sanctuary. If your hearing aid is t-coil equipped, try switching to the t-coil receiver. An FM hearing assistance system is also available for ears without hearing aids. Consult the sound operator for assistance.

Psalm 24:3-5

Who can possibly ascend the mountain of the Lord?

Who can stand before Him in sacred spaces?

Only those whose hands have been washed and hearts made pure,
men and women who are not given to lies or deception.

The Lord will stand close to them with blessing and mercy at hand,
and the God who redeems will right what has been wrong.

Gathering

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 24:1-6 p.862

*Song: "God Himself Is with Us" LUYH 565

*God Greet Us, We Greet One Another

*Song: "Before the Throne of God Above" LUYH 682

Renewal

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, we confess before you and each other
that our lives are not pure and holy
apart from the cleansing we have from the work of Christ.
And we confess that too often Christ in us is hidden
by our actions that wound rather than heal,
that tear down rather than build up.

Open our eyes,

that we may see you in the ones we say we love.

Open our ears,

that we may be quicker to listen than to speak.

Open our mouths

to speak good rather than evil of our neighbors.

Open our hands

in generosity and help us let go of clenched fists.

Open our hearts

to a desire to follow Jesus in full obedience to your will and your way.

We pray, trusting in your forgiveness

and in the power of your Holy Spirit to lead and guide us

in paths of justice and righteousness for your name's sake.

Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Romans 6:3-4

Do you not know that all of us
who have been baptized into Christ Jesus
were baptized into his death?

Therefore we have been buried with him
by baptism into death,
so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead
by the glory of the Father,
so we too might walk in newness of life.
Friends, this is the Good News:

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

And we are not only forgiven, we are also freed.

Let us greet the world as people made new in Christ.

Song of Renewal: "Baptized in Christ" LUYH 846:1,2,3,6

Word

Children's Blessing & Song: "Open Our Eyes"

Open up our ears to listen. Open up our eyes to see.

Plant the seed of understanding. Grow it up like the tallest tree.

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Children ages 3 years old through 1st grade are invited to go downstairs to the Multi-Purpose Room for a time of worship designed especially for young children. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service. Parents, we invite you to walk your children downstairs to help get them settled in.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Mark 7:1-23 p.1563

Message: "From Code to Covenant" Pastor Joel Kok

Response

*Song of Response: "Sing! A New Creation" LUYH 797

*We Profess Our Faith: The Apostles' Creed LUYH 783A

Prayers for the Church and World