

September 13, 2020

11am Worship

~ WELCOME ~

Kindly silence your devices during worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME
PRELUDE FOR PREPARATION

Dustin Lin

CALL TO GATHER
“Don’t Tell Me”

Ken Medema

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 103:1-13

L: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless God’s holy name.

P: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and do not forget all God’s benefits—

L: Who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the Pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good as long as you live so that your youth is renewed like the eagle’s.

P: The LORD works vindication and justice for all who are oppressed. God made known God’s ways to Moses, God’s acts to the people of Israel.

L: The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. God will not always accuse, nor will God keep God’s anger forever. God does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.

P: For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is God’s steadfast love toward those who fear God; as far as the east is from the west, so far God removes our transgressions from us.

L: As a parent has compassion for their children, so the LORD has compassion for those who fear God.

ALL: Amen.

***HYMN**

“O My Soul, Bless Your Redeemer”

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STUTT GART**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 50:15-21

L: Hear the words of the scriptures. **R: Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

“Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”

**INSERT
MORNING SONG**

PASTORAL PRAYER
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
LORD’S PRAYER

***GOSPEL READING**

Matthew 18:21-35

L: Hear the words of the scriptures. **R: Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

“The Gift of Forgiveness”

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BUNESSAN**

SERMON
CONTEMPLATION

“Forgiveness 2.0”
Dustin Lin

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**

“God, How Can We Forgive”

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LEONI**

***GOING FORTH**

adapted, Brother Ramon, The Way of Love

L: We cannot forgive others before we are forgiven and reconciled.

P: But when we are within the forgiven and forgiving family of God, then we are to forgive as we have been forgiven.

L: If we do not forgive, then how can we be forgiven? If we are not compassionate, then we shall lose the spirit of compassion.

P: If we are covetous, materialistic, and legalistic in our relationships, then our souls shrivel and we are left wondering how we should receive any better.

L: O God, you offer us forgiveness for our many debts in order for us to taste and see the wonders of life made anew.

P: Forgive us and show us how to live as forgiven people, extending love and forgiveness to all as we have received it.

ALL: Amen

POSTLUDE

Dustin Lin

Postlude, to be enjoyed as you depart, extending the Grace of Christ to one another.

*Please Stand As You Are Able

Bolded items – congregational participation requested

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