

# May 24, 2020

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Welcome

### Call to Worship

from 1 Samuel 2

Pastor Mike Littell

My heart exults in the LORD; my horn is exalted in the LORD.

**There is none holy like the LORD: for there is none besides you; there is no rock like our God.**

He raises up the poor from the dust; he lifts the needy from the ash heap to make them sit with princes and inherit a seat of honor.

**For the pillars of the earth are the LORD's, and on them he has set the world.**

The adversaries of the LORD shall be broken to pieces; against them he will thunder in heaven.

**The LORD will judge the ends of the earth; he will give strength to his king and exalt the horn of his anointed.**

### Prayer of Praise

### Hymn

"O Worship the King"

### Call to Confession

Shahram Parvani

1 Peter 5:6-8

Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.

### Prayer of Confession

### Assurance of Pardon

Jeremiah 31:1-3

At that time, declares the LORD, I will be the God of all the clans of Israel, and they shall be my people." Thus says the LORD: "The people who survived the sword found grace in the wilderness; when Israel sought for rest, the LORD appeared to him from far away. I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.

### Song

"Our Great God"

### Prayer of God's People

Shahram Parvani

### The Lord's Prayer

### Hymn

"Doxology"

### Scripture Reading

Philippians 2:1-11

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus,[a] who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,[b] but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant,[c] being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

### Sermon

"The Tools for Christian Love"

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### Song

"Forever"

### Benediction