

A Time of Greeting

Rev. Mike Ramos

Hymn 395

God of Grace and God of Glory

CWM RHONDDA

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Susie Reeder

Choir Response

Lift Him Up

Sanctuary Choir

LIFT HIM UP

Hymn 313

Come, Let Us Reason

COME, LET US REASON

Offertory Hymn

In Christ Alone

IN CHRIST ALONE

*In Christ alone my hope is found;
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease;
My Comforter, my All in All;
here in the love of Christ I stand.*

*In Christ alone who took on flesh;
Fullness of God in helpless babe.
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save;
'Til on that cross as Jesus died
the wrath of God was satisfied,
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.*

*There in the ground His body lay;
Light of the world by darkness slain.
Then bursting forth in glorious day.
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory,
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine,
bought with the precious blood of Christ!*

*No guilt in life, no fear in death;
this is the power of Christ in me.
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no human plan
can ever pluck me from His hand;
'Til He returns or calls me home,
here in the power of Christ I'll stand.*

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Prayer of Commitment

Mrs. Nancy Teachey

Offertory Feature <i>Where Can I Go?</i>	Sanctuary Choir with Carla Crenshaw, flute lames
Scripture Reading <i>Philemon 7; 2 Timothy 1:16-17</i>	Rev. Reeder
Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God. <i>People: Thanks be to God.</i>	
Message	Pastor Blake Bengé
	Refreshed
Response Hymn 572 <i>I Love to Tell the Story</i>	HANKEY
Next Steps	Rev. Mike Ramos
Recognition of Decisions	Pastor Bengé
Benediction	Rev. Ramos
Postlude <i>The God of Abraham Praise</i>	Mrs. Donna Davenport, organist LEONI/Young

NEXT STEPS

COMMUNITY

Sundays 9:45am: Find a Sunday School Group that’s right for you! Everyone is invited, and no sign-up is required. For a list of Sunday School groups, visit the Welcome Desk or go to snydermbc.com/sundayschool

DISCOVERY CLASS

September 21, 10am, Small Dining Room: New to Snyder and seeking more information and connection? Join us monthly for a light breakfast and learn about Snyder’s mission, vision, and values in an informal and interactive setting.

EVENTS

Wednesday Evenings at Snyder: Something for everyone including Dinner, Games for our students, Playground time for our kids, Discipleship Classes for adults & students, Steps of Faith rehearsal, and Singing Christmas Tree and Sunday Worship prep. Come join us!

Dinner on the Grounds: Sunday, October 5th at 6:00pm on the front lawn!

Refreshed

Every Sunday, when the people gather to worship God and be reminded of the Good News, they should leave refreshed. People who have worshiped God, heard His word taught, and experienced genuine fellowship should leave so refreshed that they can offer refreshment to others in a world of evil, chaos, and darkness. This is particularly true when tragedy has occurred due to such darkness.

What God does with Darkness

Genesis 1:3

II Chronicles 7:14

Seven things that inform Jesus followers' response to evil, chaos, and darkness.

1. Jesus followers are not surprised when _____ pushes back. Matthew 5:11-12

2. Jesus followers are the _____ of the world. Matthew 5:14

3. Jesus followers understand their words are _____. Matthew 5:22

Bonus: Colossians 4:5-6

4. Jesus followers understand their actions are _____. Matthew 5:38-41

5. Jesus followers _____ for those who are against them. Matthew 5:44

6. Jesus followers pray on that which matters _____, and matters _____. Matthew 6:10

7. Jesus followers treat others the way they want to be _____ . Matthew 7:12

"Come now, let us reason together"

Isaiah 1:18

Responding as reasonable followers of Jesus

Be unsurprised when Bad News pushes against the _____ News.

II Corinthians 4:4

Be _____. It will be increasingly required.

Acts 20:22-24

Be _____ and _____.

Romans 1:16 & II Timothy 1:7

Be _____. Worship and Fellowship can no longer be an option.

Hebrews 10:25

Conclusion

As those who follow Jesus, we operate as directed by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount, and we respond to darkness reasonably as directed by God's Word and God's Spirit.

WAYS TO GIVE

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1. Place cash or check in the offering plate as it passes.
 2. Mail a check or drop it off at the Church Office.
 3. Set up an automated Bank Draft.
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SERVICE TIMES

8:40am, Modern Service, Fellowship Hall

9:45am, Sunday School for all ages

11am, Traditional Service, Sanctuary

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