MORNING WORSHIP

Reflections
Greeting
Prelude
Call to Worship • Psalm 103:1,22
Hymn of Adoration • 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)
Invocation
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Silent Confession
Assurance of Pardon • Psalm 103:8-13
Hymn of Assurance • Thy Mercy, My God
Prayer for Christ's Church and the World

Offering

With grateful hearts for God's extravagant mercy and blessing, we joyfully present our offerings to the Lord for the ministry of our church and community.

You may give your offering by using the "give" button online at <u>www.cpcstl.org</u>.

Those worshiping in person may give their gift in the offering box provided by our ushers after the service.

Children's Worship at 11:00am only

Parents, please bring participating children age 4–1st grade downstairs to the Heartland Room during the following hymn.

Hymn of Preparation • Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

#457

Scripture Reading • Luke 15:1-7

Sermon • The Heart of God

Luke 15:1-7, p.874

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Key Idea: The purpose of this parable isn't so much about getting us to do something but helping us see something. That something is the story or character of God's gracious heart for the hearts and lives of those n this world that wander away.

- 1. God's heart leads Him to seek those who have wandered (4)
- 2. God's heart eagerly bears the burden of restoration (5)
- 3. God's heart rejoices when the lost are found (5-6)
- 4. God's heart invites those who remain to examine our own hearts

June 12, 2022

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Communion Hymn • There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood #253 (vv.1-3,5)

Benediction

Doxology #731

The Peace of Christ

Postlude

Musicians - Brent Johnson, Piano; Elinor Dana, Cello; Debbie Jacobs, Oboe

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