



PRELUDE "Losa" by Emmanuel Séjourné
- *Marimba/Vibraphone Duet:*
Ian and Mackenzie Alvarez,
Scott Friend on drums

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP - from Psalm 145

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;

there is no end to God's greatness.

One generation shall praise your works to
another

and shall declare your power.

All your works praise you, Lord,

and your faithful servants bless you.

They make known the glory of your
kingdom

and speak of your power.

My mouth shall speak the praise of the
Lord:

**Let all people bless his holy name
for ever and ever.**

HYMN #33 *Praise the Lord! God's Glories*
Show

PRAYER OF PRAISE

God of all ages:

we thank you for the faithful witness
of your apostles, prophets, and martyrs
throughout the history of your church
and throughout the world even today.
Through their witness we see and hear
your truth.

We bless you for all who bless your name
through their writing, speaking, art, and
music.

Through their work we glimpse your
beauty.

We praise you for all who serve you
without recognition or honor,
offering encouragement to the lonely,
the sick, and the fearful.

Through their lives we see your
faithfulness

and sense your comfort.

Now we pray that you will use even us
to reflect the glory we see in Christ.

May the voices of all your saints,
made holy in Christ,
swell in joyous praise to you,
the giver of all good gifts. Amen.

HYMN *Praise the Lord, O Heavens Adore Him*
(insert)

OPENING OUR HEARTS TO GOD

Hear, O God, our longing to be more in tune
with your purposes. We have sought the
riches of this world while our spirits are
impoverished and undeveloped. We grab
for ourselves what should be shared, to
satisfy our own hungers. Feed us now with
that spiritual food that lends a new taste
and zest to our lives.

Teach us to care and to act from a love that demands nothing in return. Fill us with hope for Christ's presence and activity in our midst, as we follow the Way of Jesus in our lives.

(time for silent prayers and reflection)

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

-from Ephesians 2:19-22

You are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God.

Thanks be to God!

PASSING THE PEACE

MUSICAL OFFERING "Rondo alla Turca"

by **W. A. Mozart**

- *Marimba Duet:*

Ian Alvarez and Curt

Cheever

SCRIPTURE READINGS Hebrews 12:1-2 and
Corinthians 1:1-9

MESSAGE You Are Saints!

HYMN *Rise Up, O Saints of God! (insert)*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory
now and forever. Amen.*

HYMN #275 *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Danse Macabre"

- **Camille Saint-Saens**

- *Cascade Percussion Quartet*

Ian Alvarez: Bells

Mackenzie Alvarez: Vibraphone

Curt Cheever: Marimba

Ryan Templin: Xylophone

"As the Father has sent me, so I send you." John 20:21

Coffee first
reached
Europe in
1515.

Martin
Luther
sparked the
Reformation
in 1517.



Beware a caffeinated pastor.