# Order of Worship

10:30 AM Lord's Day Worship, March 10, 2024

Prelude & Welcome Call to Worship (Liturgist) Standing in our place, Jesus suffered during his years on Earth. (Congregation) He carried God's judgment on our sin (Liturgist) God raised him from the dead: He walked out of the grave, conqueror of sin and death-(Congregation) Lord of Life! We are set right with God, given new life, and called to walk with him in freedom from sin's dominion. - Our World Belongs to God, St. 25

**Opening Prayer** 

\*Sharing of God's Peace

\*Opening Praise: LUYH #575 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

FOG #91 Tis' So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Confession of Sin: Based on 1 Peter 2:4-7

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 50:22-23

Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

\*Song of Praise: FOG #451 When Peace Like A River

Announcements & Congregational Prayer

Children's Blessing

Message: "The Healing of the Man Born Blind" John 9:1-41 NIV (Page 1061)

Communion

\*Hymn of Application: <u>LUYH #553 How Great Thou Art</u>

#### Offering & Offertory

Online Giving available via Zelle (<u>admin@cccei.org</u>) & Venmo (@ccceastislip) March Special Offering: Abraham & Elaine Lee (Mexico)

\*Doxology: YB #50 My Friends May You Grow In Grace

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

\*Please stand in body or in spirit

# Today's Scripture |John 9:1-41 NIV

1 As he went along, he saw a man blind from birth. 2 His disciples asked him, "Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?" 3 "Neither this man nor his parents sinned," said Jesus, "but this happened so that the work of God might be displayed in his life. 4 As long as it is day, we must do the work of him who sent me. Night is coming, when no one can work. 5 While I am in the world, I am the light of the world." 6 Having said this, he spit on the ground, made some mud with the saliva, and put it on the man's eyes. 7 "Go," he told him, "wash in the Pool of Siloam" (this word means Sent). So the man went and washed, and came home seeing.

# Sermon Notes

#### Announcements

**1.[Happy Sunday!]** Thanks for joining us in worship! If you're visiting, please fill out a Connection Card so we can welcome you.

**2. [Communion Sunday]** Please prepare your hearts as we partake in Communion together today.

3. [Looking ahead - Dates to Remember]

3/10: Daylight Savings Begins Public Reading of Scripture @ 9:45 AM Communion Sunday Coffee Hour Fellowship - Host: Life Group 2

3/12: Ladies Bible Study @ 10AM

3/:13: Midweek Prayer via Zoom @ 730 PM

3/16: Men's Bible Study @ 7AM

3/17: Public Reading of Scripture @ 9:45 AM

Coffee Hour Fellowship – Host: Life Group 3

**4.** [Lighthouse Mission Food Drive] For Easter this year we will be doing a food drive for Lighthouse Mission. We need non-perishable food items by March 18<sup>th</sup>. Questions? Contact Elisa M.

**5.** [Public Reading of Scripture] Throughout the season of Lent we will have our public reading of scripture every Sunday before worship at 9:45 AM.

6. [Special Worship Services] \*We will have a Good Friday worship service on March 29<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM. \*This year's Sunrise worship service at Heckscher Park will be on Easter Sunday 3/31 at 7AM. We will then have our Resurrection Sunday Celebration at 10:30 AM in our sanctuary.
7. [Membership Class] If you're interested in becoming a member, the next class will be offered in March. Sign up with Pastor James.

ZOOM INFO - Meeting ID: #384 506 8857 Passcode: 11730

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Rev. James J. Lee, President Michael Warner, Vice President Richard Guercio, Elder Peter Lazio, Elder

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Elisa Mancuso, Clerk Pat Shea Joy Van Essendelft



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# "The Healing of the Man Born Blind"

John 9:1-41 NIV

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# My Friends May You Grow in Grace YB #50, CCLI #3140875

My friends, may you grow in grace, And in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior. My friends, may you grow in grace, And in the knowledge of Jesus Christ.

To God be the glory, now and forever, Now and forever, *amen*. To God be the glory, now and forever, Now and forever, *amen*.

# When Peace Like A River LUYH #451, CCLI #3140875

#### Verse 1

When peace like a river attendeth my way, When sorrows like sea billows roll; Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, "It is well, it is well with my soul." *Refrain* It is well with my soul; it is well, it is well with my soul.

#### Verse 2

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, Let this blest assurance control: that Christ has regarded my helpless estate, and has shed his own blood for my soul. *Refrain* 

#### Verse 3

My sin – oh, the bliss of this glorious thought! My sin, not in part, but the whole, Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more; Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

# Praise to the Lord, the Almighty LUYH #575, CCLI #3140875

### Verse 1

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, The King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation! Come, all who hear; brothers and sisters, draw near, Join me in glad adoration!

# Verse 2

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning, Sheltering you under his wings, oh, so gently sustaining. Have you not seen all that is needful has been sent by his gracious ordaining?

#### Verse 3

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you; Surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you. Ponder anew what the Almighty can do as with his love he befriends you.

#### Verse 4

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him! Let the amen sound from his people again. Gladly forever adore him!

#### Refrain

# How Great Thou Art LUYH #553, CCLI #3140875

# Verse 1

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder consider all the works thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed;

## Refrain

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee: How great thou art, how great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee: How great thou art, how great thou art!

### Verse 2

When through the woods and forest glades I wander, I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees; When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze;

# Refrain

## Verse 3

But when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin;

## Refrain

## Verse 4

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation, And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration And there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!"

# Tis' So Sweet to Trust in Jesus Family of God #91, CCLI #3140875

# Verse 1

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, Just to take Him at His word, Just to rest upon His promise, Just to know, "Thus saith the Lord."

### Chorus

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him! How I've proved Him o'er and o'er! Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! O for grace to trust Him more!

# Verse 2

How I love to trust in Jesus, Just to trust His cleansing blood, Just in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood!

## Chorus

# Verse 3

Yes, I've learned to trust in Jesus, And from sin and self to cease, Now from Jesus simply taking Life and rest and joy and peace.

## Chorus

# Verse 4

I'm so glad I learned to trust Him, Precious Jesus, Savior, Friend; And I know that He is with me, He'll be with me to the end.