

**CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
JANUARY 21, 2018
“STEP OUT OF THE BOAT”**

***PRESERVICE MUSIC*..... “Heart Like You”**

**Burn bright in my life
Burn away the things I hold tight
Give me eyes to see
Your kingdom the way You want it to be
What can be worth more than You?
What do I have I wouldn't lose
If it means You and I look more alike?
That's what I choose**

**I'd give up the world to find my soul
Pour out my life, give You control
I just want to be what You want me to be
I just want a heart that's true
A heart like You
I just want a heart like You**

**As Your ways take shape
All my guilt and shame start to fade
And Your love takes their place
I become a well of Your grace, Your grace**

**I'd give up the world to find my soul
Pour out my life, give You control
I just want to be what You want me to be
I just want a heart that's true
A heart like You
I just want a heart like You**

**I don't mind the price it costs
I will count all I have as loss
When this fades away, what's true remains
What can be worth more than You?
What do I have I wouldn't lose?**

I'd give up the world to find my soul
Pour out my life, give You control
I just want to be what You want me to be
I just want a heart that's true
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*Heart Like You written by Chris Rademaker, Jodi King, Seth Jones © 2012 Tunes of R and T Direct
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“When We Love”

Hey, are we listening?
There's someone crying out right now
And yeah, we all know what it feels like
When up is really upside down
Everybody's got their story
The hard days and the long nights
Everybody needs somebody
Now might be the time

When we love, when we love, when we love someone
We're the evidence, the evidence of You
When we love like You love, we can see You move
You're alive in us when we love someone

Hey, I keep thinking
Life is more than where we are
So come on, let's be part of something
Something that can change somebody's heart
Cause everybody's got their story
The heartbreaks and the hard times
And everybody needs somebody
Standing by their side

When we love, when we love, when we love someone
We're the evidence, the evidence of You
When we love like You love, we can see You move
You're alive in us when we love someone

So God give me a heart like Yours
Help me to look at the world like You do
I wanna be caught up in Your love

**Cause Your love is enough to mend the most broken of lives
Please God, help me to love like You
Help me to love like You**

**When we love, when we love, when we love someone
We're the evidence, the evidence of You
When we love like You love, we can see You move
You're alive in us when we love someone**

**When we love someone
When we love someone
When we love someone
When we love someone**

*"When We Love" written by Ben Glover, Chris Rademaker, David Arthur Garcia, Jodi Rademaker © 2013 D Soul Music
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WORSHIP THEME: Step out of the Boat" Mark 1:14-20

Jesus called Simon, Andrew, James, and John to leave their current fishermen roles and follow Him. Jesus would teach them to be fishers of men. Without hesitation, the disciples left behind their belongings and followed Jesus. Immediately, they left what they knew and risked everything to follow Christ. Do we have that same courage to step out of our current "boats" and follow Jesus in obedience?

+ We Lift Our Hearts in Worship +

OPENING SONG..... "You Are My King (Amazing Love)"

**I'm forgiven because You were forsaken
I'm accepted, You were condemned
I'm alive and well, Your spirit lives within me
Because You died and rose again**

**I'm forgiven because You were forsaken
I'm accepted, You were condemned
I'm alive and well, Your spirit lives within me
Because You died and rose again**

**Amazing Love, how can it be?
That You, my King, would die for me
Amazing Love, I know it's true
And it's my joy to honor You**

**Amazing Love, how can it be?
That You, my King, would die for me
Amazing Love, I know it's true
And it's my joy to honor You**

In all I do, I honor You
You are my King
Jesus, You are my King
Jesus, You are my King
Jesus, You are my King

Amazing Love, how can it be?
That You, my King, would die for me
Amazing Love, I know it's true
And it's my joy to honor You

In all I do, I honor You
In all I do, I honor You

*"You Are My King" written by Billy Foote 1996 worshiptogether.com songs Scripture Reference: Luke 23:34, 1 John 3:1
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INVOCATION

Pastor: Can you hear the voice of our Savior calling?

People: He calls us by name.

Pastor: Will you answer His call? Will you step out of your comfort zone and follow Him?

People: By the grace of God, we will do it!

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor: Gracious God, righteous and true, it is in Your name we gather here together.

People: We worship You.

Pastor: Open our hearts and ears that we may hear Your voice. Give us the courage to obey You in all that we do.

People: Not by our might or power, but by Your Spirit, Lord, move in us!

Pastor: Amen.

TIME OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Father, we have the Scriptures inspired by You, yet we grow lazy, fearful, and selfish. We walk away from the light of Your truth and hide our sin in secret.

People: Forgive us of our selfish ways.

Pastor: We busy ourselves with selfish ambitions, ignoring Your higher calling.

People: Forgive us of our pride.

Pastor: Forgive us, Lord, for we are sinners who have fallen short of Your glory.
People: **Yet, while we were still sinners, Christ gave His life for us as the substitutionary sacrifice and we are forgiven! Hallelujah!**

+ We Hear God's Word +

Jonah 3:1-5,10 (ESV)(page 5 in bulletin)..... (on page 1438 in NIV pew Bible)
1 Corinthians 7:29-31(32-35) (ESV) (page 5 in bulletin) (on page 1779 in NIV pew Bible)

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "If You're Happy And You Know It"... by Jubilate Ringers

Mark 1:14-20(ESV)(page 6 in bulletin) (on page 1552 in NIV pew Bible)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen.

SERMON SONG "Christ Is Risen (Come Awake)"

**Let no one caught in sin
Remain inside the lie of inward shame
We fix our eyes upon the cross
And run to Him who showed great love
And bled for us
Freely You've bled for us**

**Christ is risen from the dead
Trampling over death by death
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave
Christ is risen from the dead
We are one with Him again
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave**

**Beneath the weight of all our sin
You bowed to none but heaven's will**

**No scheme of hell no scoffer's crown
No burden great can hold You down
In strength You reign
Forever let Your church proclaim**

**Christ is risen from the dead
Trampling over death by death
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave
Christ is risen from the dead
We are one with Him again
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave**

**O death where is your sting
O hell where is your victory
O church come stand in the light
The glory of God has defeated the night
Singing O death where is your sting
O hell where is your victory
O church come stand in the light
Our God is not dead
He's alive He's alive**

**Christ is risen from the dead
Trampling over death by death
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave
Christ is risen from the dead
We are one with Him again
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave**

**Christ is risen from the dead
Trampling over death by death
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave
Christ is risen from the dead**

**We are one with Him again
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave**

*"Christ Is Risen (Come Awake)" written by Matt Maher, Mia Fieldes 2009 Thankyou Music
Scripture Reference: 1 Corinthians 15:55 CCLI Song:5242683 CCLI License: 51072*

MESSAGE.... "Sent With God's Message"...Jonah 3:1-5, 10 - by Rev. Gary Fortkamp

OFFERING SONG..... "Give Thanks"

**Give thanks
With a grateful heart
Give thanks
To the holy one
Give thanks
For He's given
Jesus Christ, His Son
(repeat)**

**And now let the weak say
I am strong
Let the poor say
I am rich
Because of what
The Lord has done
For us
(repeat)**

Give thanks...

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+ We Pray +

PRAYERS

LORD'S PRAYER

+ We Depart in Peace +

BENEDICTION

Pastor: Friends, have courage to step out of the boat. Have courage to follow the Lord. Encourage one another and spur each other on.

People: **By the grace of God, we will. Amen!**

CLOSING SONG..... "Cry Of My Heart"

**It is the cry of my heart to follow You, It is the cry of my heart to be close to You
It is the cry of my heart to follow, All of the days of my life
It is the cry of my heart to follow You, It is the cry of my heart to be close to You
It is the cry of my heart to follow, All of the days of my life**

**Teach me Your holy ways oh Lord, So I can walk in Your truth
Teach me Your holy ways oh Lord,
And make me wholly devoted to You, oh oh whoa**

**It is the cry of my heart to follow You, It is the cry of my heart to be close to You
It is the cry of my heart to follow, All of the days of my life**

**Open my eyes so I can see, The wonderful things that You do
Open my heart up more and more, And make it wholly devoted to You, oh oh whoa**

**It is the cry of my heart to follow You, It is the cry of my heart to be close to You
It is the cry of my heart to follow, All of the days of my life**

**It is the cry of my heart to follow You, It is the cry of my heart to be close to You
It is the cry of my heart to follow**

**All of the days of my life,
All of the days of my life
All of the days of my life,
All of the days of my life
All of the days of my life**

"Cry Of My Heart" written by Terry Butler 1991 Mercy / Vineyard Publishing Scripture Reference: Jeremiah 8:19, Psalm 27:4, Matthew 21:15 CCLI Song: 844980 CCLI License: 51072

We Exit to Serve!

If this service has moved you spiritually and you have questions regarding your spiritual life, please feel free to visit with one of the Pastors after the service.