GOD GATHERS US

Preparation for Worship

Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid:
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you
and worthily magnify your name
through Christ, our Lord.
Amen.

Prelude

Here I Am Lord arr. Doug Wagner

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Call to Confession Moment of Silent Confession Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #579

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Prayer for Illumination

*Scripture Reading: Matthew 18:21-35 (NT, p. 20)

Sermon Forgive From the Heart Pastor Matt Lewis

WE RESPOND

*Apostles' Creed (standing, said by all)

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven. and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints: the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body: and the life everlasting. Amen.

GOD SENDS US

*Closing Song 10,000 Reasons (worship video)

*Closing Prayer/Sending

*Blessing

*The Peace

May the peace of the Lord be with you. *And also with you!*

Postlude

*Please stand, as able