

# SERVICES OF WORSHIP

## 8:30 and 10 a.m., March 21

*"Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends."  
– John 15:13*

### GATHERING MUSIC Praise Team

*"How Great Is Our God".....Tomlin/Reeves/Cash*

### ORGAN PRAISE Roderick Gorby

*"To God Be the Glory".....Gorby*

### CALL TO WORSHIP Jennifer Holz

(based on John 3)

*Leader: How great is our God!*

**People: He so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son.**

*Leader: That whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life!*

**People: To God be the glory! Great things He has done!**

### HYMN OF PRAISE

*"To God Be the Glory" vs. 1, 3*

### DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

### PRAYER OF ADORATION

### WELCOME AND GREETING

### SONG OF PRAISE

*"Great Are You, Lord".....Jordan/Leonard*

### CALL TO CONFESSION

### COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, there is no greater love than You have bestowed on us, through the atoning work of Your Son Jesus on the cross for our salvation. Your covenant with us is never broken. We confess that we have failed to fulfill Your will for us. We betray our neighbors, desert our friends, and run in fear when we should be loyal. Though You have bound Yourself to us, we have not bound ourselves to You. Have mercy on us.

### PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

### ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

### RESPONSE

*"And Can It Be" vs. 4*

### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH John Goodale (8:30) Jim DeJarnette (10)

#### The Apostles' Creed

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, dead and 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 there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

### OFFERING OUR GIFTS

### LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

### SERMON

#### TO GIVE HIS LIFE: "Greater Love"

John 15:1-13 Greg Hartnett

### SPECIAL MUSIC

*"Greater Love".....Ringwald*

### PRAYER

### SONG OF RESPONSE

*"My Savior's Love" vs. 1, 3, 4*

### CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

*"My Savior's Love".....Gorby*

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Praise Team: Matt Holtzman, Vonda Barnhart, Yvette Dubé, Worship Leaders; James Bristow, Guitar; Jason Crowe, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

### Pray for those in hospital/short-term rehab

Penrose Main – Mr. Steven Flemate

Center at Centennial – Ms. Diana Borden, Mrs. Barbara Blankinship

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