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Welcome to Heritage Church!

We're glad you've come to worship with us! We hope you will experience a warm welcome as we worship God together and embrace the truth of Jesus Christ as our Savior and Lord. We are glad to have you with us and look forward to welcoming you back again soon.

If you would like to know more about what it means to become a follower of Jesus Christ, we encourage you to talk with our pastor or pick up the "Two Ways to Live" pamphlet at the information Center or available at <u>twowaystolive.com</u>

To learn more about Heritage, check out our website or consider attending a class designed to introduce you to who we are and why we are here. Please email us at churchoffice@heritagecrc.org or call the church office to let us know of your interest.

Our Mission

To introduce people to Jesus Christ, to help them grow to be more like Him, and then to reproduce the process in others.

Sunday, August 6, 2023

Preparation for Worship

"We praise you, God, we praise you, for your Name is near; people tell of your wonderful deeds." Psalm 75:1

Prelude

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*The Call to Worship

Leader: Let us worship God, our light and our salvation. **All:** *The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.*

Leader: We desire to live in God's house and to seek God in his holv temple.

All: We have come with shouts of joy, to sing and to make music to the Lord.

Leader: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

All: Teach us your ways and make straight our paths in this hour of worship and always.

~Based on Psalm 27; John 4:23

*God's Greeting

*Songs of Worship Be Unto Your Name How Majestic Is Your Name Glorious Is Thy Name

Screens Green 121 Green 122:1,3

Prayers of the People Heritage Happenings Tithes & Offering

> Tithes - General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance Offering - Park Village Pines

If you are a visitor with us please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering but free to do so. Please take a few moments to complete the Connection Card and place it in the offering baskets located at the doors as you exit the sanctuary.

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Summer in the Psalms Scripture Psalm 23 (pg. 579) Sermon *"For You Are With Me"* Guest Preacher: Rev. Kurt Selles, ReFrame Ministries

Prayer of Application *Song *He Leadeth Me*

Gray 452:1,2,3

WE CELEBRATE COMMUNION

The Institution Prayer of Consecration The Invitation The Communion The Bread Jesus Paid It All The Cup I Will Sing of My Redeemer Prayer of Thanksgiving

Screens Green 309:1,3,4

WE GO OUT WITH NEW HOPE

*The Benediction *Doxology *Worthy Is Christ*

Gray 629

Postlude

*You are invited to stand in body or in spirit

Bold italicized text is read together by the congregation and plain text by the leader. Most songs are found in the hymnals and all of the words will be on the front screens.