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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, April 30, 2023

Preparation for Worship

"Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Praise the Lord." Psalm 150:6

Prelude

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*The Call to Worship Leader: My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast
All: I will sing and make music.
Leader: Awake, my soul! Awake, harp and lyre!
All: I will awaken the dawn.
Leader: I will praise you, O Lord, among the nations;
All: I will sing of you among the peoples.
Leader: For great is your love, reaching to the heavens;
All: your faithfulness reaches to the skies.

(Psalm 57:7-10)

*Song of Worship	
Behold Our God	Screens
*God's Greeting	
*Song of Praise	
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty	Gray 253

WE CELEBRATE REDEMPTION

Call to Confession	
Song	
Create In Me	Screens
Prayer of Confession	
Song	
Create In Me	Screens
Assurance of Pardon	
God's Will for Our Life	
Song of Response	
My Hope is Built on Nothing Less	Screens

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Scripture John 15:18-16:4 (p. 1130) Sermon **"Because of His Name"** Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Song Standing On the Promises Prayers of the People Heritage Happenings

Green 410:1,2,4,5

Tithes - General Fund Offerings - ReFrame Ministries

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 basket located by the sanctuary doors.

WE GO OUT WITH NEW HOPE

*The Benediction with Congregational **Amen!** *Doxology *Salvation Belongs to Our God* Sc

Screens

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.