Worship Guide

Welcome & Announcements

Beginning the Journey

Please sing as directed:

Open my eyes that I may see glimpses of truth thou hast for me.

Place in my hands the wonderful key

That shall unclasp and set me free.

Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see.

Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Leader continues...

Please sing as directed:

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart.
I want to see you, I want to see you.

(repeat all)

Prayer of Confession

Please sing as directed:

Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Assurance and Peace

Leader concludes: In the name of Christ, you are forgiven.

People: In the name of Christ, you are forgiven.

Leader: And all God's people say,

All: Amen!

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

Opening Hymns & Palm Processional

see insert

Children's Message

Music for Reflection

Scripture Luke 19:28-40

Message "Self-Giving"

Music for Reflection "Gentle Healer" Michael Card, composer

Communion Invitation and Prayer (Our Table is Open to All)

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Music for Meditation

Offering Invitation and Prayer

Closing Hymn "Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?" No. 204, vs. 1 & 4

Alas! And did my Savior bleed?
And did my Sov'reign die?
Would he devote that sacred head
For sinners such as I!

Refrain:

At the cross, at the cross
Where I first saw the light
And the burden of my heart rolled awayIt was there by faith I received my sight,
And now I am happy all the day!

But drops of grief can ne'er repay
The debt of love I owe:
Here, Lord, I give myself away'Tis all that I can do!

Refrain

Blessing

Worship Leaders: Rev. David Kenley & Rev. Beth Wendl, ministers; Chris Chandler, piano; Marc Burch, Charles Kinney, Susan Smith, Beth Wendl & Celebration Choir, musicians; Daonne Caldwell, elder

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