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## MAY 5, 2024 THE LORD'S SUPPER

## Prelude

(Please use this time to pray... Quiet your mind and heart by releasing your concerns to God, and prepare to receive the ministry of His Word and Spirit.)

Greeting/Announcements

## Call to Worship (Psalm 92)

Leader: A Psalm. A Song for the Sabbath. "It is good to give thanks to the LORD, to sing praises to your name, O Most High;

People: "to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night,

Leader: "to the music of the lute and the harp, to the melody of the lyre. For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work; at the works of your hands I sing for joy.

People: "How great are your works, O LORD! Your thoughts are very deep!

Leader: "The stupid man cannot know; the fool cannot understand this: that though the wicked sprout like grass and all evildoers flourish, they are doomed to destruction forever;

People: "but you, O LORD, are on high forever.

Leader: "For behold, your enemies, O LORD, for behold, your enemies shall perish; all evildoers shall be scattered.

People: "But you have exalted my horn like that of the wild ox; you have poured over me fresh oil.

Leader: "My eyes have seen the downfall of my enemies; my ears have heard the doom of my evil assailants.

People: "The righteous flourish like the palm tree and grow like a cedar in Lebanon.

Leader: "They are planted in the house of the LORD; they flourish in the courts of our God.

People: "They still bear fruit in old age; they are ever full of sap and green,

Leader: "to declare that the LORD is upright;

ALL: "he is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in him."

Hymn How Firm a Foundation (#361)

## **Unison Prayer of Confession**

Almighty God,

In the abundance of your love, you have poured out mercy on us in our sin. Forgive us when we are quick to anger, and slow to forgive. Have mercy when we meet our enemies with fear and keep the gospel of Christ to ourselves. Forgive us when we disbelieve the power of your Word to change us and to change the world. Hear now, our silent prayers of confession...

Assurance of Pardon

Hymn His Mercy is More

Offering

**Prayer of Dedication** 

Anthem Make a Joyful Noise Unto the Lord (Psalm 100)

Scripture Reading 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Hymn Am I a Soldier of the Cross?

Scripture Lesson Nehemiah 4:1-14

Message: Pastor Sean Brubaker

Hymn I Will Remember Thee

Communion

Hymn O Jesus, I Have Promised (#388)

Charge and Blessing

Postlude

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