



ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 15, 2017

Prelude: "Shout to the Lord" (Raney)	Kelley Garrett, organ; Sallye York, piano
Call to Worship: "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"	Choir
Apostles Creed	Congregation
Hymn of Praise #154: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"	Congregation
Special Music: (8:00) "In the Morning, Joy"	Exaltation
(9:30/11:00) "Jesus, We Crown You With Praise"	Choir, Alyssa Taylor, soloist
Prayer	Susan Fisher
Praise Song: "Good, Good Father"	Congregation
Announcements & Call for Offering	Susan Fisher
Offertory: (8:00) "O For a Thousand Tongues"	Kelley Garrett & Sallye York
(9:30/11:00) "In the Morning, Joy"	Exaltation
Doxology	Congregation
Scripture Readers: Camie Clark (8:00), Peggy Spaeth (9:30), Shana Wallace (11:00)	
Sermon:	Dr. Larry Bryars
Hymn #159: "Lift High the Cross"	Congregation
Benediction	Dr. Larry Bryars
Postlude: "The Rejoicing" (Callahan)	Kelley Garrett

Flowers are placed by Scott, Kim and Annie Skoneki in loving memory of Kim's mom, Ann Holder whose birthday was October 14. Flowers are also given in memory of our daughter, Angelia Mercer Mattson, by Lou and Jim Mercer.

Last Sunday's Totals

Services canceled due to weather | Giving: \$51,941.59

Sunday Evening worship at 6 p.m. in Chapel, Dr. Neil Epler

Wednesday Supper: Regular

taco bar, refried beans, rice, enchiladas, brownie/ice cream

Heart Healthy*

grilled chicken salad, baked fish, sugar-free dessert

Child's Menu

cheese/pepperoni pizza, chicken sandwich, chips, cookie

*register for a heart healthy meal at frazer.church/meals

SERMON NOTES

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From Me to He

Isaiah 1:1-20 “¹¹“The multitude of your sacrifices—what are they to me?” says the LORD. “I have more than enough of burnt offerings, of rams and the fat of fattened animals; I have no pleasure in the blood of bulls and lambs and goats. ¹²When you come to appear before me, who has asked this of you, this trampling of my courts? ¹³Stop bringing meaningless offerings! Your incense is detestable to me. New Moons, Sabbaths and convocations—I cannot bear your worthless assemblies. ¹⁴Your New Moon feasts and your appointed festivals I hate with all my being. They have become a burden to me; I am weary of bearing them. ¹⁵When you spread out your hands in prayer, I hide my eyes from you; even when you offer many prayers, I am not listening. Your hands are full of blood! ¹⁶Wash and make yourselves clean. Take your evil deeds out of my sight; stop doing wrong. ¹⁷Learn to do right; seek justice. Defend the oppressed. Take up the cause of the fatherless; plead the case of the widow. ¹⁸“Come now, let us settle the matter,” says the LORD. “Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red as crimson, they shall be like wool. ¹⁹If you are willing and obedient, you will eat the good things of the land; ²⁰but if you resist and rebel, you will be devoured by the sword.” For the mouth of the LORD has spoken.” (NIV)

I. What Have I Come to Expect from Worship?

II. What Does God Want from My Worship?

A. Ancient Jewish Worship

Isaiah 1:11

Isaiah 1:15-17

B. Christian Worship

III. There Is a Temptation to Make It About ME and Not HE.

Isaiah 1:18

I John 1:9

IV. What Is It All About...Worship?

Hebrews 12:28

V. Engage the “HE”

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Board of Stewards Meeting: There will be a Board of Stewards meeting today at 5 p.m. in the East Sanctuary. This meeting will include a vote on the 2018 budget and a time of commitment for Board members. There will also be a budget Q and A time today at 4:30 p.m. in Room 3101.

Rise Out of the Dark Tour: Get your tickets for the Mandisa, Danny Gokey, Love and the Outcome and Jasmine Murray concert October 28 in Wesley Hall! Stop by the Frazer bookstore today or go to frazer.church.

Baptism Sunday: Our next baptism Sunday is October 29. If you feel God is leading you to take the next step in following Christ, please contact Pastor Neil Epler, nepler@frazerumc.org.

Friends Older Adult Fellowship: Bible Study and Music by Joe Pat Cox, Thursday, October 19, 11 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Complimentary lunch. No reservation needed.

SERVING AND MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

Concert Team: Volunteers needed for the upcoming Mandisa/Danny Gokey concert 10/28 and the Gaithers 11/17! Setup/breakdown; greeters, ticket takers, security, concessions and more needed. Contact us at concerts@frazerumc.org.

Coaches Needed for Upward Basketball: Sign up now to coach Upward Basketball at Frazer. Number of teams will be determined by number of coaches. Leagues are for boys and girls K5 through 8th grade. Practices begin December 4; games begin January 6. Sign up in the Activity Center or at frazer.church/upward. Player registration begins tomorrow in Activity Center or online.

Wheelchair Drive: Give the gift of mobility by donating wheelchairs or footrests (no power chairs) to be distributed worldwide by Wheels for the World. Drop off at the church office any time in October. Frazer's participation in this ministry is coordinated by the Prince family in memory of their son, Ryan.