

BLESSING

CLOSING SONG – *Let's Get a Little Crazy*

Yeah, we're all in this together and we're having fun.
We're here to spread the love of God to ev'ryone.
Gonna get a little crazy and a little wild.
Here we go now. Come give it a try.

Move it to the left now. Move it to the right.
Find someone you don't know and give 'em a high five.
Stomp your feet louder. Wave your hands up high.
Find somebody else now and give 'em a high five.
Oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh! Oh, oh, oh oh, oh, oh!

SENDING

POSTLUDE



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Vacation Bible School Culmination

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 25

To you, oh Lord, I lift up my soul.
In you I trust, oh Lord.
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Higher than the mountains
Deeper than the sea
Wider than the ocean is your love for me
You're with me on the mountain
In the valley below
You are right here beside me
Everywhere that I go

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(please stand)

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

SONG – *Trading My Sorrows*

I'm trading my sorrows, I'm trading my shame
I'm laying them down for the joy of the Lord
I'm trading my sickness, I'm trading my pain
I'm laying them down for the joy of the Lord

Yes Lord yes Lord yes yes Lord
Yes Lord yes Lord yes yes Lord
Yes Lord yes Lord yes yes Lord Amen

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH/OFFERING PRAYER

If you are a guest this morning, please feel completely at ease in not making a monetary offering. Your presence at Messiah is a gift in itself. If you completed a Messiah Welcome Card, please do place it in the offering plate at this time.

(please be seated)

OFFERING SONG – Love Came Down

I will sing forever of your love come down,
with my hands to heaven shout your praises loud.
I was lost in darkness when you pulled me out,
I will sing forever of your love come down.
Whoa, ohohohoh, ohohohoh, ohohohoh.

I once was blind, I could not see.
Chains of sin had shackled me.
But God in heaven heard my plea.
Then Jesus, Jesus rescued me.
Jesus, Jesus rescued me.

Now Grace so sweet it floods my soul
Hope eternal won't let go
My debt erased on calvary
'Cause Jesus, Jesus rescued me
Jesus, Jesus rescued me

FIRST LESSON – Genesis 1:26-2:4

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SECOND LESSON – Romans 8:31-39

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GOSPEL – Luke 24:1-12

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VBS CELEBRATION



SONG – Made for This

I was made for this. I live for this.
God has a reason, reason for my life.
I'm gonna shout it out. Without a doubt,
I was born for this, built for a purpose. Oh, oh, oh, oh.

There is a God who made it all, everything we see
He built the mountains, filled the oceans, and he built me.
He is with me. He is for me. I am not alone.
He is with me. He is for me. And I know, I know that...

(please stand)

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

(please be seated)

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

As we commune this morning, Messiah's Christ Bearers will be taking elements from the altar and bringing them to home-bound members of Messiah. Please keep the Christ Bearers and those whom they are visiting in your prayers today.

(after all have communed, please stand)

COMMUNION PRAYER