



## Order of Worship

June 7, 2020

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 9:7-10

Leader: The LORD sits enthroned forever;  
he has established his throne for justice,  
and he judges the world with righteousness;  
he judges the peoples with uprightness.

All: *The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed,  
a stronghold in times of trouble.  
And those who know your name put their trust in you,  
for you, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you.*

### SONG OF PRAISE

The Solid Rock

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The Lion And The Lamb

### SONG OF PETITION

Holy Heart

### SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 58:1-12; Matthew 25:16-31

### MESSAGE

Undone

### CONFESSION & RENEWAL

All: *Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage 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*

Take a moment to confess your sins, knowing that he hears you.

### COMMUNION

### SONG OF SURRENDER

Give Us Clean Hands

### SONG OF PRAISE

Hosanna

### ANNOUNCEMENTS & CLOSING BLESSING

2 Thessalonians 3:16

Leader: Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace  
at all times  
in every way.  
The Lord be with you all.  
Amen.



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**Message Notes: Undone**



## Gospel Applications: Undone

1. With everything going on in our world/society, how are you doing? What are your dominant thoughts, emotions, and responses right now?
2. The message mentioned two major concerns:
  - A consistent failure to care for and seek justice on behalf of the vulnerable and oppressed.
  - A consistent narrative of false dilemmas, where you are automatically assumed guilty of Y and Z if you believe X.

Where do you see either of these playing out in our society? What effect do you think these dynamics are having 1) on society, and 2) on you personally?
3. What functional difference is Ephesians 2 making in your life day to day? Why should the Church of Jesus Christ be the most racially reconciled community on the planet? How, practically, do you strive for that reconciliation?
4. Put Isaiah 58 in your own words in 3 sentences or less. How does this differ from the typical evangelical sermon of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century?
5. Put Matthew 25:16-31 in your own words in 3 sentences or less. How does this differ from the typical evangelical sermon of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century?
6. Given that the LORD in the Old Testament, and Jesus in the New Testament, make it clear that justice and mercy on behalf of the vulnerable and oppressed are core theological issues, why do you think they're constantly ignored by American Church culture?
7. What's wrong with simply replacing the "script of the right" with the "script of the left" (or vice versa)? What script do you need to be following – and why?
8. If Jesus returned today, what evidence would he find that you've cared for and sought justice on behalf of the vulnerable and oppressed around you?
9. What questions and/or concerns do you have about what's going on in our country right now with regards to race?
10. What one thing will you do with this message this week?