

**Opening and Welcome**

**Songs of Praise**

**Psalm Reading (#59)**

Rescue me from my enemies, O God.  
Protect me from those  
    who have come to destroy me...  
I have done nothing wrong,  
    yet they prepare to attack me.  
Wake up! See what is happening and help me!...

You are my strength; I wait for you to rescue me,  
    for you, O God, are my fortress.  
In his unfailing love, my God will stand with me.  
He will let me look down in triumph  
    on all my enemies....

As for me, I will sing about your power.  
Each morning I will sing with joy  
    about your unfailing love.  
For you have been my refuge,  
    a place of safety when I am in distress.  
O my Strength, to you I sing praises,  
    for you, O God, are my refuge,  
    the God who shows me unfailing love.

**Silent Confession**

**Corporate Confession**

Glorious Lord of life,  
    by the mighty resurrection of your Son  
    you overcame the old order of sin and death  
    to make all things new in him.  
Grant that we who celebrate with joy  
    Christ's rising from the dead  
may be raised from the death of sin  
    to the life of righteousness;  
through him who lives and reigns with you  
    and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever. Amen

**Assurance of Pardon**

1 Timothy 1.15-16: Here is a trustworthy saying that  
deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the  
world to save sinners - of whom I am the worst. But  
for that very reason I was shown mercy so that in me,  
the worst of sinners, Christ Jesus might display his  
unlimited patience as an example for those who  
would believe on him and receive eternal life.

**Song of Preparation**

**Sermon: Rom 1.16-17**  
**Disqualified? NOT!!!**

**Communion**

**Prayer available in back of sanctuary**

**Closing Prayer**  
**Song of Celebration**  
**Announcements**  
**Benediction**



**Romans 1.16-17:** *For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile. For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed—a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: “The righteous will live by faith.”*

**Mark 7.20-23:** *“It is what comes from inside that defiles you. For from within, out of a person’s heart, come evil thoughts (that is): sexual immorality, theft, murder, adultery, greed, wickedness, deceit, lustful desires, envy, slander, pride, and foolishness. All these vile things come from within; they are what defile you.”*

**James 2.10:** *For whoever keeps the whole law, and yet stumbles at just one point, is guilty of breaking all of it.*

