

Order of Service

AUGUST 20, 2023 ~10:00 A.M.

PRELUDE: “AS THE DEER WITH FAIREST LORD JESUS”

CALL TO WORSHIP

♦**PRAISE:** CELEBRATION HYMNAL #13
“SING HALLELUJAH, PRAISE THE LORD!”

PRAYER

♦**PRAISE:** CELEBRATION HYMNAL #68
“WE PRAISE THEE, O GOD, OUR REDEEMER”

CONFESSION

... THANKS BE TO GOD
♦CELEBRATION HYMNAL #812 “GLORIA PATRI”

PASSING OF THE PEACE

SCRIPTURE READING: MATTHEW 15:21-28 (NIV)
~ SUE STANTON

MESSAGE: “FAITH THAT WORKS”
~ PASTOR ED CHOA

♦**HYMN:** CELEBRATION HYMNAL #581
“‘TIS SO SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

... LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

TITHES & OFFERING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DOXOLOGY

PRAYER FOR THE OFFERING

♦**CLOSING SONG:** CELEBRATIONAL HYMNAL #575
“LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS”

CHARGE AND BLESSING

.... ALL GOD’S PEOPLE SAY, ALLELUIA, AMEN!

POSTLUDE: “ONLY BELIEVE”

Pianist: Judy Lam
Vocalists: Virgie Reyes, Elder Peter Bade, Elder Brook Manti

SERMON NOTES:

Faith that Works! Matthew 15:21-28 (NIV)

The Canaanite woman teaches us that _____ works.
Matthew 15:28 Then Jesus said to her, “Woman, you have great faith! Your request is granted.” And her daughter was healed at that moment.

Great faith is...

1. A _____ God in all situations.
Proverbs 3:5–6 Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, he will make your paths straight.

2. To _____ when life is _____.
Hebrews 12:1 Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us...

Path to great faith...

1. To establish _____.
John 15:4–5 Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me. “I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.

2. To practice _____.
2 Timothy 3:16–17 All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

2. To regularly have _____.
Hebrews 10:25 “not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.”

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