

Welcome to our Service of Worship

PRELUDE/LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

Announcements

Call To Worship:

L: Ascribe to the LORD, O sons of the mighty,

P: Ascribe to the LORD glory and strength

L: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name;

P: Worship the Lord in holy array.

L: Tremble and do not sin; Meditate in your heart upon your bed and be still.

P: Offer the sacrifices of righteousness, and trust in the LORD.

L: Many are saying, "Who will show us any good?"

P: Lift up the light of Your countenance upon us, O LORD!

L: You have put gladness in my heart, more than when their grain and new wine abound.

P: In peace I will both lie down and sleep, for You alone, O LORD, make me to dwell in safety. Amen

Hymn: 176 Majesty

Opening Prayer in Unison

Eternal God, creator, sustainer, redeemer – enthroned on the praises of Israel: You are King of kings and Lord of lords. Anoint this hour for Your glory. Deliver us from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we

may worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 40:28-30

New Testament Lesson: Matthew 18:21-35

JOYS, CONCERNS and PRAYER REQUEST

LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

TITHES and OFFERINGS

***DOXOLOGY #95**

***Prayer**

***Hymn: 472** Nearer to the Heart of God

Sermon

Hymn: 389 Freely, Freely

BENEDICTION

***CONGREGATION RESPONSE #571 v.1**

Phelps Chapel United Methodist Church

Sept 17, 2023

9:00 A.M.