

Order of Worship
October 25, 2020

Prelude (Simon)

Call to Worship/Invocation/The Lord's Prayer (Laura)

Hymn #80: Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

Announcements (Laura)

Stewardship Moment:

Scripture:

Exodus 14 (selected verses)

⁵ When the king of Egypt was told that the people had fled, the minds of Pharaoh and his officials were changed toward the people, and they said, "What have we done, letting Israel leave our service?"

⁹ The Egyptians pursued them, all Pharaoh's horses and chariots, his chariot drivers and his army; they overtook them camped by the sea.

¹⁰ As Pharaoh drew near, the Israelites looked back, and there were the Egyptians advancing on them. In great fear the Israelites cried out to the Lord. ¹¹ They said to Moses, "Was it because there were no graves in Egypt that you have taken us away to die in the wilderness? What have you done to us, bringing us out of Egypt?"

¹³ But Moses said to the people, "Do not be afraid, stand firm, and see the deliverance that the Lord will accomplish for you today."

¹⁵ Then the Lord said to Moses, "Why do you cry out to me? Tell the Israelites to go forward. ¹⁶ But you lift up your staff, and stretch out your hand over the sea and divide it, that the Israelites may go into the sea on dry ground.

²¹ Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea. The Lord drove the sea back by a strong east wind all night, and turned the sea into dry land; and the waters were divided. ²² The Israelites went into the sea on dry ground, the waters forming a wall for them on their right and on their left.

Deuteronomy 33: 27a (English Standard Version)

The eternal God is your dwelling place, and underneath are the everlasting arms.

I Thessalonians 5: 12-22

¹² But we appeal to you, brothers and sisters,^[c] to respect those who labor among you, and have charge of you in the Lord and admonish you; ¹³ esteem them very highly in love because of their work. Be at peace among yourselves. ¹⁴ And we urge you, beloved,^[d] to admonish the idlers, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with all of them. ¹⁵ See that none of you

repays evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to all. ¹⁶ Rejoice always, ¹⁷ pray without ceasing, ¹⁸ give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. ¹⁹ Do not quench the Spirit. ²⁰ Do not despise the words of prophets, ²¹ but test everything; hold fast to what is good; ²² abstain from every form of evil.

Pastoral Prayer (Carleen)

Call to Offering (Carleen)

Offertory Music:

Prayer After the Offering (Carleen)

Sermon: "Everlasting Arms" (Steve)

Closing Song: Leaning on the Everlasting Arms (Rodney Brown)

Benediction (Steve)

Postlude (Simon)