

Welcome to worship!



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Balzac United Church
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Welcome, all who have gathered for this time of worship.
Congregational responses appear in bold type.

Prelude Come into His Presence
Welcome and Announcements

L. Baird

Land Acknowledgement

“As we gather together, let us pause to remember that we live, work, and worship on lands that are, by law, the un-ceded territories of the nations of Treaty 7. As Christ’s people, may we be people of love, of truth, and of reconciliation. May we live with respect on this land, and in peace and friendship with its people.”

Call to Worship

God has raised up a mighty savior!

Prepare the way! Serve God without fear!

Thrones, dominions, rulers, powers—
these are all as dust before our God.

Prepare the way! Serve God without fear!

Praise be to God and the day of God’s favor.

Prepare the way! Serve God without fear!

Opening Hymn Crown Him with Many Crowns VU 211

Special Music Selection

Children’s Chat

Opening Prayer

Faithful God, expand our thankful imaginations:

to time beyond our time,

to wisdom beyond our wisdom,

to strength beyond our strength.

As we pray for your coming reign,

remind us that the whole earth

is already yours.

Even as we pray for things not yet seen,

help us celebrate your sure, eternal reign. Amen.

Hymn All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name VU 334

Scripture

Psalm 46, refrain #2 VU 770

Jeremiah 23:1-6; Colossians 1:11-20; Luke 1:68-79

Mission Fair

Hymn All the Way My Saviour leads Me VU 635

We reflect on the gifts offered to the church

Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn Rejoice, the Lord is King VU 213

Benediction

Postlude "Heal Our Land"

T. & R. Brooks

Announcements

Craft night is Wednesday at 7. Materials are provided, but if you have a spare glue gun, please bring it.

Advent retreat has not had much interest shown so we will not be going forward with it at this time.

Happy Game Day!



