

# Lake Osborne Presbyterian Church

Lake Worth, Florida

## CONFESSING OUR SINS

## THE WORSHIP OF GOD

November 30, 2008

10:30 A.M.

Call to Holiness: *Isaiah 55:6-7*

*Dr. Larry Roff, Associate Pastor*

### Prayer of Confession

**Litany of Thanks:** *from "The Valley of Vision" (a collection of Puritan prayers)*

*Men: Without Him I stand far off, a stranger, an outcast;*

*Women: In Him I draw near and touch His kingly sceptre.*

*Men: Without Him I dare not lift up my guilty eyes;*

*Women: In Him I gaze upon my Father-God and Friend.*

*Men: Without Him I bide my lips in trembling shame;*

*Women: In Him I open my mouth in petition and praise.*

*Men: Without Him all is wrath and consuming fire;*

*Women: In Him all is love, and the repose of my soul.*

*Men: Without Him is gaping hell below me, and eternal anguish;*

*Women: In Him its gates are barred to me by His precious blood.*

*Men: Without Him darkness spreads its horrors in front;*

*Women: In Him an eternity of glory is my boundless horizon.*

*Men: Without Him all within me is terror and dismay;*

*Women: In Him every accusation is charmed into joy and peace.*

*Men: Without Him all things external call for my condemnation;*

*Women: In Him all things remind me of His covenant kindness and faithfulness.*

*ALL: Praise be to God for His grace, and for His unspeakable gift of Jesus!*

### PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

**Prelude:** *Advent Prelude (Katelyn Gocio, flute)*

*Charles Callaban*

**Welcome and Announcements**

*Mr. David Wade, Elder / Shepherd*

### CELEBRATING GOD'S GREATNESS

**\*Introit:** *Come and Receive! (Dr. Carl Ashley, Choral Director) Claire Cloninger and Gary Rhodes*

**\*Ascription of Praise:** *Isaiah 60:1*

*John Panico, Seminary Youth Intern*

**\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer**

**\*Hymn:** *No. 196 - Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus*

*Charles Wesley*

**First Advent Candle:** HOPE

*The Wade Family*

*O come, Emmanuel, ransom captive Israel, that mourns in exile here.  
O come, Thou Dayspring, come and cheer our spirits by Thine advent here.  
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night.*

*Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, bid envy strife and quarrels cease.  
Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel shall come to Thee, O Israel.*

*O come, Emmanuel, ransom captive Israel, that mourns in exile here.  
O come, Desire of nations, bind all peoples in one heart and mind.  
And fill the world with heaven's peace.*

### DEDICATING OUR LIVES

**Stewardship Challenge:** *Giving Where God Is Working*

**Offertory Anthem:** *The Gift of a Lifetime* Claire Cloninger & Kathy Frizzell (arr. Gary Rhodes)

*Before I looked for You, You found me; before I knew Your name You knew mine.*

*Before I spoke the prayer, Your precious Gift was there, one I never thought I'd find.*

*The Gift of a lifetime, that's what You gave; Your life as an offering, my life to save!*

*Turning my song of tears to an anthem of praise For the Gift that You gave, The Gift of a lifetime!*

*It's more than just Your hand of blessing, It's who You are Yourself that I need.  
And with an open heart I now receive You, Lord, and the life You bring to me!  
The Gift of a lifetime, that's what You gave; Your life as an offering, my life to save!  
Turning my song of tears to an anthem of praise For the Gift that You gave, The Gift of a lifetime!*

*Into the pain that I thought I could hide You brought the gift of Your very life!  
The Gift of a lifetime, that's what You gave! Your life as an offering, my life to save!  
Turning my song of tears to an anthem of praise For the Gift that You gave!  
I'll lift this anthem of praise for the Gift that You gave – the Gift of a lifetime!*

## **Children's Church Lesson & Prayer**

### **Pastoral Prayer**

**\*Hymn:** No. 230 – *Thou Who Wast Rich Beyond All Splendor*

*Frank Houghton*

### **PREACHING HIS WORD**

**Scripture:** *Jonah 4:1-11*

### **Prayer for Illumination**

**Sermon: “ANGRY ENOUGH TO DIE”**

*Pastor Roff*

### **Prayer for Divine Blessing**

### **GOING FORTH TO SERVE**

**\*Hymn:** No. 218 - *Angels, from the Realms of Glory*

*James Montgomery*

### **\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude:** *Now Thank We All Our God (Mrs. Carol DeMonaco)*

*Robert J. Hughes*

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