Prelude | The Blood Will Never Lose It's Power (Andrae Crouch)

Welcome | Milla Nieminen

Call to Worship | Psalm 92

Leader: It is good to praise the Lord and make music to your name, O most high.

All: To proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night, to the music of the

ten-stringed lyre and the melody of the harp.

Song of Praise | A New Song (Psalm 40)

You brought me out of the miry clay, planted my feet you direct my way Given my heart reason to rejoice and unto you will I lift my voice

You did not ask me for sacrifice; Your precious blood, it has paid the price I am delivered from sin and death, I worship you Lord with every breath

You have put in my mouth a new song, a song of praise for all you've done You have put in my mouth a new song, my life will sing it all day long

# Song of Praise | Forever

Give thanks to the Lord, Our God and King, His love endures forever

For He is good He is above all things, His love endures forever; Sing praise sing praise

With a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, His love endures forever

For the life that's been reborn, His love endures forever; Sing praise sing praise sing praise

Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong Forever God is with us, forever forever

From the rising to the setting sun, His love endures forever And by the grace of God we will carry on, His love endures forever Sing praise sing praise, sing praise sing praise [chorus]

Sing praise sing praise; Sing praise sing praise

Sing praise sing praise; Sing praise sing praise [chorus]

### **Prayer of Adoration** (concluded by the 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

#### Doxology

All ye who are of tender heart, forgiving others take your part. O praise him Alleluia Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, praise God and on him cast your care O praise him O praise him Alleluia Alleluia Alleluia

Let all things their creator bless and worship him with humbleness. O praise him, Alleluia Praise praise the Father praise the Son and praise the spirit Three in One O praise him O praise him Alleluia Alleluia Alleluia

### Prayer of Confession (in unison)

God of grace, you love us, but we have not loved you. You call, but we have not listened. We walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped up in our own concerns. By our actions and our attitudes we praise what you condemn. Help us to admit our sin, so that as you come to us in mercy we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.

### Words of Encouragement | Heidelberg Catechism 18

And who is this mediator — true God and at the same time truly human and truly righteous? Our Lord Jesus Christ, who was given us to set us completely free and to make us right with God.

# Song of Praise | Near the Cross

Jesus keep me near the cross; There a precious fountain Free to all a healing stream flows from Calv'ry's mountain

In the cross in the cross be my glory ever Till my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river

Near the cross a trembling soul, love and mercy found me There the Bright and Morning Star sheds its beams around me [chorus]

Near the cross O Lamb of God bring its scenes before me Help me walk from day to day with its shadows o'er me [chorus]

Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hoping trusting ever Till I reach the golden strand just beyond the river [chorus]

#### **Commission and Release Milla Nieminen**

**Greeting & Announcement** | Livestream update: Starting Sep 12 we will post a recorded video of our service Sunday evenings instead of a simultaneous livestream.

## Scripture Reading | Psalm 100

- <sup>1</sup> Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!
- <sup>2</sup> Serve the Lord with gladness!

Come into his presence with singing!

- <sup>3</sup> Know that the Lord, he is God!
  - It is he who made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

<sup>4</sup> Enter his gates with thanksgiving,

and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

<sup>5</sup> For the Lord is good;

his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Sermon | We Are His preached by Rev. Joel Kady

Closing Song | Goodness of God I love You Lord, oh Your mercy never fails me All my days I've been held in Your hands From the moment that I wake up, until I lay my head I will sing of the goodness of God

All my life You have been faithful; All my life You have been so so good With every breath that I am able; I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice, You have led me through the fire In darkest night You are close like no other I've known You as a father, I've known You as a friend I have lived in the goodness of God [chorus]

Bridge: Your goodness is running after, it's running after me Your goodness is running after, it's running after me With my life laid down I'm surrendered now I give You everything Your goodness is running after, it's running after me [chorus]

## **Benediction & Dismissal**

Minister: Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

All: Thanks be to God!

Postlude | In the Cross (Crosby/Doane)