Order of Worship

What does love look like? It has the hands to help others. It has the feet to hasten to the poor and needy. It has eyes to see misery and want. It has the ears to hear the sighs and sorrows of men. That is what love looks like.

Saint Augustine

Welcome & Announcements

** Praise & Worship Hymn Sing/Forever

Passing of the Peace

Time with Children Rev. Sylina Kidd

Call to Worship Mike Castoro

How shall we live in the love of God?

We will treat one another with fairness and dignity.

How shall we witness God's forgiving love?

We will reach out others with compassion.

Come, let us worship God who has always loved us.

Let our worship of God be reflected in our lives of hope and peace. AMEN.

Prepare for Worship

They will know we are Christians by our love

**Opening Prayer Congregation

Lord, we come this day to worship and thank you for the many ways you guide our lives. We ask that our hearts, our ears, and our spirits may be open to your healing words of love. In Jesus' Name, we pray. AMEN.

Words of Assurance

Mike Castoro

O Lord, we wait for you, and in your Word we trust. By the power of your Spirit, set our hearts and minds on the source of life and peace: Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Scripture

Romans 13:8-14

⁸ Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for whoever loves others has fulfilled the law. ⁹ The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery," "You shall not murder," "You shall not steal," "You shall not covet," and whatever other command there may be, are summed up in this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself." ¹⁰ Love does no harm to a neighbor. Therefore love is the fulfillment of the law.

¹¹ And do this, understanding the present time: The hour has already come for you to wake up from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. ¹² The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light. ¹³ Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in carousing and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and debauchery, not in dissension and jealousy. ¹⁴ Rather, clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the flesh.

Sermon – I'll Love You If You Love Me

Rev. Sylina Kidd

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Congregation

Our Father, which 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 them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, The power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

Time of Giving with Doxology

Congregation

Offertory Music

Time of Communion

** Song of Response

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

** Prayer of Benediction

Rev. Sylina Kidd



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