

Order of Worship
February 21st 2021 ~ 1st Sunday of Lent

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements, and Peace

Call to Worship

After he was baptized by John,
Jesus went by himself to the wilderness
where he was tempted.

**Forty days in the desert, Jesus was tempted
to become relevant, spectacular, and powerful.**

Today, we begin to journey with Jesus through the season of Lent,
which brings us to face some of our own weaknesses and temptations.

**Let us worship God and walk the journey together,
seeking the spirit as our guide and companion along the way.**

Amen.

– written by Chris Heckert

Hymn of Praise

Refiner's Fire

Verse 1

Purify my heart
Let me be as gold
And precious silver
Purify my heart
Let me be as gold
Pure gold

Chorus

Refiner's fire
My heart's one desire
Is to be holy
Set apart for You Lord
I choose to be holy

Set apart for You my Master
Ready to do Your will

Verse 2

Purify my heart
Cleanse me from within
And make me holy
Purify my heart
Cleanse me from my sin
Deep within

Chorus

Refiner's fire
My heart's one desire

Is to be holy
Set apart for You Lord
I choose to be holy
Set apart for You my Master
Ready to do Your will

Chorus

Refiner's fire
My heart's one desire
Is to be holy
Set apart for You Lord
I choose to be holy
Set apart for You my Master
Ready to do Your will

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Opening Prayer

Lent calls us to journey, this and every day,
following Jesus wherever he leads us. Lent calls us to worship together,
to tell future generations the good news.
Lent calls us to practice justice,
to bring God's hope to all people. Lent calls us to faithful living,
to trust the One who gives us life.
Lent calls each of us to take up our cross,
to trust the One who bears it with us. Lent calls us to journey with God.
Let us worship God, who walks with us,
this and every day. **Amen.**

~ written by Thom Shuman

Special Music

Beauty in the Scars

Nancy Frideres, Mallory Even & Maria Nichta

Scripture Reading

Marion Garrett, Reader

Mark 1:9-15

9In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. 10And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. 11And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased." 12And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. 13He was in the wilderness forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.

14Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, 15and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Realign – Part 1

Turning Things Around

Senior Pastor Robert de Wetter

Pastoral Prayer

Prayers of the People

Susan and John Roach, Reader

Offertory

Just As I Am

Charlotte Elliot & William Batchelder Bradbury

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost
Amen

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Communion

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. 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.

Communion Hymn

Change My Heart Oh God

Eddie Espinosa

Chorus

Change my heart oh God
Make it ever true
Change my heart oh God
May I be like You
Change my heart oh God
Make it ever true
Change my heart oh God
May I be like You

Verse

You are the potter
I am the clay
Mold me and make me
This is what I pray

Chorus

Change my heart oh God
Make it ever true
Change my heart oh God
May I be like You

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Eddie Espinosa

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Back Talk

Closing Prayer

Gracious God, draw us close to Your heart. Open our hearts to You. Search our hearts and renew our spirits. Bring us into alignment with your Holy Spirit. Thank you for the work you do in and through us. Teach us your ways. We pray for a deep revelation and understanding of your truth. Guide us this season of Lent as we journey with you Lord Christ.

Amen.

– adapted Helen Barr

Blessing

Postlude

I Turn To Christ

Matt Redman and Jonas Myrin

Our love in action now begins...

Our Sunday School is next...

This Sunday's Special Music is brought to you by Mack Bailey & Michael Schoepe.