



"LET YOUR  
LIGHT

*shine*

BEFORE OTHERS,  
THAT THEY MAY...

*glorify your Father*  
IN HEAVEN."

— Matthew 5:16 —

# Zion Evangelical Church

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March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 – Ash Wednesday

PRELUDES

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

RINGING OF THE BELL

\* CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

from Psalm 32

*Pastor Blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven,*

**People Whose sins are covered.**

*Pastor Blessed is he whose sin the LORD does not count against him,*

**People And in whose spirit is no deceit.**

*Pastor Then I acknowledged my sin to YOU,*

**People And did not cover up my iniquity.**

*Pastor I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD"*

**People And YOU forgave the guilt of my sin.**

*Pastor Rejoice in the LORD and be glad, you righteous;*

**People Sing, all you who are upright in heart! Amen & Amen!**

\* PRAISE HYMN

*"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"*

#578

\* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (responsive)

**Abba FATHER, Forgive me where I have been silent or have covered up my sins. Forgive me now as I come to YOU in the safety & silence of this sanctuary, uncovering my sins to YOU.**

*(please pray in silence)*

**Abba JESUS, I thank & adore YOU for obtaining my Forgiveness with YOUR blood. Abba HOLY SPIRIT, I thank YOU for applying JESUS' Forgiving blood to my soul. For I pray in JESUS' Forgiving Name. Amen!**

\* ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

from 1 John 2:12

*JESUS is the covering for our sins, not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.*

\* RESPONSE

*"Oh, How HE Loves You and Me"*

vs 2 #170

**JESUS to Calvary did go, HIS love for sinners to show.**

**What HE did there brought hope from despair.**

**Oh, how HE loves you; Oh, how HE loves me;**

**Oh, how HE loves you and me.**

INTERCESSORY PRAYER  
OFFERING

\* RESPONSE

*"HE Is Lord"*

#277

**HE is Lord, HE is Lord! HE is risen from the dead, and HE is Lord!**

**Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess, That JESUS CHRIST is Lord.**

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

READING OF GOD'S WORD

Luke 23:32-38 (p 919)

SERMON

*"FATHER, forgive them; for they know not what they do!"*

\* COMMUNION HYMN

*"Break THOU The Bread of Life"*

vs 3 #407

**THOU art the bread of life, O LORD, to me,**

**THY holy Word the truth that saveth me;**

**Give me to eat and live with THEE above;**

**Teach me to love THY truth, for THOU art love.**

\* INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*"Apostle's Creed"*

Hymnal Back Cover

**I believe in GOD the FATHER Almighty Maker of Heaven and Earth. And in JESUS CHRIST, HIS only begotten SON, our LORD: WHO was conceived by the HOLY SPIRIT, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; HE descended into hell; the third day HE rose again from the dead; HE ascended into Heaven, and sits at the right hand of GOD the FATHER Almighty; from thence HE shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the HOLY SPIRIT; the One Holy Universal Christian Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION / THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts and debtors)

Hymnal Back Cover

**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, Amen.**

SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

Grape juice is in the inner ring and wine in the other rings of the communion tray.

Hold the Bread and then the Cup until the Pastor says, *"Take and eat / drink"*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\* COMMITMENT HYMN

*"O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"*

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\* BENEDICTION

Romans 4:7

*Blessed are those whose iniquities are forgiven, and whose sins are covered.*

\* POSTLUDES

