

FIRST CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

SERVICE OF THE WORD

JANUARY 20, 2019

RIPON, CALIFORNIA

"Building a community of people who love Jesus passionately and serve others joyfully"

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

10:00 A.M.

OPENING WORSHIP

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP - Psalm 107:1-3

*OPENING SONGS OF PRAISE: "O God Beyond All Praising"

"How Great Is Our God"

"Amid the Thronging Worshipers"

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*GOD GREETUS US

(PLEASE BE SEATED)

CONFESSION OF SIN AND ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

SONG OF ASSURANCE: "His Mercy Is More"

Children ages 2 ½ through 2nd grade are invited (not required) to gather after this song at the back of the sanctuary for Children's Worship in rooms 1-4, 9 & 11.

BRINGING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERING: Ridge Presbyterian Church - Paradise, CA

OFFERTORY

BRINGING OUR PRAYERS AND PETITIONS

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

HEARING GOD'S WORD

*BIBLE READING: Psalm 40 (p. 594, 553)

MESSAGE: "Testifying of God's Gracious Works"

*RESPONSE: "I Waited Patiently for God"

GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*GOD'S BLESSING

*PARTING PRAISE:

"Great Is the Lord"

POSTLUDE

(*) -- indicates that the congregation stands if able

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Preaching: Rev. Glenn Gerdes

Piano: Alicia Vander Wal

Organ: Roelyn Poot

Vocalists: Lyndsay Schenk, Makayla Sipma,
Ross Van Groningen

Guitars: Chuck Eastham, Eric Graef

Bass: Ted Kramer

Keyboard: Caroline Graef

Percussion: Vance Sipma