



1. O Church, a - rise, and put your ar - mor on; hear the
 2. Our call to war, to love the cap - tive soul, but to
 3. Come see the cross, where love and mer - cy meet, as the
 4. So Spi - rit come, put strength in ev - 'ry stride, give —



call of Christ our Cap - tain. For now the weak can say that
 rage a - gainst the cap - tor; And with the sword that makes the
 Son of God is strick - en; Then see His foes lie crushed be -
 grace for ev - 'ry hur - dle, that we may run with faith to



they are strong in the strength that God has gi - ven.
 wound - ed whole, we will fight with faith and val - or.
 neath His feet, for the Con - quer - or has ris - en!
 win the prize of a ser - vant good and faith - ful.



With shield of faith and belt of Truth, we'll stand a -
 When faced with trials on ev - 'ry side, we know the
 And as the stone is rolled a - way and Christ e -
 As saints of old still line the way, re - tell - ing



gainst the de - vil's lies; An ar - my bold, whose bat - tle
 out - come is se - cure, and Christ will have the prize for
 mer - ges from the grave, this vic - t'ry march con - tin - ues
 tri - umphs of His grace, we hear their calls and hun - ger



cry is love, reach - ing out to those in dark - ness.
 which He died, an in - her - it - ance of na - tions.
 'til the day ev - 'ry eye and heart shall see Him.
 for the day when with Christ we stand in Glo - ry.



TRADITIONAL SERVICE

March 17, 2024 at 9:00am

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
 to all who mourn and long for comfort;
 to all who struggle and desire victory;
 to all who sin and need a Savior;
 to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
 to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
 and to all who will come,
 this church opens wide her doors
 and offers welcome in the name
 of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

Prelude – Barb Carl

Call to Worship - Psalm 118.20-24

Leader: This is the gate of the LORD;

People: the righteous shall enter through it.

Leader: I thank You that You have answered me and have become my salvation.

People: The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

Leader: This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

People: This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Hymn – “The Church’s One Foundation” (401)

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Prayer of Adoration – T.S. Weaver

Profession of Faith –

Heidelberg Catechism, No. 54 - T.S. Weaver

Leader: What do you believe concerning the church?

People: I believe that the Son of God through His Spirit and Word, out of the entire human race, from the beginning of the world to its end, gathers, protects, and preserves for Himself a community chosen for eternal life and united in true faith. And of this community I am and always will be a living member.

Hymn: “O Church Arise” (see back)

Hymn: “All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name” (43)

CORONATION

Special Music (offertory):

Grace Chancel Choir will sing “Adoration”,
music by J. S. Bach and Charles Gounod, words by A. Seiss and
Tom Fettke, arranged by Tom Fettke.

Greeting of Peace – Hebrews 12:2

Leader: Look to Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith,
who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross,
despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of
the throne of God. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And also with you.

Welcome/Announcements/Giving – Brian Piper

Pastoral Prayer/Guest Speaker Introduction – Mark Penley

Sermon – “FAITH FORGIVES” – Dr. Timothy Warren

Closing Prayer – Dr. Warren

Closing Hymn: “Christ Is Made The Sure Foundation” (403)

REGENT SQUARE

Benediction - Numbers 6.24-26

Leader: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make
His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD
lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

People - (with a loud voice!): Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude – Barb Carl