# HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

March 14, 2021



# The Church at Worship

**Prelude** 

The Old Rugged Cross Mary Summerlin, Pianist

**OLD RUGGED CROSS** 

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross, the emblem of suffering and shame; and I love that old cross where the dearest and best for a world of lost sinners was slain.

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross, till my trophies at last I lay down; I will cling to the old rugged cross, and exchange it some day for a crown.

#### Welcome

### **Chiming of the Trinity**

Call to Worship from Psalm 107

Give thanks to the Lord,

for He is good.

Let the redeemed of the Lord say this,

those He redeemed from the hand of the foe.

Some wandered in the desert,

finding no direction for their lives.

Then they cried out to the LORD,

and He delivered them from their distress.

We give thanks to the LORD for His unfailing love,

and His wonderful salvation and deliverance.

**Moment of Silence and Invocation** 

Gospel Reading John 2:13-22

Children's Message

#### **Prayer of Confession and Extinguishing the Fourth Lenten Candle**

Most holy God, Your Son came to love sinners and shine the light of love and hope. As we walk through this season of repentance, we confess our own sinful wanderings. Remind us that Your arms are always open and filled with welcoming joy as You invite us to come home. Give us eyes to see Your presence, ears to hear Your call, and the strength and desire to come home to You. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

#### Pastoral Prayer and 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.

The Scripture in Song

*I Love Thee* Georgia Summerlin, Soloist

I LOVE THEE

I love Thee, I love Thee, my Lord; I love Thee, my Savior, I love Thee, my God: I love Thee, I love Thee and that Thou dost know; but how much I love Thee my actions will show.

Oh, who's like my Savior? He's Salem's bright King; He smiles and He love me and helps me to sing: I'll praise Him, I'll praise Him with notes loud and clear, while rivers of pleasure my spirit shall cheer.

## **Old Testament Reading**

Exodus 20:1-17

Message

Reformers?

Benediction

**Postlude** 

I Gaze upon the Wondrous Cross Mike Bunch, Soloist

**DELORES** 

I gaze upon the wondrous cross, on which my Savior bled and died, my greatest prize I count as loss and all I speak is merely pride.

Refrain: I thank my Lord for all He gave, it came with pain and with great loss. For all the world He came to save, Lord, keep my eyes on Calvary's cross. If all the earth and sky were mine, it would be such a gift too small. For Christ's great love is more divine, and it demands my life, my all. Refrain.

Thanks to Mary & Georgia Summerlin and Mike Bunch for sharing their musical talent with us this morning!