

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen."

***Communion Hymn No. 202** *'Amazing Grace'* (verses 1-2, 4)

Communion

***Doxology** Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Dedication of Offering**

***Dismissing Hymn No. 228** *'Rejoice, the Lord is King'*

***Benediction**

***Benediction Response No. 213** *'Because He Lives'* (refrain)

Postlude *'Love Divine, All Lives Excelling'* ~ Zundel

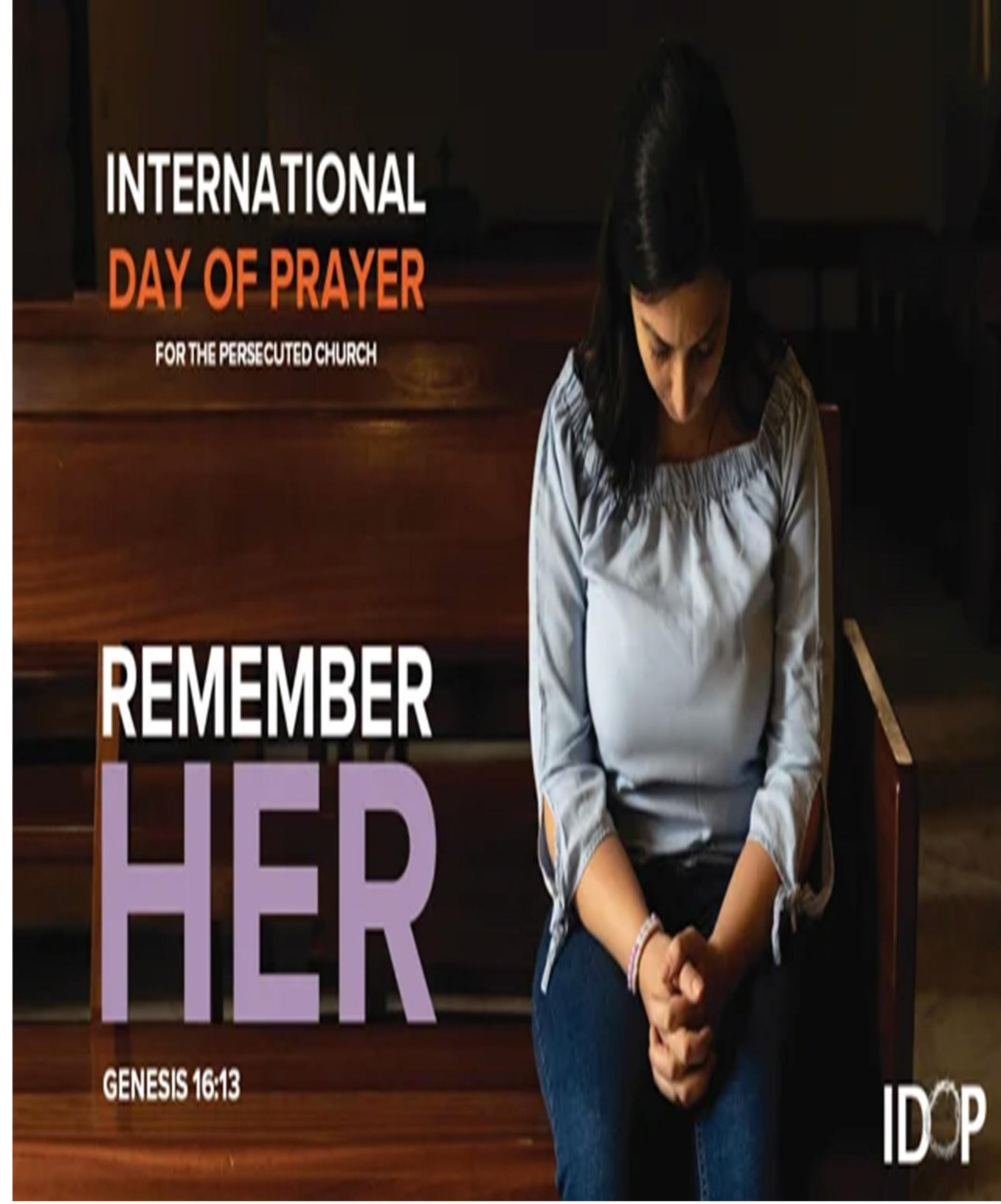
We're glad you joined us for worship today! We invite you to place your financial tithes and offerings in the basket in the back of the sanctuary before or following service. Thank you for placing the Bibles, hymnals and attendance books back on the chairs. Thank you.

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International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church

We welcome you to the worship of God Almighty this Lord's Day. It is our intention to bring glory and honor to Him. God enters our time of worship and we remember this time belongs to Him. Your Worship Commission

*Please stand, if you are able.
Nursery for children infant to 4 yrs. old is available upstairs in the Christian Education Wing (please see Usher for directions)

Meditation

“He is no fool who gives what he cannot keep to gain that which he cannot lose.” ~ Jim Elliot

Westminster Chimes and Announcements

(During announcements, we ask members and visitors to please sign the Friendship Register and pass it on. Send them back down your row so you can note who is worshipping with you today. We invite visitors to give us your complete address.)

Opening Prayer

Prelude ‘Take My Life and Let It Be’ ~ Malan

***Call to Worship** Andy Sutton, Lay Assistant

Leader: Shout for joy to the Lord all the earth.

People: Worship the LORD with gladness come before him with joyful songs.

Leader: Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us and we are his

People: we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise give thanks to him and praise his name.

People: For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations

***Praise and Worship** ‘Drenched in Love’
‘Come, Now Is the Time to Worship’

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (In unison)

Lord God Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, your ways are above our ways as the heavens are higher than the earth. You have given us the church as a model for how we should live, yet too often the people of the church act more like the people of the world. Please forgive us for not carrying out the mission of your church. Change us and fill us with your Spirit so that we can be gracious to our church families. Help us bring peace and unity to the church. Give us hearts to love those within the church, wherever they may be so that we can effectively carry your love to the world.... (silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

***Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, 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 sitteth on 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 Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Scripture Readings

1 Kings 3:5-15

Lg. print #524/ pew #238
Lg. print/New ed. #472

Matthew 20:20-28

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~
People: Thanks be to God ~

Lg. print #1530/ pew #697
Lg. print/New ed. #1502

Sermon

‘Service Above Self’

Rev. Mark Simonds