



CALVARY

Reformed Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship

March 22, 2020

WORDS OF WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 40:3

He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the Lord.

INVOCATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 40

PREPARATION FOR CONFESSION

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, Bearer of our sins, have mercy on us. Jesus, Redeemer of the world, grant us peace. Amen.

Agnus Dei, the oldest known Christian prayer, quoted in Confessions of Sin and Assurances of Pardon – A Pocket Resource

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 8:38-39

For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON

Certain Hope in Uncertain Times
Psalm 46

Jeff Ferguson

1. **God (1):** God is our refuge and strength
2. **Though (2-3):** Therefore we will not fear
3. **Glad (4-5):** God is in the midst of her
4. **Nations (6-7):** The kingdoms totter
5. **Works (8-9):** Behold the works of the Lord
6. **Still (10-11):** Be still and know that He is God

CONFESSION OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism Question 1

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

BENEDICTION