

CENTERING

GATHERING MUSIC *"There Is a Balm"* (P. Choplin)
 "What Wondrous Love Is This" (J. Lucas)

WELCOME

Rev. Beau Underwood

CALL TO WORSHIP (*Ministry Matters*)

Sandy Robinson

One: How shall we sing the Lord's song in a land of suffering?

All: We shall sing of courage and the strength of the Lord.

One: How shall we sing the Lord's song when we feel so lonely?

All: We shall sing of unity and faithfulness, of reconciliation and hope.

One: Come, let us sing the Lord's song this day.

All: Let us praise God in all our ways forever.

SONG *"Sing Wherever I Go"*

FCC Worship Team

OPENING PRAYER / LORD'S PRAYER (*The Lorica of St. Patrick*)

ENCOUNTERING

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 137

SONG *"No Matter What"*

FCC Worship Team

SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 22:21

SERMON / PASTORAL PRAYER "People of Exile"

RESPONDING

SONG *"Who You Say I Am"*

CONGREGATION

VERSE

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me?

I was lost, but He brought me in; oh, His love for me.

Oh, His love for me.

CHORUS Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.

VERSE

Free at last, He has ransomed me; His grace runs deep.

While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me. Yes, He died for me.

CHORUS Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.
In my Father's house is a place for me.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.

BRIDGE

I am chosen, not forsaken. I am who You say I am.

You are for me, not against me. I am who You say I am. I am who You say I am.

CHORUS Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.
In my Father's house is a place for me.
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You are for me, not against me. I am who You say I am.
Oh, I am who You say I am. Yes, I am who You say I am.

CHORUS Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.
In my Father's house is a place for me.
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CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION / WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION / PARTAKING

Patty Osman, elder

SONG

"Call It Grace"

CONGREGATION

VERSE

It's the light that pierces through you to the darkest hidden place.
It knows your deepest secrets, but it never looks away.
It's the gentle hand that pulls you from the judgment of the crowd
when you stand before them guilty and you've got no way out.

CHORUS Some may call it foolish and impossible,
but for every heart it rescues it's a miracle.
It's nothing less than scandalous, this love that took our place;
just call it what it is – call it grace.

VERSE

It's the breath that's breathing new life into what we thought was dead.
It's the favor that takes orphans placing crowns upon their heads.
It's the hope for our tomorrows, the rock on which we stand.
It's a strong and mighty fortress even hell can't stand against.

CHORUS Some may call it foolish and impossible,
but for every heart it rescues it's a miracle.
It's nothing less than scandalous, this love that took our place;
just call it what it is – call it grace.

BRIDGE

Amazing, unshaking, this is grace; this is grace.
Amazing, unshaking, this is grace; this is grace.

CHORUS Some may call it foolish and impossible,
but for every heart it rescues it's a miracle.
It's nothing less than scandalous, this love that took our place;
Just call it what it is – call it grace.

SENDING

BENEDICTION

SONG

"What a Friend"

CONGREGATION

VERSE:

Everybody has trials and temptations.
Everybody has heartbreak, isolation.
But we can lay our burdens down, lay our burdens down.

CHORUS: What a friend we have in Jesus.
East to west my sins are gone.
I see grace on every horizon,
and forever and ever His heart is my home.

VERSE:
Everybody has fears. Everybody got worries.
Everybody knows sorrow, devastation.
But we can lay our burdens down, lay our burdens down.

CHORUS: What a friend we have in Jesus.
East to west my sins are gone.
I see grace on every horizon,
and forever and ever His heart is my home.

BRIDGE:
No more betrayal for He is faithful. He fills me up and my cup runneth over.
No more betrayal for He is faithful. How He has proven it over and over. *(repeat bridge)*

CHORUS: What a friend we have in Jesus.
East to west my sins are gone.
I see grace on every horizon,
and forever and ever His heart is my home. *(repeat chorus)*

THE FLOWERS TODAY ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF BARB MILLER GIVEN BY JON MILLER

WITH THANKS TO – Musicians: Curtis Sudduth, vocals; David Jordan and Jim Wells, guitar; Hunter O'Donnell, bass; Dana Johnson, drums; Gretchen Huedepohl, keyboard Tech team: Jeff Huedepohl, sound; Bobbi Enslin, camera; Rev. Sarah Kingsbery, Zoom room; Blair Johnson, Facebook

CALENDAR NOTES:

TODAY 10:00AM Worship with us at [facebook.com/fccjcmo](https://www.facebook.com/fccjcmo) or on Zoom
11:00AM Friendship Class meets in our Zoom Room <https://zoom.us/j/2202286773>
1:00PM Congregational Meeting via Zoom <https://zoom.us/j/2202286773>
3:00PM OR 6:45PM Lenten Journey w/Matthew 4:1-11

Tuesday, Mar. 16 12:00PM Food Pantry, FCC Family Life Center – *Volunteers welcome!*
5:30PM Worship Committee Meeting in the Youth Room

Wednesday, Mar. 17 5:30PM *The Love That God Is Webinar* <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88625072978>
7:30PM Jubilant Sound Handbell Practice

Thursday, Mar. 18 10:00AM Prayer Call [freeconferencecall.com](https://www.freeconferencecall.com)
Call (712) 775-7270 and enter access code 444928 to join the conference call.
11:00AM OR 5:45PM Bible Study on Zoom <https://zoom.us/j/2202286773>

If you would like to receive our weekly church emails, contact us at office@firstchristianjcmo.org



Please take a moment to let us know you are worshiping with us this morning by going to [firstchristianjcmo.org/connection](https://www.firstchristianjcmo.org/connection) or scanning this QR code with your phone. Thank you!