

Order of Worship
Communion Sunday Service

August 2, 2026, 10:00 A.M.

“Two Conversion Stories”

By: Pastor Joy Matos

PRELUDE: Silent Meditation (Contemplative Music)

MEDITATION PRAYER: Romans 10:14-15

¹⁴ How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? ¹⁵ And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

CALL TO WORSHIP: Congregation in BOLD

P: All the nations you have made will come and worship before you, O Lord.

C: They will bring glory to your name.

P: For you are great and do marvelous deeds; You alone are God.

C: Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise.

ALL: His greatness no one can fathom.

HYMN: B#395 “In Christ There Is No East or West”

PRAYER OF INVOCATION: (Please speak slowly)

O Lord our God, we lift our hearts and voices to You with praise and adoration, for You alone are worthy of all glory and honor. We come before You with humble and grateful hearts, seeking Your mercy and grace. Forgive our sins, dear Lord, and wash us clean in Your love. Fill us anew with Your Holy Spirit and draw us closer to You each day. May our lives reflect Your love as we serve You faithfully. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.

CALL TO PRAISE

(Congregation in bold)

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up unto the Lord.

O Lord, open Thou our lips.

And our mouths shall show forth Thy
praise.

GLORIA PATRI *(Sung in unison)*

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. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING: Acts 8:4-13, 26-31, 34-35

SERMON: “Two Conversion Stories” Pastor Joy

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION (PASTOR)

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING: ALL

Lord Jesus, we thank You for the wondrous gift of the cross, where mercy flowed, and our sins were washed away. In You, we are made new, blessed with abundant life. Shape us into faithful vessels of Your love and grace in the world. In Your precious name, we pray. Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN: G#344 “Grace Greater Than Our Sin”

OFFERTORY INVITATION:

Lord, help us to be as generous in our giving as you have been generous in giving to us. (Ushers Will Pass The Collection Plates)

DOXOLOGY: #515 (Red Hymnal)

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

OFFERTORY PRAYER: (PASTOR)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: (PLEASE SPEAK LOUDLY)

A TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER:

PASTORAL PRAYER:

THE LORD’S PRAYER: (ALL PLEASE SPEAK SLOWLY)

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom. the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

MUSICAL RESPONSE: (MUSICAL INTERLUDE)

CLOSING HYMN: B#393 “Blessed Be the Tie That Binds Us”

BENEDICTION: (IN UNISON & HOLD HANDS)

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us. Amen.

POSTLUDE: (CONTEMPLATIVE MUSIC)