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BY HIS WOUNDS
WE ARE HEALED



THE WOUNDS OF DISHONORING AUTHORITY

March 25, 2020

RINGING OF THE BELLS

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

OPENING SONG:

“At The Cross (Love Ran Red)”

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the (+) Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen**

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

P Let us confess our sins in the presence of God and of one another.

C **Most merciful God, we confess to you that we have broken your commandments by our own thoughts, words, and deeds. We have not loved our brothers and sisters as we ought, and we have not cared for your creation. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us, and give us the healing power of our love that we may walk again in your ways and live to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P God is gracious and merciful, and he desires that we be made free of the burden of our sins. Through Jesus Christ, who bore the cross for our sake and for the sake of the whole world, there is healing, hope, and life. Your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father, and of the (+) Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Exodus 20:12

SECOND READING: Ephesians 6:1-4

HOLY GOSPEL: St. John 19:12-16

SERMON SONG

“There Is A Redeemer”

MESSAGE

OFFERING and ACT OF FRIENDSHIP

Please indicate if you are a member or visitor in the Rite of Friendship books and if you will be joining us for Holy Communion. We would love to follow up with you if you are visiting, so please leave us a means to contact you.

PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG

“In Christ Alone”

Please keep the following people in our prayers: Helen Prochnow, Martin Hannemann, Sharon Kramer, Sandy Hass, Lyle & Sandy Royce for medical healing, Pastor Ken, Kaye Schade and the Misoni family for medical concerns, Brad Peck, Lutheran Churches in Africa.