

As the Deer Pants for the Waters

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1. ¹As the deer pants for the wa - ters, pants my soul for you, O God.
 2. ⁴In my grief I still re - mem - ber how I led the hap - py throng
 3. ⁶From the land be - yond the Jor - dan, I re - mem - ber you in prayer,
 4. ⁸In the day, the LORD shows mer - cy; he com - mands his stead - fast love.
 5. ¹⁰As a blow that breaks my bod - y, all my foes are taunt - ing me.

²For my God my soul is thirst - y, thirst - ing for the liv - ing God.
 to the house of God for feast - ing, filled with shouts and joy - ful songs.
 • from Mount Mi - zar and Mount Her - mon, when my soul is in de - spair.
 In the night, his song is with me, as I pray to God, my life.
 All day long their words as - sault me; "Where's your God?" they say with glee.

When shall I, O God of grace, come and stand be - fore your face?
⁵O my soul, why so cast down? Why so trou - bled in me now?
 • ⁷At your wa - ter - falls' great roar deep calls out to deep once more.
⁹Then to God, my rock, I plead: "Why have you for - got - ten me?"
¹¹O my soul, why so cast down? Why so trou - bled in me now?

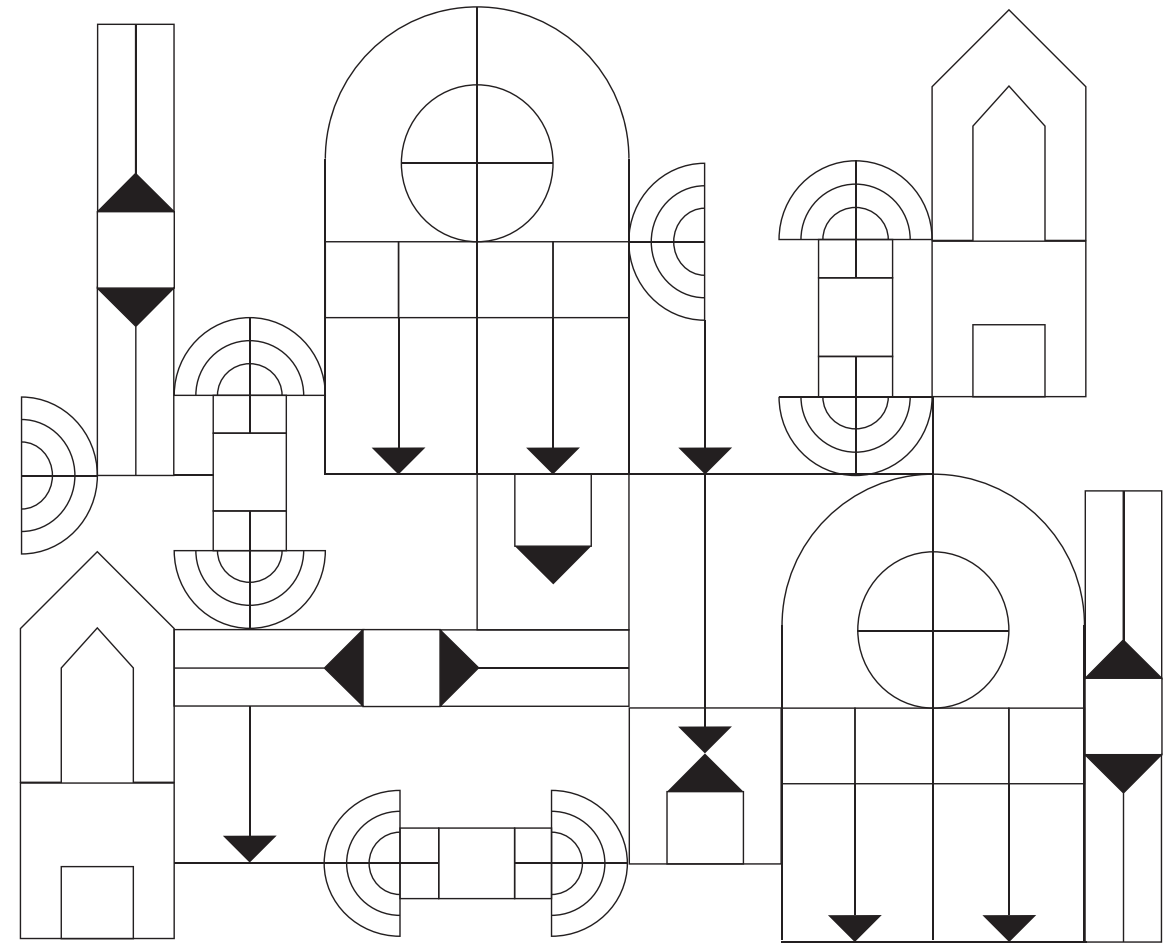
³Day and night my tears sus - tain me; "Where's your God?" they say to shame me.
 Hope in God, for I shall praise him; he's my God and my sal - va - tion.
 • All your break - ers crash a - gainst me; o - ver - whelm - ing waves op - press me.
 Why must I con - tin - ue weep - ing while my life my foes are seek - ing?"
 Hope in God, for I shall praise him, he's my God and my sal - va - tion.



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"I Have Sinned"

2 SAMUEL 12:1-31



A CHURCH IN MIDTOWN OMAHA OF MANY STORIES UNITED
 TOGETHER AS ONE BODY IN CHRIST.

ORDER OF SERVICE

CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 46:8-11

Leader: Come, behold the works of the LORD, how he has brought desolations on the earth.

All: He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow and shatters the spear; he burns the chariots with fire.

Leader: "Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!"

All: The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Selah.

♪ **A Mighty Fortress is Our God (TH 92)**

CALL TO CONFESSION: Psalm 51:1-6

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me. Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being, and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart.

CORPORATE CONFESSION

Almighty God and most Merciful Father, all-wise, all-powerful, and all-seeing, Whose eyes run to and fro throughout the whole earth — You have searched us and known us and You discern our thoughts from afar. In searching us, would You show us any grievous way within us, help us to agree with You about the grievousness of our sin, and then renew us in the hope of the gospel. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Psalm 32:1-5

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Selah. I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. Selah.

♪ **All Glory Laud And Honor (TH 253)**

SCRIPTURE READING: Acts 15:1-35

♪ **How Great Thou Art (TH 44)**

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