



the open door ~ praise & worship service
...in a religion born in a barn, an open door goes without saying

09.07.16 • 7:00 pm

welcome & announcements

song "Come, Now Is the Time to Worship"

prayer of invocation

song "Your Love Is Deep"

prayers of the people

scripture reading "Luke 14:25-33" (NRSV)

The Cost of Discipleship

²⁵ Now large crowds were traveling with him;

and he turned and said to them,

²⁶ "Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother,
wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes,
and even life itself, cannot be my disciple.

²⁷ Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.

²⁸ For which of you, intending to build a tower,
does not first sit down and estimate the cost,
to see whether he has enough to complete it?

²⁹ Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish,
all who see it will begin to ridicule him,

³⁰ saying, 'This fellow began to build and was not able to finish.'

³¹ Or what king, going out to wage war against another king,
will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand
to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand?

³² If he cannot, then, while the other is still far away,
he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace.

³³ So therefore, none of you can become my disciple
if you do not give up all your possessions.

This is the restructuring Word of God to the followers of Christ!

Thanks be to God!

children's moment

"Do Over"

reflection

"Carry Our Cross"

song

"Potter's Hand"

presentation of the offerings

holy communion

anthem

"God Of This City"

dance party with Jesus

"Everybody Praise The Lord"

benediction & passing the peace

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