

March 11, 2018

Lead: Andrew Redel

SERMON: "It Is Better" 1 Peter 3:18-22

THE PASSAGE SHAPES THE SERVICE,
PETER'S AIM IS THAT TRUTH OF
VS BEING "IN CHRIST" WOULD
GIVE US GREAT CONFIDENCE
TO BUILD AND BLESS.

Preparation

(08:50/10:35) Prelude
(09:00/10:45) Songs of Praise
"In Christ Alone"
"To God Be the Glory"

PSALM 86 CHARGES US TO
CALL ON GOD IN TIMES OF DISTRESS.

(09:06/10:51) Announcements (Stand)
(09:08/10:53) Call to Worship: Psalm 86 Robert Campbell, Paul Bautts

THE CALL SOUGHT TO
OPEN THE HEARTS OF
SUFFERERS AND SET
HOPE IN CHRIST ALONE.

Adoration

(09:11/10:56) Songs of Adoration
"I Will Sing of My Redeemer"
"Overcome"
"We Will Feast in the House of Zion"

SONGS SING HOPE OF
REDEMPTION IN CHRIST
INTUS SORROWFUL HEARTS.

(09:20/11:05) Prayer and Offering: Robert Campbell, Paul Bautts

Exhortation

Dismiss Children
(09:23/11:08) Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22 Dianna Reed; Laura Groff
(09:25/11:10) Sermon: "It Is Better" 1 Peter 3:18-22

WE MAY BE SUFFERING,
BUT WHAT WE HAVE IN
CHRIST IS BETTER THAN
WHAT WE'VE LOST.

Dedication

(10:00/11:45) Communion: Robert Campbell
(10:10/11:55) Songs of Dedication
"Christ Arose"
"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

(10:15/12:00) Benediction: 1 Thess. 5:23-24 Robert Campbell

FINAL CHARGE =
1. CHRIST IS OUR ADVOCATE
2. APPEAL TO HAVE
CONFIDENCE.

COMMUNION LED TO

BREAD = CHRIST OUR SUBSTITUTE - HE DIED FOR US.

CUP = CHRIST OUR VICTORY - HE CONQUERED DEATH.

BLESSING ASSURED US
OF GOD'S PROMISE
TO BE FAITHFUL
TO SANCTIFY US.

OPENING SONGS DIRECT OUR
HEARTS TO THE DEATH OF
CHRIST AS EXPIATING FOR US.

PRAY FOR US TO SEEK CHRIST
A "BETTER"
PRAYER FOR OUR SUFFERING ONES