**Morning Order of Worship**

Mother’s Day

May 8, 2016—9:30 AM

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship—Psalm 100:2

\*God’s Greeting and Our Mutual Greetings

\*Opening Song of Worship

HWC #18 (1, 2, 4)—*Come, We That Love the Lord*

*(The Sunday School children are invited forward during the singing of the last verse to prepare for their Ministry of Music.)*

Ministry of Music—*Sunday School Medley*

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS AND GIFTS TO THE LORD

Congregational Prayer

Offering for the General Fund

(After the offering, the organist will play, *Jesus Loves Me*, and the children are then invited forward for the Children in Worship Dismissal)

Children in Worship Dismissal (Ages 3-5)

The Blessing—**Congregation—The Lord be with you.**

Children—And also with you.

**HEARING THE WORD OF THE LORD**

\*Song of Preparation

PH # 587 vss. 1, 3, 4 (alt. tune: #425)—*O God in Heaven*

Scripture: Proverbs 23:22-25 (page 638)

Message: ***Better than Hallmark***

Prayer of Application

\*Hymn of Application

HWC #536—­*Happy the Home When God Is There*

**CELEBRATING THE LORD’S SUPPER**

The Lord’s Supper Formulary

Distribution of the Bread

Distribution of the Cup

Prayer of Thanksgiving

**LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD**

\*God’s Parting Blessing

\*Doxology

PH #628—*Praise God, You Angels Hosts Above*

\*Postlude

**Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Rev. Ron De Young

Organist: Sharon Machiela

Trumpets: Steve Gerritsma, Barb Nagelkerk

Ministry of Music: Sunday School Children

*\*Please Stand*