**Morning Order of Worship**

February 26, 2017—9:30 AM

### REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude

Welcome

\*Call to Worship—based on Psalm 116:13,17

Let us lift up the cup of salvation

and call on the name of the Lord.

**We have come to give thanks**

**and praise the name of our God.**

\*God’s Greeting

\*Opening Song of Worship

HWC #512 vs. 1, 4, 5—*My Savior’s Love*

## APPROACHING THE LORD

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance—Psalm 32:1-5

Ministry of Music—*King of Glory*

Congregational Prayer

Offering for the Building Debt Reduction 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.

**LISTENING TO THE LORD**

\*Song of Preparation

Screen—*Ancient Words*

Scripture: Nehemiah 8:1-12 (page 476)

Message: ***How Can We Benefit from the Bible?***

(Series: Living By the Living Word)

Prayer of Application

\*Hymn of Application

PH #500 vs. 1, 2, 5—*How Firm a Foundation*

### LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

\*God’s Parting Blessing

\*Doxology

Screen—*We Receive Your Blessing*

\*Postlude

#### **Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Riddle

Organist: Amy Wallenburg

Ministry of Music: Becky Vander Pol, Kathryn Zeinstra

*\*Please Stand*