

**Heal me O Lord,
and I will be healed;
save me and I will be
saved.
For you are the one I
praise.**

Jeremiah 17:14



**Lord,
Hear Our
Prayer**

**Service of Healing
October 4, 2015**

“Bible Centered, Christ Focused”

Within each of us lies the longing for God. Our goal is to provide a welcoming place to find peace with God, through careful study of His word with hearts focused on its ultimate hope, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We are united by His Spirit to provide a safe and positive community of faith - a spiritual family - serving our Lord.

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Welcome

Hymn “There is a Balm in Gilead” #501

Refrain:

There is a balm in Gilead To make the wounded whole;
There is a balm in Gilead To heal the sin sick soul.

1. Sometimes I feel discouraged, And think my work’s in
vain,
But then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again.

Refrain

3. Don't ever feel discouraged, Cause Jesus is your friend,
And if you lack for knowledge, He'll never fail to lend.

Prayer of Invocation – Seeking God’s Presence

Affirmation of God’s Care

L: “Father, Lord of heaven and earth, to you we offer praise; for what you have hidden from the learned and the clever you have revealed to the merest of children. You have graciously willed it so. No one knows the Son but the Father, and no one knows the Father but the Son—and anyone to whom the Son wishes to reveal him.

P: “Come to me, all you who are weary and find life burdensome, and I will refresh you. Take my yoke upon your shoulders and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble of heart. Your souls will find rest, for my yoke is easy and my burden light.” (*Matthew 11:25-30*)

Blessing of Oil

God of all consolation,
you chose and sent your Son to heal the world.
Graciously listen to our prayer of faith:
Send the power of the Holy Spirit, the Consoler,
into this precious oil, this soothing ointment,
this rich gift, this fruit of the earth.
Bless this oil and sanctify it for our use.
Make this oil a remedy for all who are anointed with it;
heal them in body, in soul, and in spirit,
and deliver them from every affliction.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen

ANOINTING

Through this holy anointing
may the Lord in his love and mercy
help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Invitation to Receive Prayer *(see back of bulletin)*

Laying on of Hands and Anointing of Oil

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Invitation to Receive Prayer

- ◆ through the Laying on of Hands
- ◆ And/or the anointing of oil

Please come forward in an orderly fashion
Being respectful of those before you

When it is your turn, please step forward

The Pastor will ask your need for prayer

Note, if your prayer need is personal simply state:

“It is an unspoken request”

(God knows the deepest needs of our heart)

The Pastor and Elders will then place their hands upon you and while the Pastor prays aloud the Elders will pray silently. You will also notice others sitting in pews who are also at prayer especially for you.

You may be handed a “Comfort Cross” to hold during your time of prayer. If you would like to have this cross you only need to ask and one will be provided along with a velvet pouch.

After the prayer you may resume your place and pray for others who have come in need for prayer.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

