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## worship as communal exchange

Trinity God renews us, and we respond

### called to come in

*God comes near and calls His people out of the world, and takes hold of us and brings us into the community of Himself.*

*I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

we hear – Psalm 63:1-4

we respond – *Jesus What A Friend of Sinners*

### confessing our sin

*God the Spirit reminds us that God the Father has saved us through the righteous life and sacrificial death of Christ the Son – and in faith we rest on his gracious interest to renew us yet again.*

we hear – from Ephesians 6:12, Romans 8:35-39

we confess – adapted from Romans 7:18-25

we rest – *God Be Merciful to Me*

declaration – Ephesians 5:2

### new members, greeting & announcements

*3yrs-5th grade go out to a kids experience of Word, worship and small groups.*

### consecrated by the Word

*God declares the finished gospel of his Son, and continues his powerful, internal work of change/consecration by his Spirit.*

we hear – Confidence of His Coming

I John 2:28-3:3 • Dave Royes

Black (NIV) Bible page 863 • Blue (ESV) Bible page: 1022

we respond – *I Will Sing Praise to God*

*Be Thou My Vision\**, Offering

### compelled to go out

*God blesses us and charges us go out and extend his kingdom into the broken world around us, making disciples of all nations*

benediction – Romans 8:31

### questions for further discussion

Why is it important to remember our 'sonship' in suffering?

What might it look like to long to see Jesus?

I John 2:28-3:3

## Confidence of His Coming

Dave Royes

### outline

#### 1. Jesus is coming: Abide in Him

→ Practice righteousness (vs. 29)

#### 2. Jesus is coming: Endure like Him

a. Expect \_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 1)

b. Remember \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 2)

#### 3. Jesus is coming: Long for Him

