

Always in Your Presence

R. Cox and K. Crunk

On the path through life, You are there with me.
Even when the way is dark, You will keep me safe.
In your shelt'ring arms I find my rest in You.

Always in Your presence, day by day, and hour by hour.
Always in Your presence, even when I'm unaware;
that You who walk beside me, never fail and never hide.
Always in Your presence, always evermore.

All I want is You. All I need is You.
On this journey of the heart, I am confident.
Thankful from the start, I find my rest in You.

Always in Your presence, day by day, and hour by hour.
Always in Your presence, even when I'm unaware;
that You who walk beside me, never fail and never hide.
Always in Your presence, always evermore.

Closer to me than I am to myself.
Sometimes hidden, never secret.

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Welcome

to Salem Evangelical Reformed Church, Hellers



Hard-Hearted Mark 8:14-21

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And I will give them one heart, and a new spirit I will put within them. I will remove the heart of stone from their flesh and give them a heart of flesh, that they may walk in my statutes and keep my rules and obey them. And they shall be my people, and I will be their God.
Ezekiel 11:19-20

Welcome and Announcements

Ringling of the Bell

We Gather to Glorify God

Prelude

*Call to Worship - Psalm 77:11-15

Leader: I will remember the deeds of the Lord; yes, I
will remember your wonders of old.

People: **I will ponder all your work, and meditate on
your mighty deeds.**

Leader: Your way, O God, is holy. What god is great like our
God?

People: **You are the God who works wonders; you
have made known your might among the peoples.**

All: **You with your arm redeemed your people, the
children of Jacob and Joseph.**

*Opening Hymn *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing (104)*

*Opening Prayer

*All those who are able, please stand.

We Gather to Grow in the Spirit

Scripture Reading: Psalm 1

Musical Offering *Always In Your Presence*
- Keira H & Carolyn McLain

Hymn of the Month *He Will Hold Me Fast (388)*

New Testament Reading: Ephesians 4:17-24

Our Prayers

Hymn of Preparation: *Take My Life and Let It Be (375)*

The Message: "Hard-Hearted"
Mark 8:14-21 - Dr. Sam Harbin

We Go Into the World with the Gospel of Jesus Christ

*Closing Hymn *Wonderful, Merciful Savior (162)*

*Benediction

*Postlude

Guest Preacher—Dr. Sam Harbin
Music Director—Carolyn McLain
Organist—Dave Andrews
Worship Leader—Mark Steller

Offerings may be placed in the offering box at the back of the sanctuary.

If you're new today, welcome! We'd love if you could fill out the
visitor card in the pew rack and drop it in the offering box on your way out.