

The Broken Heart
from *Valley of Vision*

Leader: O LORD, no day of my life has passed that has not proved me guilty in your sight.

People: Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart; Praise has been often praiseless sound; My best services are filthy rags. Blessed Jesus, let me find shelter in your appealing wounds.

Leader: Though my sins rise to heaven your merits soar above them; Though unrighteousness weighs me down to hell, your righteousness exalts me to your throne.

People: All things in me call for my rejection, all things in you plead my acceptance.

Leader: I appeal from the throne of perfect justice to your throne of boundless grace.

People: Grant me to hear your voice assuring me: that by your stripes I am healed, that you were bruised for my iniquities, that you were made sin for me that I might be righteous in you, that my grievous sins, my manifold sins, are all forgiven, buried in the ocean of your concealing blood.

Leader: I am guilty, but pardoned; lost, but saved; wandering, but found; sinning, but cleansed.

All: Give me perpetual broken-heartedness. Keep me always clinging to your cross. Flood me every moment with descending grace. Open to me the springs of divine knowledge, sparkling like crystal, flowing clear and unsullied through my wilderness of life.

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Welcome



Salem Helleners

Lancaster, Pennsylvania—Founded 1725

Jesus & the Thirsty Outcast
John 4

February 1, 2026



Salem Evangelical Reformed Church, Hellers

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*“O Lord, the hope of Israel, all who forsake you shall be put to shame;
those who turn away from you shall be written in the earth,
for they have forsaken the Lord, the fountain of living water.”*
Jeremiah 17:13

Welcome and Announcements

Ringling of the Bell

We Gather to Glorify God

Prelude *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say*
(text can be found in *Hymns of Grace* #147)
—Natalie Bennett

Silent Prayer Preparing our hearts for worship

***Call to Worship** *Doxology* (#440)

Opening Prayer

***Opening Hymn** *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* (#425)

***Prayer of Confession** “The Broken Heart” from *Valley of Vision*
(see back of bulletin)

We Gather to Grow in the Spirit

***Hymn of Response** *Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy* (#391)

Scripture Reading Jeremiah 31:31-34 (pew Bible page 784)

Musical Offering *Come Lonely Heart* —Carolyn McLain
(text can be found in *Hymns of Grace* #395)

*Worshippers, please stand if physically able.

Pastoral Prayer

The Message

Sermon Series—Encounters with Jesus

Jesus and the Thirsty Outcast

John 4 (pew Bible page 1056) —Scott Johnston

We Gather at the Lord’s Table

Communion Meditation and Invitation

Service of the Elements

*We celebrate an open communion. All who believe in Jesus Christ
as Lord and Savior are invited to the Lord’s Table.
The tray contains both white grape juice and red wine.*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

We Go Into the World with the Gospel of Jesus Christ

***Hymn of Devotion** *All the Way My Savior Leads Me* (#172)

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Worship Leader—Margaret Sensenig

Director of Music—Carolyn McLain | Organist—David Andrews

If you’re new today, welcome! Please fill out a visitor’s card
(in the pew rack) and drop it in the offering box.
Offerings may be placed in the offering boxes by the doors.
You can also text SH to 717-807-5656 or scan this QR code.



Sunday School at 11:15 AM—All Welcome!

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| Upstairs | Age 3—7 | Loving Jesus |
| Upstairs | Age 8—12 | Listening to Jesus |
| Upstairs | Age 13—18 | Digging Deeper (Westminster Catechism) |
| Berean Room | Adults | Sermon Discussion |