January 6, 1962

First Baptist Church
Sioux Falls, South Dakota

Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'Clock

“"I am the Alpha and the Omega, " says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.”

THE DWELLING OF GOD IS WITH MEN
Organ Prelude—“The March of The Magi Kings” .............................................. Dubois
Call to Worship
Processional Hymn—“How Firm a Foundation, Ye Saints of the Lord”.......... 406
Invocation
Lord’s Prayer and Gloria

HE WHO HAS EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR
Reading of the Holy Scriptures—Revelation 4
Choral Call to Prayer
Pastoral Prayer
Choral Response
Vocal Solo—“He That Dwelleth in the Secret Place”................................. MacDermid
Kurtis Horn, baritone

PRAISE GOD, ALL YOU HIS SERVANTS
Christian Greetings
Receiving Our Tithes and Offerings
Organ Offertory—“The Three Kings” ............................................................. Strauss
Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

“BEHOLD, I STAND AT THE DOOR AND KNOCK”
Anthem—“Magnificat” .................................................. Stanford

My soul doth magnify the Lord and my spirit hath rejoiced
in God my Saviour.
For He hath regarded the lowliness of His handmaiden.
For behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me Blessed.
For He that is mighty hath magnified me and holy is His name.
And His mercy is on them that fear Him throughout all generations.
He hath shewed strength with His arm;
He hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.
He hath put down the mighty from their seat,
And hath exalted the humble and meek.
He hath filled the hungry with good things,
And the rich He hath sent empty away.
He, remembering His mercy, hath holpen His servant Israel,
As He promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed forever.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be:
World without end. Amen.

Sermon by Pastor Fredrikson—“The Power of Worship”

“BEHOLD, I MAKE ALL THINGS NEW”
Hymn of Dedication and Decision—“Take Time To Be Holy”..................... 346
Benediction
Choral Response
Postlude

*First Service Only  **Second Service Only  ***Ushers may seat latecomers

This morning Pastor Fredrikson will greet folks at the main door and Pastor Babcock at the side door.
The Service this morning over KELO is sponsored by The Greenlee Packing Co.
EVENING SERVICE
7:30 P.M.

Prelude
Fellowship Singing
Greetings and Announcements
Singing a Hymn
Scripture—Mark 2: 1-12
Call to Prayer
Prayer
Prayer Response
Receiving the Offering
Special Music
Evening Meditation by Pastor Fredrikson—“Forgiveness and Healing”
Hymn of Invitation—“Under His Wings”
Postlude

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, 4:30 p.m.—Junior High Choir Rehearsal
5:15 p.m.—Youth Supper in Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m.—Youth Groups
7:00 p.m.—Membership Class in Library
8:15 p.m.—Hi Fi

MONDAY, 3:30 p.m.—Brownies in Youth Room
  7:00 p.m.—Explorers in Youth Room
  7:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts in Parlor

TUESDAY, 9:00 a.m.—Women’s Bible Study
  10:00 a.m.—XYZ in Parlor
  4:00 p.m.—Brownies in Youth Room
  6:45 p.m.—Webelos in Youth Room
  7:00 p.m.—Church Calling

WEDNESDAY, 6:45 a.m.—Men’s Bible Study
  4:30 p.m.—Junior Choir Rehearsal
  6:15 p.m.—Fellowship Supper in Fellowship Hall
  7:00 p.m.—Senior High Choir Rehearsal
  7:00 p.m.—Midweek Prayer Service
  8:15 p.m.—Leader’s Learning Hour in Parlor—Children’s Workers

THURSDAY, Noon—Trustees at YMCA
  1:00 p.m.—Junior Philathes in Parlor
  7:00 p.m.—Scouts in Youth Room
  7:30 p.m.—Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, 6:45 a.m.—Men’s Bible Study at YMCA

CHURCH STAFF

Ministers:
Dr. Roger L. Fredrikson..............Pastor
Rev. Albert H. Babcock..........Christian Education
Rev. James E. Rowe.................New Life

Secretaries:
Miss Winifred Jones..............Financial
Miss Margaret Clark..............Pastor’s Assistant
Mrs. Clarence Anderson..........Church

Musicians:
Dr. Lee Bright....................Director
Dr. Maynard Berk..................Organist
Mr. Harold Wortman..............Youth
Miss Lois Harchanko..............Children

Hostess:
Mrs. Vera Fredrikson

Sextons:
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ysbrand
Mr. Lamont Reichelt
The Power of Worship

Our Beginning This Year

1. Their theme one of vision, life and power.
2. Prepare to preach the Word of God with all the power and clarity I can muster.
3. Turn to Revelation - Book of Great Triumph written out of bitter persecution.

The Author biographical Statement: See Introduction

1. "I, John, your brother, who share with you in Jesus the tribulation and the kingdom and the patient endurance, was on the island called Patmos.
   - The hard cruel death of love.
   - Aged disciple, John, banished to Patmos.
   - His Fellow islanders.
   - Thus I John, from the fellowship of Christians love, common worshiping.
   - Abandoned to loneliness to die and bleach on the rocks.
   - A void of a despised and hated group.

2. "I was in the Spirit on the Lord's Day"
   - God Spirit breathing on the iron lance.
   - God breathing in of the living Son of God."
The Voice Like a Trumpet
The Opening of the Eyes of Faith
And All Is Transformed Into God's Activity
The Whole Course of History Is Seen Only to March to the Glorifying Cherished Whole of God.

Hymn to A Bowl of Worship
1. A Great Holy Vision
2. Life Is Gathered Up
3. All Creation Becomes A Song Of Praise
   - Holy, Holy, Holy
   - Amen and Hallelujah
In the Middle of Chaos – The Throne of God

1. The Tremendous Chaos
   - The Apocalypse of Great Nations.
     - Like a raging sea, storm after storm,
     - Monsters cast themselves up from the deep
     - Four with eagle, wing, bear and
     - Man and four-winged leopards all
     - Mixed up in a mighty man.
   - The Terrifying Plagues and Death.
     - Vial after vial poured one and
     - Awful suffering.
   - Consider our Own Time
     - Fascism & State – Capitalism
     - Atomic Warfare
     - Finally, a monster with iron
     - Teeth and Tatalitarian Might –
     - Imperialist Communism
   - Always, the False Messiah
     - The Number and the Organization
     - And the Whirlwind, Falsification
2) Put the Throne of God
- The throne of God omnipotent began as of old.
- There is a throne above the reign of nations.
- The moment of destiny has arrived when He opens the vials.
- All creation worship, and the time of peace and love has arrived.

3) Do we Not Need His Throne In Our Lives
- For Suffering, for Chaos, for Mean, we make.
- The great need for a healing, rest, vision.
The Unveiling of Jesus Christ

1. Not as the Suffering Jesus
   - As the Living Jesus, The Carpenter of Nazareth, in The Dying on the Cross.
   - Vexed in Tears and Suffering.

2. But as Jesus in His Majesty
   After the Resurrection, And The Ascension
   "I fell at His Feet as though dead." - The Triumphs: Lord of all Creation.
   - The One Who Is, The Affairs of Nations.
   - The One Who Will Defeat Evil and The Unjusticed.

3. Have We Seen Christ Like This?
   - Have Our Eyes Been Opened by the Cross?
   - So That He Has Become Lord of Our Lives With Home, for Daily Life.
   - His Demands, Blessings Of Me.
The Great Company of the Spirit

10 The Glorious Wonder of His Company

- Four and Twenty Elders
- The Voice of Many Angels, Myriads of Myriads
  Thousands and TenThousands,
- All creative in Heaven and Earth, Under
  The earth and in The Sea,
- A Great Multitude Which No Man Could
  Number, from every Nation from all Tribes
  and Peoples and Tongues, Standing before
  The Throne and Before the Lamb, Clothed
  in White robes with Palm Branches in
  Their Hands and Crying Uniting Loud Voice

These are They Who Have Come Out of Great Tribulation; They Have Washed Their Robes and Made Them
White in The Blood of The Lamb.

2 The Song of His Great Multitude.

- Joy and Triumph
- The Music of The Wedding Feast.
The Meaning of Our Fellowship Today

- The Christians in Assam, India, and that from certain countries where the churches were closed.
- Communion near New Year's Eve or on a home.
- The Amsterdam Assembly, "Him to The Victor, Victor, conqueror alone."

The Theme of Our Worship

(1) Amen
   - Designation — Do the G.
   - Resolution — U will u do!

(2) Hallelujah
   - Praise
   - Redemption
Forgiveness and Healing

1. The Crowd Gathered Near Jesus Abound
   - The religious leaders
     - God and Helen "You've Got to Show Us"
     - Need listening and hearing.

2. A Man I Brought
   - Just a man, unnamed & unknown.
   - Great need
     - Lonely and helpless.
     - We have many in this category.

3. The Great Faith of the Beavers
   - Did they get to them?
   - Was the man unbearable to have around?
   - Retarded, self-centered
   - Yet they are motivated.
   - They bring the man down in the front of the lines.
- How many things would we accomplish if we dare believe?
- Schopenhauer, World as Will and Idea.
- These mean we dare heroes.
2. The Man’s Great Need is Spiritual.
   - What A Place to Begin?
     - Here we begin by noting men.
     - We have great programs of peace,
     - Housing, - but without changing
     - the man.
   - Who Can Do This And You?
     - Only God can open his heart towards us.
     - Only God can take the full price of sin.
     - The Basis of this is Faith.

5. Now Jesus Heals, the Man
   - Hea Weakeners of the Man.
   - Now we respond.
     - uptake, cry and plants for home.

6. This is vested on the Authority of Jesus
   - His Authority, Her Movement.
ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 3, 1962

Prelude

Call to Worship — — — — — — — — — — Sherry Day

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Hymn -- "The Church's One Foundation" — — 48

Scripture -- John 3: 1-16 — — Roger Fredrikson

Call to Prayer (Organ)

Pastoral Prayer — — — — — — — — — — Sherry Day

Receiving the Offering — — — — — — — — Sherry Day

Doxology

Prayer of Consecration — — — — — — — — — — Sherry Day

Hymn -- "Thine Is The Glory" — — — — — — — — 21

Sermon — — — — — — — — — — — — Roger Fredrikson

Hymn -- "Breathe On Me, Breath Of God" — — — 41

Benediction — — — — — — — — — — — — Roger Fredrikson

Postlude