

THE LORD'S DAY – JUNE 16, 2024

"Living Waters"

by Kristyn Getty and Ed Cash

Are you thirsty Are you empty Come and drink these living waters Tired and broken Peace unspoken Rest beside these living waters

Christ is calling Find refreshing At the cross of living waters Lay your life down All the old gone Rise up in these living waters

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CALL TO WORSHIP - From Psalm 48

Leader: Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised in the city of our God!

People: His holy mountain, beautiful in elevation, is the joy of all the earth, Mount Zion, in the far north, the city of the great King.

Leader: Within her citadels God has made himself known as a fortress.

People: As we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God, which God will establish forever.

Leader: We have thought on your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of your temple.

People: Let Mount Zion be glad! Let the daughters of Judah rejoice because of your judgments!

Leader: Walk about Zion, go around her, number her towers, consider well her ramparts, go through her citadels —

All: that we may tell the next generation that this is God, our God forever and ever. He will guide us forever!

"The Lamb Has Overcome"

by Luke Morton

The Lamb has overcome
The Lamb has overcome
The battle's done
And the victory is won
For the Lamb has overcome

No grave could hold him down
No grave could hold him down
Up from the ground
He is risen was the sound
No grave could hold him down

At God's right hand is he
At God's right hand is he
Our Perfect Plea
How he lives to intercede
At God's right hand is he

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Glory be unto his name
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Glory be unto his name

The table now is spread
The table now is spread
The wine and bread
Broken body and blood shed
The table now is spread

The day is drawing near
The day is drawing near
He shall appear
And will wipe away each tear
The day is drawing near

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"The Church's One Foundation"

Words: Samuel J. Sloan

Music: "Aurelia" by Samuel Wesley

The church's one Foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord; She is His new creation, By water and the Word.

From heaven He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

Elect from every nation,
Yet one over all the earth,
Her charter of salvation,
One Lord, one faith, one birth.

One holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder Men see her sore oppressed, By schisms rent asunder, By heresies distressed,

Yet saints their watch are keeping;
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.

O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace that we,
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with Thee.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Ezekiel 47:1-9

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty and merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you and one another in both our actions and our inactions. We recognize that in Jesus Christ our light has come, yet often we choose to walk in shadows and ignore the light.

Gracious God, forgive our sins and remove from us the veil of darkness that shrouds our lives. Illumined by your Word and sacraments, may we rise to the radiance of Christ's glory. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Minister: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: The maker of heaven and earth!

Minister: O Lord, open our lips,

People: And our mouths will declare Your praise!

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

"Whate'er My God Ordains is Right"

by Catherine Winkworth, Mark Altrogge, and Samuel Rodigast

Whate'er my God ordains is right
In His Love I'm abiding
I will be still in all He does
And follow where He's guiding

He is my God though dark my road
He holds me that I shall not fall
And so to Him I leave it all
And so to Him I leave it all

Whate'er my God ordains is right
He never will deceive me
He leads me by the proper path
I know He will not leave me

I take content what He has sent
His Hand can turn my griefs away
And patiently I wait His day
And patiently I wait His day

Whate'er my God ordains is right
Here shall my stand be taken
Though sorrow, need, or death be mine
Yet I am not forsaken

My Father's care circles me there
He holds me that I shall not fall
And so to Him I leave it all
And so to Him I leave it all

Whate'er my God ordains is right
Though now this cup in drinking
Bitter it seems to my faint heart
I take it all unshrinking

My God is true each morn anew Sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart And pain and sorrow shall depart And pain and sorrow shall depart

GREETING

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

Leader: Let us share His peace with one another.

Children may leave for lesson (ages 4-6).

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

As the leader directs, the congregation is invited to pray for those for whom they are burdened.

Pray aloud and by name or silently if you prefer.

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Revelation 21:9 - 22:5

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

"No Night There"

by Hart P. Danks

In the land of fadeless day
Lies the city four-square;
It shall never pass away,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

All the gates of pearl are made, In the city four-square; All the streets with gold are laid, And there is no night there. God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

And the gates shall never close
To the city four-square;
There life's crystal river flows,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

There they need no sunshine bright,
In that city four-square;
For the Lamb is all the light,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

CELEBRATING COMMUNION

Minister: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you!

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Wine is in the outer circles of cups; the inner circle contains grape juice. Gluten-free bread is in its own tray.

As the usher directs, please come forward one row at a time to pick up your cups.

Please hold your elements until all are served so that we may all partake together, as one body.

"O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"

by Hans Leo Hassler, Paul Gerhardt, and Travis Cottre O sacred Head, now wounded
With grief and shame weighed down
Now scornfully surrounded
With thorns, Thine only crown

O sacred Head, what glory
What bliss till now was Thine
Yet, though despised and gory
I joy to call Thee mine

What Thou, my Lord has suffered Was all for sinners' gain Mine, mine was the transgression But Thine the deadly pain

Lo here I fall, my Savior
'Tis I deserve Thy place
Look on me with Thy favor
Vouchsafe me to Thy grace

What language shall I borrow
To thank Thee, dearest Friend
For this Thy dying sorrow
Thy pity without end

O make me Thine forever And should I fainting be Lord, let me never, never Outlive my love to Thee

CELEBRATING COMMUNION

THE SENDING - Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

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