

THE LORD'S DAY – JULY 28, 2024

"O Worship The King"

by Johann Michael Haydn, Lani Smith, and Robert Grant

O worship the King all glorious above, O gratefully sing His power and His love; Our shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise. O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.
His chariots of wrath
the deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold, Almighty, your pow'r has founded of old; Established it fast by a changeless decree, And round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

We children of dust are feeble and frail, In You do we trust, for You never fail; Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end, our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

CALL TO WORSHIP - From Psalm 46

Leader: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

People: Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.

Leader: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.

People: God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns.

Leader: The nations rage, the kingdoms totter; he utters his voice, the earth melts.

People: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Leader: "Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!"

All: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

"Build My Life"

by Brett Younker, Karl Martin, Kirby Kable, Pat Barrett, and Matt Redman Worthy of every song we could ever sing Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe We live for You

Jesus the name above every other name
Jesus the only one who could ever save
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for You
We live for You

Holy there is no one like You There is none beside You Open up my eyes in wonder And show me who You are And fill me with Your heart And lead me in Your love to those around me Worthy of every song we could ever sing Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe We live for You

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Holy there is no one like You There is none beside You Open up my eyes in wonder And show me who You are And fill me with Your heart And lead me in Your love to those around me I will build my life upon Your love
It is a firm foundation
I will put my trust in You alone
And I will not be shaken

Holy there is no one like You There is none beside You Open up my eyes in wonder And show me who You are And fill me with Your heart And lead me in Your love to those around me

"Hast Thou Heard Him, Seen Him, Known Him?"

by Ora Rowan (alt. K Twit) and Joel Littlepage

Hast thou heard Him, seen Him, known Him?
Is not thine a captured heart?
Chief among ten thousand own Him,
Joyful choose the better part.

Captivated by His beauty,
Worthy tribute haste to bring.
Let his peerless worth constrain thee,
Crown Him now unrivaled King.

What can strip the seeming beauty
From the idols of the earth?
Not a sense of right or duty,
But the sight of peerless worth.

Captivated by His beauty,
Worthy tribute haste to bring.
Let his peerless worth constrain thee,
Crown Him now unrivaled King.

'Tis that look that melted Peter,
'Tis that face that Stephen saw,
'Tis that heart that wept with Mary,
Can alone from idols draw.

Captivated by His beauty,
Worthy tribute haste to bring.
Let his peerless worth constrain thee,
Crown Him now unrivaled King.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 16:1-9

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

CONFESSION OF SIN

Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone.

[Silent Confession]

As we remember the lavish gift of your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. 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!

"There is a Fountain"

Words: William Cowper

Music: Karl Digerness

There is fountain filled with blood Drawn from Emmanuel's veins; And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains

Lose all their guilty stains,
Lose all their guilty stains;
And sinners plunged beneath that flood
Lose all their guilty stains.

The dying thief rejoiced to see

That fountain in his day;

And there may I, though vile as he,

Wash all my sins away

Wash all my sins away,
Wash all my sins away;
And there may I, though vile as he,
Wash all my sins away.

Dear dying Lamb, Thy precious blood Shall never lose its power 'Til all the ransomed church of God Be saved to sin no more

Be saved to sin no more,
Be saved to sin no more;
'Til all the ransomed church of God
Be saved to sin no more.

E'er since by faith I saw the stream
Thy flowing wounds supply,
Redeeming love has been my theme,
And shall be 'til I die;

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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

Joshua 1:1-9

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

SONG FOR THE TABLE

"I Will Follow"

by Jon Guerra and Jacob Sooter

When the sea is calm and all is right When I feel Your favor flood my life Even in the good I'll follow You Even in the good I'll follow You

When the boat is tossed upon the waves
When I wonder if You'll keep me safe
Even in the storms I'll follow You
Even in the storms I'll follow You

I believe everything that You say You are
I believe and I have seen Your unchanging heart
In the good things and in the hardest part
I believe and I will follow You
I believe and I will follow You

When I see the wicked prospering
When I feel I have no voice to sing
Even in the want I'll follow You
Even in the want I'll follow You

When I find myself so far from home
And You lead me somewhere
that I don't wanna go
Even in my death I'll follow You
Even in my death I'll follow You

I believe everything that You say You are
I believe and I have seen Your unchanging heart
In the good things and in the hardest part
I believe and I will follow You
I believe and I will follow You

When I come to end this race I've run

And I receive the prize that Christ has won

I will be with You in Paradise

I will be with You in Paradise

I believe everything that You say You are
I believe and I have seen Your unchanging heart
In the good things and in the hardest part
I believe and I will follow You
I believe and I will follow You

CELEBRATING COMMUNION

CONFESSION OF FAITH - "The Apostles' Creed"

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell;

the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead;

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen. 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.

"Jesus Messiah"

by Daniel Carson, Ed Cash, Chris Tomlin, and Jesse Reeves He became sin, who knew no sin
That we might become, His righteousness
He humbled Himself, and carried the cross
Love so amazing, love so amazing

Jesus Messiah Name above all names Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel The Rescue for sinners The Ransom from heaven Jesus Messiah, Lord of all

His body the bread, His blood the wine
Broken and poured out, all for love
The whole earth trembled and the veil was torn
Love so amazing, love so amazing

Jesus Messiah Name above all names Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel The Rescue for sinners The Ransom from heaven Jesus Messiah, Lord of all

All our hope is in You
All our hope is in You
All the glory to You, God
The Light of the world

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CELEBRATING COMMUNION

THE SENDING - 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.

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Your bountiful care what tongue can recite?

It breathes in the air; it shines in the light;

It streams from the hills; it descends to the plain;

And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

O measureless Might! Ineffable Love! Whom angels delight to worship above! Your ransomed creation, with glory ablaze, In true adoration shall sing to Your praise!



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