

Hymn of Response:

Who has held the oceans in His hands?
Who has numbered every grain of sand?
Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

Refrain

**Behold our God seated on His throne
Come, let us adore Him
Behold our King! Nothing can compare
Come, let us adore Him!**

Who has given counsel to the Lord?
Who can question any of His words?
Who can teach the One Who knows all things?
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?

Refrain

Who has felt the nails upon His hands
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man?
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus, Savior risen now to reign!

Refrain

Benediction:

Behold, Our God

Numbers 6.24-26

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We exist to love God and love others.

**We strive to do this by gathering for worship,
growing together in grace, and going out to speak
and show the Gospel**

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

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While Jesus is representing me in heaven, may I reflect him on earth,

While he pleads my cause, may I show forth his praise.

Call to Worship

Leader: Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!

**People: How unsearchable are his judgments and
How inscrutable his ways**

Leader: "For who has known the mind of the Lord,
Or who has been his counselor?"

People: Or who has given a gift to him that he might be repaid?"

Leader: For from him and through him and to him are all things.

People: To him be the glory forever. Amen.

Leader: Let's worship the Lord!

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn of Entrance

Immortal, invisible God only wise
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes
Most holy, most glorious the ancient of days
Almighty, victorious Your great name we praise

Unresting, unhasting and silent as light
Not wanting or wasting You rule us in might
Your justice like mountains high soaring above
Your clouds which are fountains
Of goodness and love

Chorus

**Most Holy, Most glorious / The Ancient of Days
Almighty, victorious / Your great name we praise**

All life comes from You Lord to
Both great and small
In all life you live Lord, the true life of all
We blossom and flourish, but quickly grow frail
We wither and perish, but You never fail.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light
Your angels adore you all veiling their sight
All praise we will render oh Father of grace
Till one day in splendor we see face to face.

Your Great Name We Praise

Conviction of the Gospel:

John 4.23-24

[Jesus said], "But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth."

Confession of Sin:

Comfort of the Gospel:

John 12.23-24

And Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit."

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 145.1-21

Sermon:

Defiant Praise for Distressing Times

Profession of Faith:

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 4. What is God?

God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.

Q. 1. What is the chief end of man?

Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever.

Prayer of Intercession:

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.