

**MORNING WORSHIP CELEBRATION**

*The Lord's Day*

**June 19, 2022**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Welcome & Announcements: Pastor Jeff Birch**

**Prelude: Mrs. Lindsay Lipscomb**

*Come Christians, Join to Sing*

**Call to Worship: Psalm 149:1-2**

**The Invocation**

**Hymn of Praise**

***O Worship the King***

O worship the King all glorious above,  
O gratefully sing his pow'r 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;  
Has 'stab-lished it fast by a changeless decree,  
And round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

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 distils in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
In you do we trust, nor find you to fail;  
Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

O measureless Might! Ineffable Love!  
While angels delight to hymn you above,  
The humbler creation, though feeble their lays,  
With true adoration shall lisp to your praise.

## Confession of Sin

## Song of Praise

### *Great Is the Lord*

Great is the Lord, he is holy and just;  
By his power we trust in his love.  
Great is the Lord, he is faithful and true;  
By His mercy he proves he is love.

Great is the Lord and worthy of glory!  
Great is the Lord and worthy of praise!  
Great is the Lord! Now lift up your voice,  
Now lift up your voice: Great is the Lord!  
Great is the Lord!

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Great is the Lord, he is faithful and true;  
By his mercy he proves he is love.

Great are You, Lord, and worthy of glory!  
Great are You, Lord, and worthy of praise!  
Great are You, Lord, I lift up my voice,  
I lift up my voice: Great are You, Lord!  
Great are You, Lord!

## The Lord's Prayer & Pastoral Prayer

**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.**

## Giving of Tithes and Offerings

## Offertory: Russ & Jan Murray

### *Touch Your People Once Again*

*Arranged by Tom Fettke*

## Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Sermon Series: Romans: Why the Church?**  
**Sermon Text: Genesis 11:27-12:9 (ESV)**  
**Sermon Title: The Missional Call**

*<sup>27</sup> Now these are the generations of Terah. Terah fathered Abram, Nahor, and Haran; and Haran fathered Lot. <sup>28</sup> Haran died in the presence of his father Terah in the land of his kindred, in Ur of the Chaldeans. <sup>29</sup> And Abram and Nahor took wives. The name of Abram's wife was Sarai, and the name of Nahor's wife, Milcah, the daughter of Haran the father of Milcah and Iscah. <sup>30</sup> Now Sarai was barren; she had no child. <sup>31</sup> Terah took Abram his son and Lot the son of Haran, his grandson, and Sarai his daughter-in-law, his son Abram's wife, and they went forth together from Ur of the Chaldeans to go into the land of Canaan, but when they came to Haran, they settled there. <sup>32</sup> The days of Terah were 205 years, and Terah died in Haran.*

***12** Now the LORD said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. <sup>2</sup> And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. <sup>3</sup> I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." <sup>4</sup> So Abram went, as the LORD had told him, and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran. <sup>5</sup> And Abram took Sarai his wife, and Lot his brother's son, and all their possessions that they had gathered, and the people that they had acquired in Haran, and they set out to go to the land of Canaan. When they came to the land of Canaan, <sup>6</sup> Abram passed through the land to the place at Shechem, to the oak of Moreh. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. <sup>7</sup> Then the LORD appeared to Abram and said, "To your offspring I will give this land." So he built there an altar to the LORD, who had appeared to him. <sup>8</sup> From there he moved to the hill country on the east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. And there he built an altar to the LORD and called upon the name of the LORD. <sup>9</sup> And Abram journeyed on, still going toward the Negeb.*

- I. The Context of the Call
- II. The Content of the Call
- III. The character of the Call

**Reflection**

*"So, the idea of "missional church" is far from a new idea. If we understand the church from our biblical theology as that community of people chosen and called since Abraham to be the vehicle of God's blessing to the nations, what else can the church be but missional? This is who we are and what we are here for." (Christopher J.H. Wright, The Mission of God's People)*

**Hymn**

***Wondrous King, All-Glorious**  
Wondrous King, all-glorious,  
Sov'reign Lord victorious,  
Oh, receive our praise with favor!  
From thee welled God's kindness*

Though we in our blindness  
Strayed from thee, our blessed Savior.  
Strengthen thou, help us now;  
Let our tongues be singing,  
Thee our praises bringing.

Heavens, spread the story  
Of our Maker's glory,  
All the pomp of earth obscuring.  
Sun, thy rays be sending,  
Thy bright beams expending,  
Light to all the earth assuring.  
Moon and star, praise afar  
Him who glorious made you;  
The vast heavens aid you.

O my soul, rejoicing,  
Sing, thy praises voicing,  
Sing, with hymns of faith adore him!  
All who here have being,  
Shout, your voices freeing,  
Bow down in the dust before him.  
He is God Sabaoth;  
Praise alone the Savior,  
Here and there forever.

Hallelujahs render  
To the Lord most tender,  
Ye who know and love the Savior.  
Hallelujahs sing ye,  
Ye redeemed, oh, bring ye  
Hearts that yield him glad behavior.  
Blest are ye endlessly;  
Sinless there forever,  
Ye shall laud him ever.

## **The Benediction**

## **Postlude**

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