
ORDER OF WORSHIP
AUGUST 11, 2024

CALL TO WORSHIP

Revelation 4:8b, 11

Leader: Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!"

People: Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created."

HYMN OF PRAISE

1. All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and with us sing.
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou, burning sun with golden beam;
Thou, silver moon with softer gleam,

Refrain

O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia!

2. Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness.
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
Refrain

3. All the Redeemed washed by His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love.
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Christ has defeated every sin;
Cast all your burdens now on Him.
Refrain

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

All Creatures of Our God and King

4. He shall return in pow'r to reign.
Heaven and earth will join to say:
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Then who shall fall on bended knee?
All creatures of our God and King!

Ending Refrain

O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia!

*V. 1-2, St. Francis of Assisi,
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- ¹ Then Moses and the people of Israel sang this song to the Lord, saying,
 “I will sing to the Lord, for he has triumphed gloriously;
 the horse and his rider he has thrown into the sea.
- ² The Lord is my strength and my song,
 and he has become my salvation;
 this is my God, and I will praise him,
 my father's God, and I will exalt him.
- ³ The Lord is a man of war;
 the Lord is his name.
- ⁴ “Pharaoh's chariots and his host he cast into the sea,
 and his chosen officers were sunk in the Red Sea.
- ⁵ The floods covered them;
 they went down into the depths like a stone.
- ⁶ Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power,
 your right hand, O Lord, shatters the enemy.
- ⁷ In the greatness of your majesty you overthrow your adversaries;
 you send out your fury; it consumes them like stubble.
- ⁸ At the blast of your nostrils the waters piled up;
 the floods stood up in a heap;
 the deeps congealed in the heart of the sea.
- ⁹ The enemy said, ‘I will pursue, I will overtake,
 I will divide the spoil, my desire shall have its fill of them.
 I will draw my sword; my hand shall destroy them.’
- ¹⁰ You blew with your wind; the sea covered them;
 they sank like lead in the mighty waters.
- ¹¹ “Who is like you, O Lord, among the gods?
 Who is like you, majestic in holiness,
 awesome in glorious deeds, doing wonders?”
- ¹² You stretched out your right hand;
 the earth swallowed them.
- ¹³ “You have led in your steadfast love the people whom you have redeemed;
 you have guided them by your strength to your holy abode.
- ¹⁴ The peoples have heard; they tremble;
 pangs have seized the inhabitants of Philistia.
- ¹⁵ Now are the chiefs of Edom dismayed; trembling seizes the leaders of Moab;
 all the inhabitants of Canaan have melted away.
- ¹⁶ Terror and dread fall upon them;
 because of the greatness of your arm, they are still as a stone,
 till your people, O Lord, pass by,
 till the people pass by whom you have purchased.
- ¹⁷ You will bring them in and plant them on your own mountain,
 the place, O Lord, which you have made for your abode,
 the sanctuary, O Lord, which your hands have established.
- ¹⁸ The Lord will reign forever and ever.”

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 130:3-5

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared. I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I hope.

HYMN OF ASSURANCE

1. What wondrous love is this
O my soul, O my soul?
What wondrous love is this, O my soul?
What wondrous love is this
That caused the Lord of bliss
To bear the dreadful curse
For my soul, for my soul?
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul?

2. When I was sinking down
Sinking down, sinking down
When I was sinking down, sinking down
When I was sinking down
Beneath God's righteous frown,
Christ laid aside His crown
For my soul, for my soul
Christ laid aside His crown for my soul.

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What Wondrous Love is This

3. To God and to the Lamb
I will sing, I will sing.
To God and to the Lamb, I will sing.
To God and to the Lamb,
Who is the great I AM,
While millions join the theme,
I will sing, I will sing
While millions join the theme, I will sing.

4. And when from death I'm free
I'll sing on, I'll sing on.
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on.
And when from death I'm free
I'll sing and joyful be,
And through eternity
I'll sing on, I'll sing on
And through eternity, I'll sing on.

CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Westen Lee Gibson

GLORIA PATRI

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,
from age to age. Amen, amen.

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

CONGREGATIONAL READING

Romans 8:31-34

³¹What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? ³²He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? ³³Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. ³⁴Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 8:12-17

¹² So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. ¹³ For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴ For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons^{of} of God. ¹⁵ For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, “Abba! Father!” ¹⁶ The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

SERMON “Adoption” - Rev. Bryan Rigg

SERMON NOTES

Sunday, August 11, 2024 | Bryan Rigg
“Adoption” | Romans 8:12-17

COLLECTION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

HYMN OF RESPONSE

1. Thy mercy, my God, is the theme of my song,
The joy of my heart and the boast of my tongue;
Thy free grace, alone, from the first to the last,
Hath won my affections and bound my soul fast.
2. Without Thy sweet mercy I could not live here;
Sin would reduce me to utter despair,
But through Thy free goodness my spirits revive
And He that first made me still keeps me alive.
3. Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart,
Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart;
Dissolved by Thy goodness, I fall to the ground
And weep for the praise of the mercy I've found.

SENDING SONG

1. In tenderness He sought me
Weary and sick with sin,
And on His shoulders brought me
Back to His fold again,
While angels in His presence sang
Until the courts of heaven rang.

Chorus

O - o - oh the love that sought me
O - o - oh the blood that bought me
Oh the grace that brought me to the fold of God
Grace that brought me to the fold of God.

2. He died for me while I was sinning
Needy and poor and blind.
He whispered to assure me
"I've found thee; thou art Mine."
I never heard a sweeter voice.
It made my aching heart rejoice.
Chorus

BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL

Minister: Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

People: THANKS BE TO GOD!

Thy Mercy, My God

4. Great Father of mercies, Thy goodness I own
And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son;
All praise to the Spirit, whose whisper, divine,
Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine.
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Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine.

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In Tenderness

3. Upon His grace I'll daily ponder
And sing anew His praise
With all adoring wonder
His blessings I'll retrace.
It seems as if eternal days
Are far too short to sing His praise.
Chorus x2

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