

Sunday, June 15, 2025

Worship Service

Welcome & Call to Worship

Pastor Josh Creason

Isaiah 65:17-19

Leader: For behold, I create new heavens and a new earth, and the former things shall not be remembered or come into mind. But be glad and rejoice forever in that which I create; for behold, I create Jerusalem to be a joy, and her people to be a gladness. I will rejoice in Jerusalem and be glad in my people; no more shall be heard in it the sound of weeping and the cry of distress.

Worship in Song

KING OF GLORY

LIFT UP YOUR GAZE BE LIFTED UP
TELL EV'RYONE HOW GREAT THE LOVE
THE LOVE COME DOWN FROM HEAVEN'S GATE
TO KISS THE EARTH WITH HOPE AND GRACE, SING

WHO IS THIS KING OF GLORY THE LORD STRONG AND MIGHTY WHO IS THIS KING OF GLORY THE LORD STRONG AND MIGHTY

LIFT UP YOUR HANDS BE LIFTED UP LET THE REDEEMED DECLARE THE LOVE AND WE BOW DOWN AT HEAVEN'S GATE TO KISS THE FEET OF HOPE AND GRACE

THERE IS ONE GOD HE IS HOLY THERE IS ONE LORD OVER EV'RYTHING THERE IS ONE KING HE IS JESUS KING OF GLORY STRONG AND MIGHTY THERE IS ONE GOD HE IS HOLY THERE IS ONE LORD OVER EV'RYTHING THERE IS ONE KING HE IS JESUS KING OF GLORY STRONG AND MIGHTY

YOU ARE THE KING OF GLORY THE LORD THE STRONG AND MIGHTY YOU ARE THE KING OF GLORY THE LORD STRONG AND MIGHTY BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVE BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVE I HAVE A STRONG AND PERFECT PLEA A GREAT HIGH PRIEST WHOSE NAME IS LOVE WHO EVER LIVES AND PLEADS FOR ME MY NAME IS GRAVEN ON HIS HANDS MY NAME IS WRITTEN ON HIS HEART I KNOW THAT WHILE IN HEAVEN HE STAND NO TONGUE CAN BID ME THENCE DEPART

WHEN SATAN TEMPTS ME TO DESPAIR AND TELLS ME OF THE GUILT WITHIN UPWARD I LOOK AND SEE HIM THERE WHO MADE AN END OF ALL MY SIN BECAUSE THE SINLESS SAVIOR DIED MY SINFUL SOUL IS COUNTED FREE FOR GOD THE JUST IS SATISFIED TO LOOK ON HIM AND PARDON ME TO LOOK ON HIM AND PARDON ME

NO TONGUE CAN BID ME THENCE DEPART

BEHOLD HIM THERE THE RISEN LAMB
MY PERFECT SPOTLESS RIGHTEOUSNESS
THE GREAT UNCHANGEABLE I AM
THE KING OF GLORY AND OF GRACE
ONE WITH HIMSELF, I CANNOT DIE
MY SOUL IS PURCHASED BY HIS BLOOD
MY LIFE IS HID WITH CHRIST ON HIGH
WITH CHRIST MY SAVIOR AND MY GOD
WITH CHRIST MY SAVIOR AND MY GOD

ONE WITH HIMSELF, I CANNOT DIE
MY SOUL IS PURCHASED BY HIS BLOOD
MY LIFE IS HID WITH CHRIST ON HIGH
WITH CHRIST MY SAVIOR AND MY GOD
WITH CHRIST MY SAVIOR AND MY GOD

HYMN OF HEAVEN

HOW I LONG TO BREATHE THE AIR OF HEAVEN
WHERE PAIN IS GONE AND MERCY FILLS THE STREETS
TO LOOK UPON THE ONE WHO BLED TO SAVE ME

AND WALK WITH HIM FOR ALL ETERNITY

THERE WILL BE A DAY
WHEN ALL WILL BOW BEFORE HIM
THERE WILL BE A DAY
WHEN DEATH WILL BE NO MORE
STANDING FACE TO FACE
WITH HE WHO DIED AND ROSE AGAIN
HOLY HOLY IS THE LORD

AND EV'RY PRAYER WE PRAYED IN DESPERATION
THE SONGS OF FAITH
WE SANG THROUGH DOUBT AND FEAR
IN THE END WE'LL SEE THAT IT WAS WORTH IT
WHEN HE RETURNS TO WIPE AWAY OUR TEARS

AND ON THAT DAY WE JOIN THE RESURRECTION AND STAND BESIDE THE HEROES OF THE FAITH WITH ONE VOICE A THOUSAND GENERATIONS SING WORTHY IS THE LAMB WHO WAS SLAIN FOREVER HE SHALL REIGN

SO LET IT BE TODAY
WE SHOUT THE HYMN OF HEAVEN
WITH ANGELS AND THE SAINTS
WE RAISE A MIGHTY ROAR
GLORY TO OUR GOD
WHO GAVE US LIFE BEYOND THE GRAVE
HOLY HOLY IS THE LORD
HOLY HOLY IS THE LORD
HOLY HOLY IS THE LORD

Community Time Kayli Davis

Giving Kayli Davis

Pastoral Prayer Ruling Elder George Kurz

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your 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 yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Revelation 21:1-8

Pastoral Intern Rob Jones

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place[a] of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people,[b] and God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."

And he who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true." And he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give from the spring of the water of life without payment. The one who conquers will have this heritage, and I will be his God and he will be my son. But as for the cowardly, the faithless, the detestable, as for murderers, the sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars, their portion will be in the lake that burns with fire and sulfur, which is the second death."

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord. **Congregation:** Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Pastoral Intern Rob Jones

The City of God's People

Overcome

Revelation 21-22

The City of God's People Is Holy (21:1-3)

- 2. The City of God's People Is Beautiful (21:4-5, 9-11, 18-23)
- 3. The City of God's People Is Massive (21:6-7, 12-17; 22:1-5)

Are You in This City? (21:8, 24-26; 22:6-21)

Song of Response

CHRIST IS MINE FOREVERMORE
MINE ARE DAYS THAT GOD HAS NUMBERED
I WAS MADE TO WALK WITH HIM
YET I LOOK FOR WORLDLY TREASURE
AND FORSAKE THE KING OF KINGS
BUT MINE IS HOPE IN MY REDEEMER
THOUGH I FALL, HIS LOVE IS SURE
FOR CHRIST HAS PAID FOR EVERY FAILING
I AM HIS FOREVERMORE

MINE ARE TEARS IN TIMES OF SORROW
DARKNESS NOT YET UNDERSTOOD
THROUGH THE VALLEY I MUST TRAVEL
WHERE I SEE NO EARTHLY GOOD
BUT MINE IS PEACE THAT FLOWS FROM HEAVEN
AND THE STRENGTH IN TIMES OF NEED
I KNOW MY PAIN WILL NOT BE WASTED
CHRIST COMPLETES HIS WORK IN ME

MINE ARE DAYS HERE AS A STRANGER
PILGRIM ON A NARROW WAY
ONE WITH CHRIST I WILL ENCOUNTER
HARM AND HATRED FOR HIS NAME
BUT MINE IS ARMOUR FOR THIS BATTLE
STRONG ENOUGH TO LAST THE WAR
AND HE HAS SAID HE WILL DELIVER
SAFELY TO THE GOLDEN SHORE

AND MINE ARE KEYS TO ZION CITY
WHERE BESIDE THE KING I WALK
FOR THERE MY HEART HAS FOUND ITS TREASURE
CHRIST IS MINE FOREVERMORE

COME REJOICE NOW, O MY SOUL FOR HIS LOVE IS MY REWARD FEAR IS GONE AND HOPE IS SURE CHRIST IS MINE FOREVERMORE!

AND MINE ARE KEYS TO ZION CITY
WHERE BESIDE THE KING I WALK
FOR THERE MY HEART HAS FOUND ITS TREASURE

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