

Welcome to Worship

We Are Glad You Are Here!

May 17, 2020

6th Sunday of Easter

10am

WELCOME TO THIS DAY OF WORSHIP.

As we open our hearts to God, may we extend our prayers for one another, our community our nation and our world. May all who enter into worship know that you are sincerely welcomed into the family of God where hope abounds in the joy of God's people.

PREPARE FOR WORSHIP *God delights to increase the faith of his children.
We ought, instead of wanting no trials before victory,
no exercise for patience, to be willing
to take them from God's hand as a means.
Trials, obstacles, difficulties, and sometimes defeats,
are the very food of faith.*

George Muller

SONG OF PRAISE: "All Day Song" (Love Him In the Morning) CCLI Lic #268463

Love Him in the mornin', when you see the sun arisin'.
Love Him in the evenin', 'cause He took you through the day.

And in the "in-between-time" when you feel the pressure comin',
Remember that He loves you and He promises to stay. **(repeat)**

When you think you have to worry, 'cause it seems the thing to do.
Remember He aint in a hurry, He always has time for you. So....

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

NJ Smith

HYMN OF ADORATION: "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood,

Refrain

This is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;
this is my story; this my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending, bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love. **Refrain**

Perfect submission, all is at rest; I in my Savior am happy and blest,
watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love. **Refrain**

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

RESPONSE SONG "Your Grace Is Enough"

Great is Your faithfulness oh God, You wrestle with the sinner's heart.
You lead us by still waters and to mercy, And nothing can keep us apart.

Chorus 1: So remember Your people. Remember Your children. Remember Your promise, Oh God
Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough Your grace is enough for me.

Great is Your love and justice God, You use the weak to lead the strong.
You lead us in the song of Your salvation, And all Your people sing along. *Chorus 1 then 2*

Chorus 2: Your grace is enough, heaven's reaching down to us. Your grace is enough for me.
God I see Your grace is enough. I'm covered in Your love. Your grace is enough for me.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Peter 3:13-22

Liz Williams

MESSAGE

Rev. Dr. Bob Stebe

"Do Not Fear What They Fear"

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING, INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S 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.

HYMN OF CELEBRATION "Oh How Good It Is"

Oh how good it is When the family of God
Dwells together in spirit In faith and unity.
Where the bonds of peace, Of acceptance and love
Are the fruit of His presence Here among us.

(chorus)

So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His word
Till the whole earth sees The Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people.

Oh how good it is On this journey we share
To rejoice with the happy And weep with those who mourn.
For the weak find strength The afflicted find grace
When we offer the blessing Of belonging. **(chorus)**

Oh how good it is To embrace His command
To prefer one another Forgive as He forgives.
When we live as one We all share in the love
Of the Son with the Father And the Spirit. **(chorus)**

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Breathe On Me, Breath of God"

End of Worship...Beginning of Service

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