



ORDER OF WORSHIP  
SUNDAY, APRIL 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2020



## CALL TO WORSHIP

REV. TYLER DIRKS

## SONGS OF PRAISE

## YOU ARE MY ALL IN ALL

*D. Jernigan*

You are my strength when I am weak / You are the treasure that I seek  
You are my all in all  
Seeking You as a precious Jewel / Lord, to give up I'd be a fool  
You are my all in all

### chorus

*Jesus Lamb of God, worthy is your name  
Jesus Lamb of God, worthy is your name*

Taking my sin my cross my shame / Rising again I bless your name  
You are my all in all  
When I fall down You lift me up / When I am dry You fill my cup  
You are my all in all

## 'TIS SO SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS

*L.M.R. Stead | W.J. Kirkpatrick*

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, Just to take Him at his word  
Just to rest upon His promise, Just to know, "Thus saith the Lord."

### chorus

*Jesus, Jesus, how I trust him!  
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er!  
Jesus, Jesus precious Jesus!  
O for grace to trust Him more.*

O how sweet to trust in Jesus, Just to trust His cleansing blood  
Just in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus, Just from sin and self to cease  
Just from Jesus simply taking, Life and rest, and joy and peace

I'm so glad I learned to trust Thee, Precious Jesus, Savior, Friend  
And I know that Thou art with me, Wilt be with me to the end

## CONFESSION OF FAITH

WSC Q87

### Q: What is repentance unto life?

A: Repentance unto life is a saving grace, whereby a sinner, out of a true sense of his sin, and apprehension of the mercy of God in Christ, doth, with grief and hatred of his sin, turn from it unto God, with full purpose of, and endeavour after, new obedience.

## THE NICENE CREED

"I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end."

### COME BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY

M. Boswell, M. Papa, M. Bleecker

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry in the dawning of the King  
He the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humanity  
In our longing in our darkness now the light of life has come  
Look to Christ who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, He the perfect Son of Man  
In His living in His suffering, never trace nor stain of sin  
See the true and better Adam come to save the hell-bound man  
Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, Christ the Lord upon the tree  
In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory  
See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold  
Bringing many sons to glory, grace unmeasured, love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain Him, praise the Lord He is alive!  
What a foretaste of deliv'rance, how unwavering our hope  
Christ in power resurrected as will we be when He comes  
Come behold the wondrous myst'ry slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain Him, praise the Lord He is alive!

## CONFESSION OF SIN

US CIVIL WAR SOLDIERS PRAYER BOOK

"Almighty and most merciful Father; We have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. There is no health in us. But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those who are penitent; according to your promises declared unto mankind, in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O merciful Father, for his sake, That we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of thy holy name. Amen."

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

JOHN 11:25

"Jesus said to her, 'I AM the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die.'"

## SONG OF THANKSGIVING

What love could remember no wrongs we have done  
Omniscient, all knowing, he counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam  
What father, so tender, is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What riches of kindness he lavished on us  
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

### **chorus**

*Praise the Lord  
His mercy is more  
Stronger than darkness, new every morn  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more*

## SONG OF PREPARATION

God sent His son, they called Him, Jesus;  
He came to love, heal and forgive;  
He lived and died to buy my pardon,  
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives!

### **chorus**

*Because He lives, I can face tomorrow,  
Because He lives, all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living,  
Just because He lives!*

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,  
And feel the pride and joy he gives;  
But greater still the calm assurance:  
This child can face uncertain days because He Lives!

And then one day, I'll cross the river,  
I'll fight life's final war with pain;  
And then, as death gives way to victory,  
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives!

## HIS MERCY IS MORE

*M. Boswell | M. Papa*

## BECAUSE HE LIVES

*B. Gaither*

## THE 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.

PASTORAL PRAYER

MIKE SCHNEE



PREACHING OF THE WORD

REV. TYLER DIRKS

"WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM JESUS?"  
LUKE 11: 29-32

I. SEEKING FOR A SIGN

II. SURROUNDED BY SIGNS

III. RESURRECTION & REPENTANCE

- REFLECTION QUESTIONS -

- 1) How does your desire for signs distract you from savoring God?
- 2) What miracles currently surround you? Literally make a list of the miracles in your life, and provide a brief note about why you are more in awe of God because of each miracle.
- 3) Call up 1-3 friends on Zoom and have a discussion about Paul's declaration, "If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins" (1 Cor. 15:17).
- 4) What is one specific way you WILL CHOOSE TO REPENT in the month of April?

## SONG OF RESPONSE

## AMAZING GRACE

*J. Newton*

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost, but now am found  
Was blind, but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils, and snares  
I have already come  
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far  
And grace will lead me home

When we've been there ten thousand years  
Bright shining as the sun  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we've first begun

## BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you  
The Lord lift His countenance upon you and give you peace.  
Now and forevermore.  
Amen.

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