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At Home Bulletin

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP*

May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us, Selah
that your way may be known on earth,
your saving power among all nations.

**Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!**

**Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon earth. Selah**

Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

**The earth has yielded its increase;
God, our God, shall bless us.
God shall bless us;
let all the ends of the earth fear him!**

INVOCATION*

SONGS 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 'stablished 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.

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Dearly We're Bought

Come raise your thankful voice, ye souls redeemed with blood;
Leave earth and all its toys, and mix no more with mud.

Chorus

Dearly we're bought, highly esteemed,
redeemed, with Jesus' blood redeemed (2xs)

With heart, and soul, and mind, exalt redeeming love.
Leave worldly care behind and set your minds above. (*chorus*)

Lift up your ravished eyes, and view the glory giv'n;
All lower things despised, ye citizens of heav'n. (*chorus*)

Be to this world as dead, alive to that to come;
Our life in Christ is hid, who soon shall call us home. (*chorus*)

CONFESSION OF SIN

You O Lord are the only true source of hope.

**Forgive us Lord, for we have acted as ones without hope.
We have let the details of painful moments dominate the
narrative of our lives.**

**Forgive us for closing our eyes and our hearts
to the truth of our hope in the resurrection of Christ.**

Hear our prayer, Lord.

**Forgive us. We have run to idolatrous consolations,
balms which cannot heal, but only numb the pain.**

**Instead of submission for the sake of sanctification,
we have denied that pain
might have any place in our walks with you.**

**By closing our eyes to the hope we have in you,
we have stopped our mouths from the praise and honor
that is due you.**

**Open the eyes of our hearts to comprehend
the imperishable reality of our inheritance in Christ.**

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 3:23-25

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Christians, what do you believe?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to hell.**

The third day he rose again from the dead.

**He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father almighty.**

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S SERMON

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

PRAYER

Our Father who art 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.**

HYMN OF PREPARATION *

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,"

Whoever lives and pleads for me.

My name is graven on His hands,

My name is written on His heart;

I know that while in heav'n He stands

No tongue can bid me thence depart,

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 to 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.

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 with His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high,
With Christ, my Savior and my God,
With Christ, my Savior and my God.

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SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 10:1-18

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

SERMON

“Once and for All”

Pastor Ian Hard

Don't Settle for Less

Know Where You Stand

Rest Assured

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

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,
World without end. Amen. Amen.

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CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

If you are following along at home, please refrain from taking Communion as it is a form of worship meant to be celebrated in the physical presence of the body of Christ.

HYMN OF SENDING

And Can It Be That I Should Gain

And can it be that I should gain an interest in the Savior's blood?
Died he for me, who causes his pain, for me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

Refrain

Amazing love! How can it be,
That thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

'Tis myst'ry all, Th'Immortal dies: Who can explore his strange design?
In vain the firstborn seraph tries to sound the depths of live divine.
'Tis mercy all! Let earth adore, let angel minds inquire no more.

He left his Father's throne above (So free, so infinite his grace!),
Humbled himself (so great his love!), and bled for all his chosen race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free: for, O my God, it found out me.

Long my imprisoned spirit lay fastbound in sin and nature's night;
Thine eye diffused a quick'ning ray; I woke,
the dungeon flamed with light;
My chains fell off, my heart was free; I rose, went forth,
and followed thee.

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head, and clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach th'eternal throne, And claim the crown,
through Christ, my own.

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BENEDICTION*