



## ORDER OF WORSHIP | SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023

### CALL TO WORSHIP

**Romans 10:6-10**

**Leader:** Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend to heaven?' (that is, to bring Christ down) or 'Who will descend into the abyss?' (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead)

**People:** **But what does it say? 'The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart' (that is the word of faith that we proclaim)**

**Leader:** Because if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

**People:** **For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.**

### PRAYER OF ADORATION

### HYMN OF PRAISE

**Arise, My Soul, Arise**

1. Arise, my soul, arise,  
Shake off your guilty fears.  
The bleeding sacrifice  
On my behalf appears.  
Before the throne my surety stands,  
Before the throne my surety stands,  
My name is written on His hands.

#### **Chorus**

Arise (Arise), Arise (Arise)  
Arise, Arise, my soul, arise.  
Arise (Arise), Arise (Arise)  
Arise, Arise, my soul, arise.  
Shake off your guilty fears and rise.

2. He ever lives above,  
For me to intercede.  
His all redeeming love,  
His precious blood, to plead.  
His blood atoned for every race,  
His blood atoned for every race,  
And sprinkles now the throne of grace.  
Chorus

3. Five bleeding wounds He bears,  
Received on Calvary.  
They pour effectual prayers,  
They strongly plead for me.  
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,  
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,  
"Don't let that ransomed sinner die!"  
Chorus

4. My God is reconciled,  
His pardoning voice I hear.  
He owns me for His child,  
I can no longer fear.  
With confidence I now draw nigh,  
With confidence I now draw nigh,  
And "Father, Abba, Father!" cry.  
Chorus 2X

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## **SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN**

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**Isaiah 1:18**

Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

### **HYMN OF ASSURANCE**

**Jesus Paid it All**

1. I hear the Savior say,  
"Thy strength indeed is small.  
Child of weakness, watch and pray;  
Find in Me thine all in all."

#### **Chorus**

Jesus paid it all,  
All to Him I owe;  
Sin had left a crimson stain,  
He washed it white as snow.

2. Lord, now indeed I find  
Thy pow'r, and Thine alone,  
Can change the leper's spots  
And melt the heart of stone.  
Chorus

3. And when, before the throne,  
I stand in Him complete:  
"Jesus died, my soul to save,"  
My lips shall still repeat!  
Chorus

Sin had left a crimson stain,  
He washed it white as snow.

#### **(BRIDGE)**

Oh, praise the One Who paid my debt  
And raised this life up from the dead.

#### **(REPEAT 4X)**

Chorus  
Sin had left a crimson stain,  
He washed it white as snow.

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### **PRAYER OF INTERCESSION**

Children ages 4-5 are dismissed for Equip for Worship after the prayer. Visitors' children are welcome. Today's volunteers: Malerie Huguley & Bridgett Hobson

## SCRIPTURE READING

## Psalm 4

<sup>1</sup> Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness!

You have given me relief when I was in distress.

Be gracious to me and hear my prayer!

<sup>2</sup> O men, how long shall my honor be turned into shame?

How long will you love vain words and seek after lies?

*Selah*

<sup>3</sup> But know that the Lord has set apart the godly for himself;

the Lord hears when I call to him.

<sup>4</sup> Be angry, and do not sin;

ponder in your own hearts on your beds, and be silent.

*Selah*

<sup>5</sup> Offer right sacrifices,

and put your trust in the Lord.

<sup>6</sup> There are many who say, "Who will show us some good?"

Lift up the light of your face upon us, O Lord!"

<sup>7</sup> You have put more joy in my heart

than they have when their grain and wine abound.

<sup>8</sup> In peace I will both lie down and sleep;

for you alone, O Lord, make me dwell in safety.

## SERMON

### "The God Who Answers"

- Rev. Bryan Rigg

## COLLECTION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

## HYMN OF THANKSGIVING

## Great is Thy Faithfulness

1. Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father;  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee.  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;  
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

### Refrain

Great is Thy faithfulness, great is Thy faithfulness;  
Morning by morning new mercies I see.  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me.

2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.  
Refrain

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth;  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide.  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow;  
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside.  
Refrain

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## CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

1. Just as I am without one plea  
But that Thy blood was shed for me  
And that Thou biddest me come to Thee  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
2. Just as I am and waiting not  
To rid my soul of one dark blot  
To Thee whose blood can cleanse each spot  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
3. Just as I am tho' tossed about  
With many a conflict, many a doubt  
Fightings and fears within, without  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

## Just As I Am

4. Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind  
Sight, riches, healing of the mind  
Yea, all I need in Thee to find  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
5. Just as I am Thou wilt receive  
Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve  
Because Thy promise I believe  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.  
Because Thy promise I believe  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

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## The Power of the Cross

1. Oh, to see the dawn of the darkest day:  
Christ on the road to Calvary;  
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then  
Nailed to a cross of wood.
  2. Oh, to see the pain written on Your face,  
Bearing the awesome weight of sin;  
Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed,  
Crowning Your bloodstained brow.
- Chorus 1**  
This, the pow'r of the cross:  
Christ became sin for us,  
Took the blame, bore the wrath;  
We stand forgiven at the cross.
3. Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath  
Quakes as its maker bows His head;  
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life,  
"Finished," the vict'ry cry!  
Chorus
  4. Oh, to see my name written in the wounds,  
For, through Your suff'ring, I am free;  
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,  
Won through Your selfless love.

### Chorus 2

This, the pow'r of the cross:  
Son of God slain for us;  
What a love, what a cost!  
We stand, forgiven, at the cross.  
REPEAT

## Man of Sorrows, What a Name

1. Man of Sorrows, what a name  
For the Son of God who came,  
Ruined sinners to reclaim!  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

2. Bearing shame and scoffing rude,  
In my place, condemned He stood;  
Sealed my pardon with His blood;  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

3. Guilty, vile, and helpless, we,  
Spotless Lamb of God was He;  
Full atonement, can it be?  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

4. Lifted up was He to die;  
"It is finished!" was His cry;  
Now in heav'n exalted high;  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

5. When He comes, our glorious King,  
All His ransomed home to bring,  
Then anew this song we'll sing:  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

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## DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise Him, all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host,  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

## 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!**

## POSTLUDE

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