



Sunday, August 22, 2021

“Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel
before the Lord, our Maker!”

Psalm 95:6

Order of Worship and Lyrics

Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee
Casting down their golden crowns
around the glassy sea
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee
Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
All thy works shall praise Thy name, in earth, and sky,
and sea. Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
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Prayer of Thanksgiving

Praise Song: Facing the Task Unfinished

Facing a task unfinished, That drives us to our knees
A need that, undiminished rebukes our slothful ease.
We, who rejoice to know Thee renew before Thy throne
The solemn pledge we owe Thee
To go and make Thee known

Where other lords beside Thee
Hold their unhindered sway
Where forces that defied Thee defy Thee still today.
With none to heed their crying
For life, and love, and light
Unnumbered souls are dying, And pass into the night

Chorus:

We go to all the world, With kingdom hope unfurled
No other name has power to save
But Jesus Christ The Lord

We bear the torch that flaming, Fell from the hands of
those, Who gave their lives proclaiming, That Jesus
died and rose. Ours is the same commission, The same
glad message ours, Fired by the same ambition
To Thee we yield our powers

O Father who sustained them, O Spirit who inspired,
Saviour, whose love constrained them
To toil with zeal untired, From cowardice defend us,
From lethargy awake!
Forth on Thine errands send us to labour for Thy sake

Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth:
And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by
the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the
third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from
thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in
the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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.

Unison Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

“And I, when I came to you, brothers, did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God with lofty speech or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. And I was with you in weakness and in fear and much trembling, and my speech and my message were not in plausible words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.”

Pastoral Prayer and 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, Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Anthem

Sermon: “God is Greater Than Our Hearts”

Randy Jenkins

Scripture: 1 John 4:1-6

“Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world. 2 By this you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses

that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God,
3 and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not
from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you
heard was coming and now is in the world already.
4 Little children, you are from God and have overcome
them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in
the world. 5 They are from the world; therefore they
speak from the world, and the world listens to them.
6 We are from God. Whoever knows God listens to us;
whoever is not from God does not listen to us. By this
we know the Spirit of truth and the spirit of error.”

Hymn: Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Just as I am, without one plea
But that Thy blood was shed for me
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

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!

Just as I am, though tossed about
With many a conflict, many a doubt
Fightings within and fears without
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

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!

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!

Just as I am, Thy love unknown
Hath broken ev'ry barrier down
Now to be Thine, yea, Thine alone
O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Benediction/Response: 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!

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