

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prepare your hearts for worship.

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalms 134

Come, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord, who stand by night in the house of the Lord!

Lift up your hands to the holy place and bless the Lord! May the Lord bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!

***OPENING PRAYER**

***AMAZING GRACE**

John Newton & Chris Tomlin

Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me. I once was lost, but now I'm 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.

My chains are gone, I've been set free. My God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood His mercy reigns, unending love, amazing grace.

The Lord has promised good to me. His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine, but God who called me here below will be forever mine, will be forever mine, You are forever mine.

***COME PRAISE AND GLORIFY**

Bob Kauflin; Tim Chester

Come praise and glorify our God the Father of our Lord. In Christ He has in heav'nly realms his blessings on us poured. For pure and blameless in His sight, He destined us to be and now we've been adopted through His Son eternally.

To the praise of Your glory. To the praise of Your mercy and grace. To the praise of Your glory. You are the God who saves.

Come praise and glorify our God, Who gives His grace in Christ. In Him our sins are washed away, redeemed through sacrifice. In Him God has made known to us the myst'ry of His will, that Christ should be the head of all, His purpose to fulfill.

Come praise and glorify our God, for we've believed the Word. And through our faith we have a seal, the Spirit of the Lord. The Spirit guarantees our hope until redemption's done. Until we join in endless praise to God the Three in One.

AFTERNOON PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalms 90

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 96. *What is the Lord's supper?*

A. The Lord's supper is a sacrament, wherein, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to Christ's appointment, his death is

showed forth; and the worthy receivers are, not after a corporal and carnal manner, but by faith, made partakers of his body and blood, with all his benefits, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace.

Q. 97. *What is required to the worthy receiving of the Lord's supper?*

A. It is required of them that would worthily partake of the Lord's supper, that they examine themselves of their knowledge to discern the Lord's body, of their faith to feed upon him, of their repentance, love, and new obedience; lest, coming unworthily, they eat and drink judgment to themselves.

OFFERING

***THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD**

Maltbie Babcock

This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears, all nature sings and 'round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world, I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees of skies and seas; His hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world the birds their carols raise, the morning light the lily white declare their Maker's praise. This is my Father's world. He shines in all that's fair in the rust'ling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me ev'rywhere.

This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget that though the wrong seems oft so strong God is the Ruler yet. This is my Father's world why should my heart be sad, the

Lord is King let heavens ring, God reigns let earth be glad.

SERMON

Luke 1:26-38

You Shall Call His Name Jesus

***WHOM SHALL I FEAR**

Charitie Lees Bancroft

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea, a great high Priest whose Name is Love, Who ever lives and pleads for me. My name is graven on His hands. My name is written on His heart. I know that while in Heaven He stands, 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 of 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.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, my perfect spotless righteousness, the great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace. One in Himself I cannot die. My soul is purchased by His blood. My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God.

***BENEDICTION CLOSING SONG**

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

