

**CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
TENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST
JULY 29, 2018**

“IMMEASURABLE POWER; UNSTOPPABLE LOVE”

***PRESERVICE MUSIC*..... “How Can It Be”**

I am guilty, Ashamed of what I've done what I've become
These hands are dirty, I dare not lift them up, To the Holy One

You plead my cause, You right my wrongs
You break my chains You overcome, You gave Your life
To give me mine, You say that I am free, How can it be, How can it be

I've been hiding, Afraid I've let You down
Inside I doubt, That You could love me
But in Your eyes, There's only grace now

You plead my cause, You right my wrongs
You break my chains You overcome, You gave Your life
To give me mine, You say that I am free, How can it be, How can it be

Though I fall You can make me new, From this death I will rise with You
Oh the grace reaching out for me, How can it be, How can it be
You plead my cause, You right my wrongs
You break my chains You overcome, You gave Your life
To give me mine, You say that I am free

You plead my cause, You right my wrongs
You break my chains You overcome, You gave Your life
To give me mine, You say that I am free
How can it be, How can it be

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Chain Breaker

If you've been walking the same old road, For miles and miles
If you've been hearing the same old voice, Tell the same old lies
If you're trying to fill the same old holes inside, There's a better life,
There's a better life

If you've got pain He's a pain taker, If you feel lost He's a way maker
If you need freedom or saving, He's a prison shaking Savior
If you got chains He's a chain breaker - 10 -

**We've all searched for the light of day, In the dead of night
We've all found ourselves worn out, From the same old fight
We've all run to things we know just ain't right, When there's a better life
There's a better life**

**If you've got pain He's a pain taker, If you feel lost He's a way maker
If you need freedom or saving, He's a prison shaking Savior
If you got chains He's a chain breaker**

**If you believe it, If you receive it, If you can feel it, Somebody testify
If you believe it, If you receive it, If you can feel it, Somebody testify testify
If you believe it, If you receive it, If you can feel it, Somebody testify**

**If you've got pain He's a pain taker, If you feel lost He's a way maker
If you need freedom or saving, He's a prison shaking Savior
If you got chains He's a chain breaker**

**Oh if you need freedom or saving, He's a prison shaking Savior
If you got chains well He's a chain breaker**

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WORSHIP THEME: "Immeasurable Power; Unstoppable Love" Mark 6:45-56

Jesus shocked the disciples when He walked on water; He traveled the villages, towns, and countryside to spread and do God's message of His powerful love; He miraculously healed the sick. Jesus went to the difficult, lonely places to carry out God's plan. Fear did not hinder Him from accomplishing the work. In what areas is God leading you to lovingly spread His great news?

+ *We Lift Our Hearts in Worship* +

OPENING SONG..... "The Lion And The Lamb"

**He's coming on the clouds, Kings and kingdoms will bow down
And every chain will break, As broken hearts declare His praise
For who can stop the Lord Almighty**

**Our God is the Lion, The Lion of Judah
He's roaring with power, And fighting our battles,
And every knee will bow before Him**

**Our God is the Lamb, The Lamb that was slain
For the sin of the world, His blood breaks the chains**

**And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb**

**So open up the gates, Make way before the King of kings
Our God Who comes to save, Is here to set the captives free
For who can stop the Lord Almighty**

**Our God is the Lion, The Lion of Judah
He's roaring with power, And fighting our battles
And every knee will bow before Him**

**Our God is the Lamb, The Lamb that was slain
For the sin of the world, His blood breaks the chains
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb**

**Who can stop the Lord Almighty, Who can stop the Lord Almighty
Who can stop the Lord Almighty, Who can stop the Lord (Almighty)**

**Our God is the Lion, The Lion of Judah
He's roaring with power, And fighting our battles
And every knee will bow before Him**

**Our God is the Lamb, The Lamb that was slain
For the sin of the world, His blood breaks the chains
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb
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And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb**

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INVOCATION

Pastor: It is great to gather with you, fellow brothers and sisters, in this place to unite as worshippers and followers of Christ.

People: **Thank You, God, for this opportunity to gather together!**

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor: Lord, Your love endures forever! You care about Your people; Your arm is not too short to reach us. Your power is awesome and wondrous are Your works.

People: **You are unstoppable, God!**

Pastor: We give You thanksgiving and praise!

People: **Your love endures forever and ever, Amen!**

TIME OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Father, we see in Scripture how You let nothing stand in the way of Your perfect plan. You conquered sin and death to rescue humanity and it's all because of Your awesome love.

People: **You love endures forever!**

Pastor You stop at nothing to reach the lost and sometimes we are afraid to even walk across the lawn to talk to our neighbor. We hold grudges instead of forgiving as we've been forgiven.

People: **Replace our fear with the courage to forgive and release others into Your hands.**

Pastor: Thank You, Father, for Your love.

People: **Forever and ever Your love endures!**

+ We Hear God's Word +

Genesis 9:8-17(ESV)(page 6 in bulletin)..... (on page 13 in NIV pew Bible)

Ephesians 3:14-21(ESV) (page 7 in bulletin)..... (on page 1820 in NIV pew Bible)

Mark 6:45-56(ESV)(page 7 in bulletin) (on page 1563 in NIV pew Bible)

SERMON SONG "O Church Arise (Arise Shine)"

**O Church arise and put your armour on, Hear the call of Christ our Captain
For now the weak can say that they are strong, In the strength that God has given
With shield of faith and belt of Truth, We'll stand against the devil's lies
An army bold whose battle cry is love, Reaching out to those in darkness**

**Our call to war to love the captive soul, But to rage against the captor
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole,
We will fight with faith and valor
When faced with trials on ev'ry side, We know the outcome is secure
And Christ will have the prize for which He died, An inheritance of nations**

**Arise shine for your Light has come, Arise shine for the risen Son
Lift your eyes we are His radiant bride, Arise O Church arise**

**Come see the cross where love and mercy meet, As the Son of God is stricken
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, For the Conqueror has risen
And as the stone is rolled away, And Christ emerges from the grave
This victory march continues 'til the day, Every eye and heart shall see Him**

**So Spirit come put strength in every stride, Give grace for every hurdle
That we may run with faith to win the prize, Of a servant good and faithful
As saints of old still line the way, Retelling triumphs of His grace**

**We hear their calls and hunger for the day, When with Christ we stand in Glory
Arise shine for your Light has come, Arise shine for the risen Son
Lift your eyes we are His radiant bride, Arise O Church arise**

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Arise shine for the risen Son
Lift your eyes we are His radiant bride
Arise O Church arise**

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MESSAGE..... ““The I/Eye of the Storm”.....Mark 6:45-56 by Rev. Gary Fortkamp

+ We Respond to God’s Word +

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – APOSTLE’S 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 Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and
was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the
dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen

OFFERING SONG..... “Give Thanks”

Give thanks With a grateful heart Give thanks To the Holy One Give thanks For He's given Jesus Christ, His Son (repeat)	And now let the weak say I am strong Let the poor say I am rich Because of what The Lord has done For us (repeat) Give thanks...
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+ We Pray +

**PRAYERS
LORD’S PRAYER**

+ We Depart in Peace +

BENEDICTION

Pastor: Let no fear hinder the love of Christ in your life. His love endures forever!
People: Amen!

CLOSING SONG..... "Today Is The Day"

I'm casting my cares aside. I'm leaving my past behind.
I'm setting my heart and mind on You, Jesus.
I'm reaching my hands to Yours, believing there's so much more,
Knowing that all You have in store for me is good, it's good.

Today is the day You have made. I will rejoice and be glad in it.
Today is the day You have made. I will rejoice and be glad in it.
And I won't worry about tomorrow; I'm trusting in what You say.
Today is the day. Today is the day.

I'm putting my fears aside. I'm leaving my doubts behind.
I'm giving my hopes and dreams to You, Jesus.
I'm reaching my hands to Yours, believing there's so much more,
Knowing that all You have in store for me is good, it's good.

Today is the day You have made. I will rejoice and be glad in it.
Today is the day You have made. I will rejoice and be glad in it.
And I won't worry about tomorrow; I'm trusting in what You say.
Today is the day. Today is the day.

I will stand upon Your truth. (I will stand upon Your truth.)
And all my days, I'll live for You. (All my days, I'll live for You.)
And I will stand upon Your truth. (I will stand upon Your truth.)
And all my days, I'll live for You. (All my days, I'll live.)

Today is the day You have made. I will rejoice and be glad in it.
Today is the day You have made. I will rejoice and be glad in it.
And I won't worry about tomorrow. I'm giving You my fears and sorrows.
Where You lead me, I will follow; I'm trusting in what You say.

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We Exit to Serve!

If this service has moved you spiritually and you have questions regarding your spiritual life, please feel free to visit with one of the Pastors after the service.