

**CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE  
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
JULY 7, 2019**

**“WALK IN WHOLEHEARTED DEDICATION”      LUKE 9:50-62**

**AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL ..... PRESERVICE #1**

*O beautiful for spacious skies,  
For amber waves of grain,  
For purple mountain majesties  
Above the fruited plain!  
America! America!  
God shed his grace on thee  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
From sea to shining sea!*

*O beautiful for heroes proved  
In liberating strife.  
Who more than self their country loved  
And mercy more than life!  
America! America!  
May God thy gold refine  
Till all success be nobleness  
And every gain divine!*

*O beautiful for patriot dream  
That sees beyond the years  
Thine alabaster cities gleam  
Undimmed by human tears!  
America! America!  
God shed his grace on thee  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
From sea to shining sea!*

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**OPEN UP THE HEAVENS ..... PRESERVICE #2**

**We've waited for this day  
We're gathered in Your Name  
Calling out to You  
Your glory like a fire awakening desire  
Will burn our hearts with truth**

**You're the reason we're here  
You're the reason we're singing**

**Open up the heavens we want to see You  
Open up the floodgates a mighty river  
Flowing from Your heart  
Filling every part of our praise**

**Your presence in this place Your glory on our face  
We're looking to the sky  
Descending like a cloud You're standing with us now  
Lord unveil our eyes**

**You're the reason we're here  
You're the reason we're singing**

**Open up the heavens we want to see You  
Open up the floodgates a mighty river  
Flowing from Your heart  
Filling every part of our praise**

**Open up the heavens we want to see You  
Open up the floodgates a mighty river  
Flowing from Your heart  
Filling every part of our praise**

**Show us show us Your glory  
Show us show us Your power  
Show us show us Your glory Lord**

**Show us show us Your glory  
Show us show us Your power  
Show us show us Your glory Lord**

**Open up the heavens we want to see You  
Open up the floodgates a mighty river  
Flowing from Your heart  
Filling every part of our praise**

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Open up the floodgates a mighty river  
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Filling every part of our praise**

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**WORSHIP THEME..... “Walk in Wholehearted Dedication”.....Luke 9:50-62**

Jesus and His disciples were not accepted in a Samaritan village, so they headed to another village. Along the way, a couple of men said they would follow Jesus. One man wanted to bury his father first. Jesus, who wants total dedication and not half-hearted commitment, knew the motives of this man’s heart. As you reflect on your own walk with Jesus, what distractions keep you from wholeheartedly following Him?

**SO GOOD TO ME ..... OPENING SONG**

**When day light breaks with morning dew  
You are You are so good to me**

**When evening comes the day is through  
You are You are so good to me**

**Your love is wild Your promise true  
You are You are so good to me**

**Your heart is kind in all You do  
You are You are so good to me**

**How perfect are Your ways  
How endless is Your grace  
Forever I will sing Your praise  
You are You are so good to me**

**When blessings come when life brings pain  
You are You are so good to me**

**When shadows fall and seasons change  
You are You are so good to me**

**How perfect are Your ways  
How endless is Your grace  
Forever I will sing Your praise  
You are You are so good to me**

**On heaven’s shore You’ll call my name  
You are You are so good to me**

**A thousand tongues of angels say  
You are You are so good to me**

**How perfect are Your ways  
How endless is Your grace  
Forever I will sing Your praise  
You are You are so good to me  
You are You are so good to me  
Oh You are You are so good to me**

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**+ We Lift Our Hearts in Worship +**

**INVOCATION**

*Pastor Bless the Lord, o my soul, and all that is within me. The Lord is good!*  
**ALL The Lord is merciful and kind.**

*Pastor He gives strength to the weary, hope to the hopeless, and is bountiful in good fruit.*  
**ALL May we walk with His Spirit.**

**OPENING PRAYER**

*Pastor Heavenly Father, we dedicate this time to You. We turn off the other things that are knocking on the doors in our minds. We focus on Your good character and reflect today on our own walks with You. Where we lack, Spirit bring fullness. Where we flourish, Spirit bring perseverance. In the name of Jesus we pray,*  
**All Amen!**

**TIME OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*Pastor Let us confess our sins before the Lord who is faithful and just to forgive us of our unrighteousness and set our feet on His straight path because He loves us so.*

**(Allow time for personal prayer and confession)**

*Pastor Lord, we choose to follow you wholeheartedly and keep in step with Your Holy Spirit. We thank You for your forgiveness and gift of grace from Your Son, Jesus Christ.*  
**ALL Amen.**

**† We Hear God's Word †**

**Isaiah 66:10-14(ESV).....pg 1166 in pew Bible..... (pg 6 in bulletin)  
Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18(ESV)..pg 1816 in pew Bible..... (pg 6 in bulletin)  
Luke 10:1-20(ESV).....pg 1611 in pew Bible..... (pg 7 in bulletin)**

## **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

*Pastor*     *Open your lips, oh people, and proclaim the great Lord's power as one God, three in nature- the Holy God, the Holy Son, and the Holy Spirit.*

**ALL**        **We proclaim the power of the Most High God, who is good and jealous for our hearts. He will not and cannot be mocked, and His love for us endures forever. He binds the wounded, heals the broken, and sets the captives free. He is not like any other God. He is omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent.**

**We proclaim the power of the only begotten Son of God- Jesus Christ. His blood sacrifice covered the sins of all mankind. He moves as one with His Father and calls us to follow Him wholeheartedly without looking back. He is kind, compassionate, and our friend.**

**We proclaim the power of the Holy Spirit who produces good fruit in us. His fruit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Against these fruits, there is no law. He keeps in step with the Father and the Son, and we must keep in step with Him.**

**Praise the Father, Son, and Spirit, three-in-one. Amen!**

## **YOUR GRACE FINDS ME ..... SERMON SONG**

**It's there in the newborn cry  
There in the light of ev'ry sunrise  
There in the shadows of this life  
Your great grace  
It's there on the mountain top  
There in the ev'ryday and the mundane  
There in the sorrow and the dancing  
Your great grace  
O such grace**

**From the creation to the cross  
There from the cross into eternity  
Your grace finds me  
Yes Your grace finds me**

**It's there on a wedding day  
There in the weeping by the graveside  
There in the very breath we breathe  
Your great grace  
The same for the rich and poor  
The same for the saint and for the sinner**

Enough for this whole wide world  
Your great grace  
O such grace

From the creation to the cross  
There from the cross into eternity  
Your grace finds me  
Yes Your grace finds me

There in the darkest night of the soul  
There in the sweetest songs of victory  
Your grace finds me  
Yes Your grace finds me

Your great grace O such grace  
Your great grace O such grace

So I'm breathing in Your grace  
And breathing out Your praise  
I'm breathing in Your grace  
Forever I'll be breathing in Your grace  
And breathing out Your praise  
I'm breathing in Your grace  
Forever I'll be breathing in Your grace  
And breathing out Your praise  
I'm breathing in Your grace  
Forever God forever God

Yes Your grace finds me  
Yes Your grace finds me

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**MESSAGE .....**  
**..... "Messengers Sent" ..... Luke 10:1-20**

**OFFERTORY/OFFERINGS**

**GOD BLESS AMERICA ..... OFFERING SONG**

*God bless America, land that I love  
Stand beside her and guide her  
Through the night with the light from above  
From the mountains To the prairies,  
To the ocean white with foam  
God bless America, My home sweet home*

**LORD'S PRAYER**

† We Depart in Peace †

**DISMISSAL BLESSING**

*Pastor May the Spirit of God fill You with His fruit. May He carefully guide your steps.*

**ALL May we follow the Spirit and keep in step with Him.**

**BENEDICTION**

*Pastor The Lord's love fill you, His joy sustain you, and His peace depart with you today.*

**ALL Amen!**

**GOD BLESS THE USA ..... CLOSING SONG**

**If tomorrow all the things were gone  
I'd worked for all my life,  
And I had to start again  
with just my children and my wife,  
I'd thank my Lord and Savior  
to be living here today,  
'Cause the flag still stands for freedom  
and they can't take that away.**

**And I'm proud to be an American  
where at least I know I'm free,  
And I won't forget the men who died  
who gave that right to me,  
And I gladly stand up next to you  
and defend her still today,  
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land  
God Bless the U.S.A.**

**From the lakes of Minnesota  
to the hills of Tennessee,  
Across the plains of Texas  
from sea to shining sea.  
From Detroit down to Houston  
and New York to L.A.,  
well There's pride in every American heart**

and it's time we stand and say:  
That I'm proud to be an American  
where at least I know I'm free,  
And I won't forget the men who died  
who gave that right to me,  
And I gladly stand up next to you  
and defend her still today,  
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land  
God Bless the U.S.A.

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where at least I know I'm free,  
And I won't forget the men who died  
who gave that right to me,  
And I gladly stand up next to you  
and defend her still today,  
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land  
God Bless the U.S.A.

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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 Pastor after the service.***