CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE FIFTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST JUNE 24, 2018 "TRUST THE STORM CALMER"

PRESERVICE MUSIC "Here I Am To Worship"

Light of the World, You stepped down into darkness. Opened my eyes let me see. Beauty that made this heart adore You. Hope of a life spent with You.'

So here I am to worship, here I am to bow down. Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy. Altogether wonderful to me.

King of all days, Oh so highly exalted. Glorious in Heaven above. Humbly You came to the earth You created. All for love's sake became poor.

So here I am to worship, here I am to bow down. Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy. Altogether wonderful to me.

I'll never know how much it cost To see my sins up on that cross And I'll never know how much it cost To see my sins up on that cross

So here I am to worship, here I am to bow down.

Here I am to say that You're my God.

You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy.

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"Amazing Grace On Solid Ground"

Amazing grace how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now I'm found Once was blind but now I see

And I've got a peaceful easy feeling And I know He won't let me down Cause I'm already standing on solid ground

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear And grace my fears relieved How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed

And I've got a peaceful easy feeling And I know He won't let me down Cause I'm already standing on solid ground

When we've been there ten thousand years Bright shining as the sun We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we'd first begun

And I've got a peaceful easy feeling
And I know He won't let me down
Cause I'm already standing
I'm already standing
Yes I'm already standing on solid ground
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WORSHIP THEME: "Trust the Storm Calmer" (Mark 4:35-41)

As Jesus was sleeping in the stern, a furious storm approached the waters causing crashing waves. The disciples panicked and woke Jesus who commanded the wind and waves to be still. But to His terrified disciples Jesus asked, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?" Life is full of unexpected squalls and windy situations. In the middle of life's storms, do you find yourself afraid and faithless? If so, turn your eyes to the calmer of the wind and the waves, Jesus, and trust Him with your life.

+ We Lift Our Hearts in Worship +

OPENING SONG...... "How Great Is Our God"

The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice He wraps Himself in light, and darkness tries to hide And trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice

How great is our God, Sing with me How great is our God, and all will see How great, how great Is our God

And age to age He stands and time is in His hands Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End The Godhead, Three in One Father, Spirit, Son The Lion and the Lamb, Lion and the Lamb

How great is our God, Sing with me How great is our God, and all will see How great, how great Is our God

Name above all names
Worthy of our praise
My heart will sing how great
Is our God

Name above all names
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How great is our God, Sing with me How great is our God, and all will see How great, how great, Is our God

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INVOCATION

Pastor: Welcome! Maybe your arrival here felt like a bit of a whirlwind. Let's all take

a deep breath as we fix our eyes on the calmer of the wind and storm.

People: His name is Jesus!

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor: Lord, as You stilled the furious squall, still our hearts before You now. Where

fear resides in the corners of our hearts, may Your perfect love cast it out. We recognize Your authority as God and bow ourselves low at Your feet.

People: Beautiful Jesus, You are worthy of all the honor, glory, and praise

forever, Amen!

TIME OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Lord, we are wretched sinners in desperate need of Your mercy.

People: So, we come as sinners to a very loving God.

Pastor: You know precisely the dimensions and intentions of our hearts.

People: From You, we cannot hide.

Pastor: If we say we aren't sinners, we deceive ourselves, for all have sinned.

People: So we confess to You now and to each other as we celebrate the Gospel

together.

Pastor: And we gladly accept Your forgiveness for our sins as we desperately need

Your sanctifying grace.

People: Thank You, Jesus! Amen.

+ We Hear God's Word +

Job 38:1-11(ESV)(page 5 in bulletin) (on page 835 in NIV pew Bible)

2 Corinthians 6:1-13(ESV) (page 6 in bulletin)...... (on page 1799 in NIV pew Bible)

Mark 4:35-41 (ESV)(page 7 in bulletin) (on page 1558 in NIV pew Bible)

SERMON SONG"God With Us"

Who are we that You would be mindful of us What do You see that's worth looking our way We are free in ways that we never should be Sweet release from the grip of these chains

Like hinges straining from the weight My heart no longer can keep from singing

All that is within me cries
For You alone be glorified
Immanuel God with us
My heart sings a brand new song
The debt is paid these chains are gone
Immanuel God with us

Lord You know our hearts don't deserve Your glory Still You show a love we cannot afford

Like hinges straining from the weight My heart no longer can keep from singing

All that is within me cries
For You alone be glorified
Immanuel God with us
My heart sings a brand new song
The debt is paid these chains are gone
Immanuel God with us

Such a tiny offering compared to Calvary Nevertheless we lay it at Your feet Such a tiny offering compared to Calvary Nevertheless we lay it at Your feet

All that is within me cries
For You alone be glorified
Immanuel God with us
My heart sings a brand new song
The debt is paid these chains are gone
Immanuel God with us

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MESSAGE......"God With Us"......Mark 5:35-41 by Rev. Gary Fortkamp

+ We Respond to God's Word +

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - NICENE CREED

I believe in one God,

the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth

and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God,

begotten of His Father before all worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,

very God of very God,

begotten, not made,

being of one substance with the Father,

by whom all things were made;

who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven

and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary

who was made man:

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures

and ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of the Father,

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,

I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,

and I look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

OFFERING SONG......"Bless This Offering"

God of love, hear our prayer, bless this offering we bring You. May our lives do Your will, guide and guard us forever. Give us courage to stand for truth, help us care for others. God of love, hear our prayer, bless this offering we bring You.
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+ We Pray +

PRAYERS

LORD'S PRAYER

+ We Celebrate the Lord's Supper +

Here our Lord gives to us His own Body and Blood for the forgiveness of all our sins.

WE PREPARE

Pastor: Blessed, we are commanded to remember our Lord and Savior and the

propitiation He made to cover our guilt and shame. But so often we do just

the opposite- we forget.

We confess that we forget to fix our gaze on Jesus and instead shift our People:

attention to ourselves.

So now, we choose to remember, reconnect, and commune with You, Jesus. Pastor:

We thank You for the punishment You endured on the cross and we

remember as we break bread and drink together.

People: Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION SONG "You Are Mine"

I will come to you in the silence, I will lift you from all your fear. You will hear my voice, I claim you as my choice, Be still and know I am here.

I am hope for all who are hopeless, I am eyes for all who long to see. In the shadows of the night, I will be your light, Come and rest in me.

Do not be afraid, I am with you.
I have called you each by name.
Come and follow Me I will bring you home;
I love you and you are mine.

I am strength for all the despairing, Healing for the ones who dwell in shame All the blind will see, The lame will all run free, And all will know My name.

Do not be afraid, I am with you.
I have called you each by name.
Come and follow Me I will bring you home;
I love you and you are mine.

I am the Word that leads all to freedom,
I am the peace the world cannot give.
I will call your name, Embracing all your pain,
Stand up, now walk, and live!
Do not be afraid, I am with you.
I have called you each by name.
Come and follow Me I will bring you home;
I love you and you are mine.

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DISMISSAL BLESSING

Pastor: Where there are stormy trials in your life, rejoice for the Lord is present in

the midst of those storms. Ask not for the absence of the storms, but for the

Lord to teach you all about His character. May His hand be upon you.

People: Lord, teach us to trust You.

+ We Depart in Peace +

BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Spirit of the Living God hovers over the waters and over you. May you

feel His presence wash over you this week.

People: Amen!

I wandered so aimless, life filled with sin I wouldn't let, my dear Saviour in Then Jesus came, like a stranger in the night Praise The Lord, I saw the light

I saw the light, I saw the light No more darkness, no more night Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight Praise The Lord, I saw the light

Just like a blind man, I wandered alone Worries and fears, I claimed for my own Then like the blind man, that God gave back his sight Praise The Lord, I saw the light

I saw the light, I saw the light No more darkness, no more night Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight Praise The Lord, I saw the light

I was a fool, to wander and stray
For straight is the gate, and narrow is the way
Now I have traded the wrong for the right
Praise The Lord, I saw the light

I saw the light, I saw the light
No more darkness, no more night
Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight
Praise The Lord, I saw the light
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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.