

**CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 26, 2019
“OPEN HEARTS” Acts 18**

“YOU ARE SO GOOD TO ME” Preservice #1

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
And I will sing again**

**You are so good to me
You heal my broken heart
You are my Father in Heaven
You are so good to me
You heal my broken heart
You are my Father in Heaven**

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song**

**You ride upon the clouds
You lead me to the truth
You are the Spirit inside me
You ride upon the clouds
You lead me to the truth
You are the Spirit inside me**

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
And I will sing again**

**You are my strong melody
You are my dancing rhythm
You are my perfect rhyme
And I will sing of You forever**

**You poured out all Your blood
You died upon the cross
You are my Jesus who loves me
You poured out all Your blood
You died upon the cross
You are my Jesus who loves me**

**You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
You are beautiful my sweet, sweet song
And I will sing again**

**You are my Father in Heaven
You are the Spirit inside me
You are my Jesus who loves me**

"You Are So Good To Me" written by Ben Pasley, Don Chaffer, Robin Pasley 1999 Blue Renaissance Music Hey Ruth Music
Squint Songs Scripture Reference: Mark 8:27-30; Matt: 16:13-20; Isaiah 12:1-6 CCLI Song # 2757944 CCLI License # 51072

"COME, NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP" Preservice #2

**Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God
Come**

**One day every tongue will confess You are God
One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains for those
Who gladly know You now**

**Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God
Come**

**One day every tongue will confess You are God
One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains for those
Who gladly know You now**

**Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God
Come**

"Come, Now Is The Time To Worship" written by Brian Doerksen 1998 Vineyard Songs Scripture Reference: Phil 2:6-11
CCLI Song: 2430948 CCLI License: 51072

Worship Theme

“Open Hearts”

Acts 18

The Holy Spirit empowers believers to declare the Gospel among both Jews and Gentiles. In doing so, they establish the Church. The Church is the fulfillment of God’s promises from the beginning of time.

+ *We Lift Our Hearts in Worship* +

“THY WORD” Opening Song

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

When I feel afraid and I Think I've lost my way,

Still you're there right beside me.

Nothing will I fear as long as You are near,

Please be near me to the end.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

I will not forget Your love for me and yet,

My heart forever is wandering.

Jesus be my guide and hold me to Your side,

and I will love You to the end.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

And a light unto my path, You're the light unto my path.

"Thy Word" written by Amy Grant, Michael W. Smith © 1984 Meadowgreen Music Company Scripture Reference: Psalm 119:105 CCLI Song: 14301 CCLI License: 51072

INVOCATION

Pastor The Lord is gracious and kind. He binds up the broken hearted and gives strength to the weary. He heals the sick, gives sight to the blind, and restores what has been lost. Open your hearts to Him today!

ALL Lord, we open our hearts to You and You alone.

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Father, when Your Spirit moves in us, we are changed. When Your Word is spoken, we are drawn to You. We long to be in Your presence. Thank you for promising to never leave us nor forsake us. We are Your children.

ALL We are Your Church, the Bride of Christ. We belong to you. Open our eyes and ears to receive Your Word.

Pastor In Jesus’ name, Amen.

TIME OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor Lord, we are drawn to Your loving kindness and compassion.
ALL We confess to You, our Father in Heaven.

Pastor We confess because You promise to forgive us and because You love us unconditionally.
ALL Although we don't deserve this mercy, You chose to gift us salvation through Your Son, Jesus Christ. We confess to You now.

(Allow time for individual confession and reflection.)

Pastor Lord, You are faithful and true. Your compassion never fails and Your well satisfies always. Thank You for Your forgiveness and mercy. We are forgiven!
ALL We are forgiven! Amen.

† We Hear God's Word †

**Acts 18:1-4, 18, 24-26 (ESV).....page 1724-25 in NIV pew Bible ...page 5 in bulletin
Revelation 21:9-14, 21-27 (ESV) ..page 1937-38 in NIV pew Bible.....page 6 in bulletin
John 16:23-33 (ESV).....page 1679 in NIV pew Bible.....page 7 in bulletin**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Pastor There is a God who is like no other. Let's proclaim His greatness and majesty!
ALL The Lord is God and there is no one like Him. No one and nothing can stand against Him. Nothing is impossible for Him. He created the universe, the things seen and unseen, and even the heavens declare His glory.

The Lord is Jesus Christ, the Son, and the Light of the world. In Him is life and the life is the light that shines on the darkness of humanity. He set us free through His death and resurrection. We sing praise to the King of Kings, Jesus Christ!

The Lord is the Holy Spirit. He pours Himself out on us like fresh rain and fire. The Lord God, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit operate together as one. Amen.

“THIS I BELIEVE” (THE CREED) Sermon Song

**Our Father everlasting
The all creating One
God Almighty**

**Through Your Holy Spirit
Conceiving Christ the Son
Jesus our Savior**

**I believe in God our Father
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit
Our God is three in one
I believe in the resurrection
That we will rise again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus**

**Our Judge and our Defender
Suffered and crucified
Forgiveness is in You**

**Descended into darkness
You rose in glorious life
Forever seated high**

**I believe in God our Father
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit
Our God is three in one
I believe in the resurrection
That we will rise again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus**

**I believe in You
I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord**

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I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord**

**I believe in God our Father
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit
Our God is three in one
I believe in the resurrection
That we will rise again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus**

**I believe in life eternal
I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saints' communion
And in Your holy Church**

**I believe in the resurrection
When Jesus comes again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus
For I believe in the Name of Jesus
For I believe in the Name of Jesus**

"This I Believe (The Creed)" written by Ben Fielding, Matt Crocker 2014 Hillsong Music Publishing Scripture Reference: John 3:16, Romans 1:16 CCLI Song: 7018338 CCLI License: 51072

MESSAGE "Who Are You"Acts 18

OFFERING

"FATHER I ADORE YOU"Offering Song

**Father, I adore You
Lay my life before You
How I love You**

**Jesus, I adore You
Lay my life before You
How I love You**

**Spirit I adore You
Lay my life before You
How I love You**

"Father I Adore You" written by Terrye Coelho 1972 Maranatha! Music Scripture Reference: John 17:1 CCLI Song: 26557 CCLI License: 51072

† We Pray †

PRAYERS.....Page 7 and 8 of the bulletin

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 Together let's gather together in one heart and one mind and rejoice in Jesus Christ who was crushed and pierced for us. He is the bread of God that came down from heaven and gives life to the world.

ALL We are hungry and thirsty, so we look to Christ, the Bread of Life and Eternal Thirst Quencher.

Pastor We eat and drink of the Lord's body and blood and remember His suffering in order to bring us to God. Thank You, Jesus, for true life in the Spirit.

ALL Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

"AMAZING GRACE (MY CHAINS ARE GONE)"

Communion Song

**Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch like me.
I once was lost, but now am 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.**

**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 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.**

*"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)" written by Chris Tomlin, John Newton, Louid Giglio 2006 worshiptogether.com
songs Scripture Reference: Ephesians 2:8-9, Psalm 44:8 CCLI Song: 4768151 CCLI License: 51072*

DISMISSAL BLESSING

Pastor May God be merciful to us and smile with favor on us.
ALL May the Lord bless us.

† We Depart in Peace †

BENEDICTION

Pastor Every tribe, tongue, and people of all nations praise the Lord! Be open to His
wonderful presence.
ALL Bless the Lord, O my soul! We praise you and love you. Amen.

"LOVE THE LORD"

Closing Song

**Love the Lord Your God
With all your heart with all your soul
With all your mind and with all your strength
Love the Lord Your God
With all your heart with all your soul
With all your mind and with all your strength**

**With all your heart with all your soul
With all your mind with all your strength
Love the Lord Your God
With all your heart with all your soul
With all your mind and with all your strength**

**I will serve the Lord with all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind and with all my strength
I will serve the Lord with all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind and with all my strength
With all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind with all my strength**

**I will serve the Lord with all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind and with all my strength**

**I will love You (I will love You)
I will praise You (I will praise You)
I will serve You (I will serve You)
I will trust You (I will trust You)**

**With all my heart, with all my soul
With all my mind, with all my strength
With all my heart, with all my soul
With all my mind, with all my strength**

**I will love you Lord with all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind and with all my strength
I will love you Lord with all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind and with all my strength
I will love you Lord with all my heart with all my soul
With all my mind and with all my strength**

"Love The Lord" written by Lincoln Brewster 2005 Integrity's Praise! Music Scripture Reference: Mark 12:20, Luke 10:27
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**TRUST
IN THE
LORD
WITH ALL
YOUR ♥**
{proverbs 3:5}

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.*