

10:30 CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE

AS WE GATHER

We consider today all of the division and conflict that exists in the world, in our church, and in our lives. Jesus cares deeply about reconciliation, about people coming together and forgiving one another. It is even part of the Lord's Prayer: "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us." Whatever grudges you are holding can be overcome with the peace of Christ.

"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**

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"Goodness Love And Mercy"

Preservice #2

**Oh Lord You're my Shepherd
You make me lie in fields of green
You lead me by the still waters
You restore righteousness to me
Though I walk through the valley
I will fear no evil thing
For You are with me and You comfort me**

**Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go
Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go
Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go**

**Oh Lord You're my Shepherd
You make me lie in fields of green
You lead me by the still waters
You restore righteousness to me
Though I walk through the valley
I will fear no evil thing
For You are with me and You comfort me**

**Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go
Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go
Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go**

**I'm gonna dwell in the house of the Lord forever
I'm gonna dwell in the house of the Lord forever
I'm gonna dwell in the house of the Lord forever
I'm gonna dwell in the house of the Lord forever**

**Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go
Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go
Surely goodness love and mercy will follow wherever I go**

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**BELLS – CALL TO WORSHIP
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

“How Can I Keep From Singing?”

Opening Song

**There is an endless song
Echoes in my soul
I hear the music ring
And though storms may come
I am holding on
To the rock I cling**

**How can I keep from singing Your praise?
How can I ever say enough?
How amazing is Your love?
How can I keep from shouting Your name?
I know I am loved by the King
And it makes my heart want to sing**

**I will lift my eyes
In the darkest night
For I know my Savior lives
And I will walk with You
Knowing You see me through
And sing the songs You give**

**How can I keep from singing Your praise?
How can I ever say enough?
How amazing is Your love?
How can I keep from shouting Your name?
I know I am loved by the King
And it makes my heart want to sing**

**I can sing in the troubled times
Sing when I win
I can sing when I lose my step
And I fall down again**

**I can sing 'cause You pick me up
Sing 'cause You're there
I can sing 'cause You hear me, Lord
When I call to You in prayer**

**I can sing with my last breath
Sing for I know
That I'll sing with the angels
And the saints around the throne**

**How can I keep from singing Your praise?
How can I ever say enough?
How amazing is Your love?
How can I keep from shouting Your name?**

**I know I am loved by the King
And it makes my heart
I am loved by the King
And it makes my heart
I am loved by the King
And it makes my heart want to sing**

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INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

OPENING SENTENCES

Pastor: Blessed are those whose way is blameless,

People: who walk in the law of the Lord.

Pastor: Blessed are the peacemakers,

People: for they shall be called sons of God.

Pastor: The Lord has made known His salvation.

People: He has revealed His righteousness in the sight of the nations.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: God calls on us to be blameless, to live in peace with one another, to not hold grudges or be angry with anyone. But we have failed to live as God has instructed. We have created division and discord. We have refused to be reconciled with others. We come before our heavenly Father to ask for His forgiveness.

Silence for reflection.

Pastor: Heavenly Father,

People: we confess that we have not always walked in Your ways. We confess that we have ignored and avoided conflict rather than seek reconciliation. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive our sins. Bring Your reconciliation and peace that surpasses all understanding into our lives.

Pastor: Even though we have held on to our anger and resentment of others, our heavenly Father sent Jesus to be our reconciliation and peace. By the blood of Jesus, we are reconciled to God and can approach Him in all confidence. By the blood of Jesus, we are reconciled with one another. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen. We are reconciled and at peace with God. We are forgiven in Christ.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray. O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Deuteronomy 30:15–20

On page 320 in NIV pew Bible

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CHOIR (8:00 & 10:30)

“We Believe”

Death is swallowed up in victory. O Death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?

1 Corinthians 15:55

GRADUAL

Psalm 117:1–2a; 96:8

Pastor: Praise the LORD, all nations!

People: Extol Him, all peoples!

Pastor: For great is His steadfast love toward us,

People: and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.

Pastor: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name;

People: bring an offering, and come into His courts!

EPISTLE

On page 1774 in NIV pew Bible

1 Corinthians 3:1–9

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CHILDREN’S SERMON

VERSE

Ephesians 5:2

Pastor: Alleluia. Walk in love, as Christ loved us

People: and gave **Himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. Alleluia.**

HOLY GOSPEL

On page 1502 in NIV pew Bible

Matthew 5:21–37

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CREED

Apostles 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.

“God With Us”

Sermon Song

**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 The People Said Amen”

**You are not alone if you are lonely
When you feel afraid you're not the only
We are all the same in need of mercy
To be forgiven and be free
It's all you got to lean on
But thank God it's all you need**

**And all the people said amen whoa
And all the people said amen
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends
And all the people said amen**

**If you're rich or poor well it don't matter
Weak or strong you know love is what we're after
We're all broken but we're all in this together
God knows we stumble and fall
And He so loved the world
He sent His Son to save us all**

**And all the people said amen whoa
And all the people said amen
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends
And all the people said amen**

**Blessed are the poor in spirit who are torn apart
Blessed are the persecuted and the pure in heart
Blessed are the people hungry for another start
For theirs is the kingdom the kingdom of God**

**And all the people said amen whoa
And all the people said amen
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends
And all the people said amen**

**And all the people said amen whoa
And all the people said amen
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends
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