



The Worship of God

Sunday, January 17, 2021

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He makes me to lie down in green pastures;
He leads me beside the still waters. He restores my soul.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life;
And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*
~ Psalm 23: 1-3a, 6

Invitation to WorshipChristian Johns, Youth Minister

Instrumental Prelude Kathleen Wilkins, Organist

Songs of Joy

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.

Refrain:

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.

Refrain

I'll never know
how much it cost,
to see my sin upon that cross.

(repeat)

Refrain

Speak to My Heart

Speak to my heart, Lord Jesus,
speak that my soul may hear.
Speak to my heart, Lord Jesus,
calm every doubt and fear.

Refrain:

Speak to my heart,
oh, speak to my heart,
speak to my heart, I pray;
yielded and still, seeking Thy will,
oh, speak to my heart today.

Morning Prayer Greg Stahl, Assoc. Pastor for Worship & Music

Based on Psalm 23

Loving Shepherd, you know our names;
you care for us.

***The Lord is our shepherd; we shall not want.
You make us to lie down in green pastures;
You lead us beside the still waters.
You restore our souls;
You lead us in the paths of righteousness
For Your name's sake.***

When we face darkness and death,
walk beside us.

***Yea, though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
We will fear no evil, for You are with us;
Your rod and Your staff, they comfort us.***

Father, when we hunger for your love,
fill us with your presence.
When we are fearful, feed us at your table.

***You prepare a table before us in the presence of our enemies;
You anoint our heads with oil; our cup runs over.***

May we dwell in the house of goodness and mercy
all the days of our lives.

***Surely goodness and mercy shall follow us
All the days of our lives;
And we will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. Amen.***

The Bond of Love

We are one in the bond of love.
We are one in the bond of love.
We have joined our spirits
with the Spirit of God.
We are one in the bond of love.

Words of Welcome Greg Stahl

Songs of Prayer

My Lord Is Near Me All the Time

In the lightning flash across the sky
His mighty power I see,
And I know if He can reign on high,
His light can shine on me.

Refrain:

I've seen it in the lightning,
heard it in the thunder,
and felt it in the rain;
My Lord is near me all the time.
My Lord is near me all the time.

When the thunder shakes the mighty hills
and trembles every tree,
Then I know a God so great and strong
can surely harbor me.

Refrain

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, oh, God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee.
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not.
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain:

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Refrain

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Refrain

Pastoral PrayerDr. Brian Brewer, Interim Pastor

The Lord's PrayerCongregation

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed by Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever.
Amen

Message In Song.....Gabrielle Reed Weinel

The Lord's Prayer

SermonDr. Brewer

Our Father

First in a series on the Lord's Prayer
Matthew 6:9-13

Closing Song

As the Deer

As the deer pants for the water,
So my soul longs after Thee.
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship Thee.

Refrain:

You alone are my strength, my shield.
To you alone may my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship Thee.

I want you more than gold or silver,
Only you can satisfy.
You alone are the real joygiver,
And the apple of my eye.

Refrain

BenedictionDr. Brewer