



SOUTH CHARLOTTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, July 5, 2020

Welcome

Call to Worship

Psalm 107: 1, 4-5, 8-9

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

Some wandered in desert wastes, finding no way to a city to dwell in; hungry and thirsty, their soul fainted within them.

Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress.

Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!

For he satisfies the longing soul, and the hungry soul he fills with good things.

Worship in Song

IN CHRIST ALONE

IN CHRIST ALONE MY HOPE IS FOUND
HE IS MY LIGHT MY STRENGTH MY SONG
THIS CORNERSTONE THIS SOLID GROUND
FIRM THROUGH THE FIERCEST DROUGHT AND STORM
WHAT HEIGHTS OF LOVE WHAT DEPTHS OF PEACE
WHEN FEARS ARE STILLED WHEN STRIVINGS CEASE
MY COMFORTER MY ALL IN ALL
HERE IN THE LOVE OF CHRIST I STAND

IN CHRIST ALONE WHO TOOK ON FLESH
FULLNESS OF GOD IN HELPLESS BABE
THIS GIFT OF LOVE AND RIGHTEOUSNESS
SCORNE BY THE ONES HE CAME TO SAVE
TIL ON THAT CROSS AS JESUS DIED
THE WRATH OF GOD WAS SATISFIED
FOR EVERY SIN ON HIM WAS LAID

HERE IN THE DEATH OF CHRIST I LIVE

THERE IN THE GROUND HIS BODY LAY
LIGHT OF THE WORLD BY DARKNESS SLAIN
THEN BURSTING FORTH IN GLORIOUS DAY
UP FROM THE GRAVE HE ROSE AGAIN
AND AS HE STANDS IN VICTORY
SIN'S CURSE HAS LOST ITS GRIP ON ME
FOR I AM HIS AND HE IS MINE
BOUGHT WITH THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF CHRIST

NO GUILT IN LIFE NO FEAR IN DEATH
THIS IS THE POWER OF CHRIST IN ME
FROM LIFE'S FIRST CRY TO FINAL BREATH
JESUS COMMANDS MY DESTINY
NO POWER OF HELL NO SCHEME OF MAN
CAN EVER PLUCK ME FROM HIS HAND
TIL HE RETURNS OR CALLS ME HOME
HERE IN THE POWER OF CHRIST I'LL STAND

GOD IS ABLE

GOD IS ABLE, HE WILL NEVER FAIL
HE IS ALMIGHTY GOD
GREATER THAN ALL WE SEEK, GREATER THAN ALL WE ASK
HE HAS DONE GREAT THINGS

LIFTED UP HE DEFEATED THE GRAVE
RAISED TO LIFE OUR GOD IS ABLE
IN HIS NAME WE OVERCOME
FOR THE LORD OUR GOD IS ABLE

GOD IS WITH US, GOD IS ON OUR SIDE
HE WILL MAKE A WAY
FAR ABOVE ALL WE KNOW, FAR ABOVE ALL WE HOPE
HE HAS DONE GREAT THINGS

GOD IS WITH US, HE WILL GO BEFORE
HE WILL NEVER LEAVE US, HE WILL NEVER LEAVE US
GOD IS FOR US, HE HAS OPEN ARMS
HE WILL NEVER FAIL US, HE WILL NEVER FAIL US

FOR THE LORD OUR GOD IS ABLE
FOR THE LORD OUR GOD IS ABLE

10,000 REASONS

BLESS THE LORD O MY SOUL O MY SOUL
WORSHIP HIS HOLY NAME
SING LIKE NEVER BEFORE O MY SOUL
I'LL WORSHIP YOUR HOLY NAME

THE SUN COMES UP, IT'S A NEW DAY DAWNING
IT'S TIME TO SING YOUR SONG AGAIN
WHATEVER MAY PASS AND WHATEVER LIES BEFORE ME
LET ME BE SINGING WHEN THE EVENING COMES

YOU'RE RICH IN LOVE AND YOU'RE SLOW TO ANGER
YOUR NAME IS GREAT AND YOUR HEART IS KIND
FOR ALL YOUR GOODNESS I WILL KEEP ON SINGING
TEN THOUSAND REASONS FOR MY HEART TO FIND

AND ON THAT DAY WHEN MY STRENGTH IS FAILING
THE END DRAWS NEAR AND MY TIME HAS COME
STILL MY SOUL WILL SING YOUR PRAISE UNENDING
TEN THOUSAND YEARS AND THEN FOREVERMORE

I'LL WORSHIP YOUR HOLY NAME
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Pastoral Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen. (taken from Matt 6.9-13)

Scripture Reading

Exodus 16:1-15

They set out from Elim, and all the congregation of the people of Israel came to the wilderness of Sin, which is between Elim and Sinai, on the fifteenth day of the second month after they had departed from the land of Egypt. And the whole congregation of the people of Israel grumbled against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness, and the people of Israel said to them, "Would that we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

Then the Lord said to Moses, "Behold, I am about to rain bread from heaven for you, and the people shall go out and gather a day's portion every day, that I may test them, whether they will walk in my law or not. On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather daily." So Moses and Aaron said to all the people of Israel, "At evening

you shall know that it was the Lord who brought you out of the land of Egypt, and in the morning you shall see the glory of the Lord, because he has heard your grumbling against the Lord. For what are we, that you grumble against us?" And Moses said, "When the Lord gives you in the evening meat to eat and in the morning bread to the full, because the Lord has heard your grumbling that you grumble against him—what are we? Your grumbling is not against us but against the Lord."

Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, 'Come near before the Lord, for he has heard your grumbling.'" And as soon as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, they looked toward the wilderness, and behold, the glory of the Lord appeared in the cloud. And the Lord said to Moses, "I have heard the grumbling of the people of Israel. Say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall be filled with bread. Then you shall know that I am the Lord your God.'"

In the evening quail came up and covered the camp, and in the morning dew lay around the camp. And when the dew had gone up, there was on the face of the wilderness a fine, flake-like thing, fine as frost on the ground. When the people of Israel saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. And Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Freed to Follow: Where Your Hunger Will Be Satisfied

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Exodus 16:1-15

- I. Grumbling and Forgetting Providence Revealed in an Age of Self-Help and Luck (Ex. 16:1-3)
- II. God Alone Satisfies Our Need for Daily Bread by Grace Alone in Seasons of Testing (Ex. 16:4-6)
- III. God Provides the Bread of Life through a Mediator, the Christ (Ex. 16:9-15, Jn. 6)

Song of Response

LORD I NEED YOU

LORD I COME, I CONFESS
BOWING HERE I FIND MY REST
WITHOUT YOU I FALL APART
YOU'RE THE ONE THAT GUIDES MY HEART

LORD I NEED YOU, OH I NEED YOU
EVERY HOUR I NEED YOU
MY ONE DEFENSE MY RIGHTEOUSNESS
OH GOD HOW I NEED YOU

WHERE SIN RUNS DEEP YOUR GRACE IS MORE
WHERE GRACE IS FOUND IS WHERE YOU ARE
AND WHERE YOU ARE LORD I AM FREE
HOLINESS IS CHRIST IN ME

TEACH MY SONG TO RISE TO YOU
WHEN TEMPTATION COMES MY WAY
AND WHEN I CANNOT STAND I'LL FALL ON YOU
JESUS YOU'RE MY HOPE AND STAY

MY ONE DEFENSE MY RIGHTEOUSNESS
OH GOD HOW I NEED YOU
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