



*July 28, 2024*  
**At Home Bulletin**

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

I will bless the LORD at all times;  
Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD?  
And who shall stand in his holy place?

**He who has clean hands and a pure heart,  
who does not lift up his soul to what is false  
and does not swear deceitfully.**

He will receive blessing from the LORD  
and righteousness from the God of his salvation.

**Such is the generation of those who seek him,  
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.**

O magnify the LORD with me.  
**Let us exalt God's name together!**

*Psalm 24:3-6 & 34:3*

## **INVOCATION**

## **SONGS OF PRAISE**

*Psalm 148*

Tune: Rejoice the Lord is King

### ***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 (*chorus*)

Chorus

So here I am to worship here I am to bow down  
Here I am to say that You're my God  
And 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. (*chorus*)

Bridge

And I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sin upon that cross  
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To see my sin upon that cross. 2Xs (*chorus twice*)  
Here I am to worship

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## **GOD'S LAW AND OUR CONFESSION**

“Again, you have heard that it was said to the people long ago, ‘Do not break your oath, but fulfill to the Lord the vows you have made.’ But I tell you, do not swear an oath at all: either by heaven, for it is God’s throne; or by the earth, for it is his footstool; or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the Great King. And do not swear by your head, for you cannot make even one hair white or black. All you need to say is simply ‘Yes’ or ‘No’; anything beyond this comes from the evil one.” *Matthew 5:33-37*

O King of Glory, hear our prayer.

**We confess that our praise of your majesty has often been faint,  
our performance as citizens of your kingdom treasonous.**

**For we have surrendered to the enemy**

**by our secret and our known sins.**

**For our treason you died, Lord Jesus.**

**For our restoration, you rose again.**

Have mercy on us, O Lord.

**Draw us closer to you this day,  
that our eyes may catch the vision of your tears,  
and our hearts, the wonder of your grace.  
By the Holy Spirit's continuing discipline,  
let us be loyal and loving servants of the King.**

## SILENT CONFESSION

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Isaiah 53:4-6*

Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

### PROFESSION OF FAITH

Christians, what do we believe?

**We 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 the 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, and 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 sitteth on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.  
And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life; who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spake by the Prophets.  
And one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*Nicene Creed*

### CHILDREN'S SERMON

*Psalms 8:1-2*

O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens. Out of the mouth of babies and infants, you have established strength because of your foes, to still the enemy and the avenger.

### RECEPTION OF OFFERINGS

## PRAYER

**Our Father who art 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 forgive 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.**

## HYMN OF PREPARATION

*Speak O Lord*

Speak, O Lord, as we come to you,  
To receive the food of your holy Word.  
Take your truth, plant it deep in us;  
Shape and fashion us in your likeness;  
That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.  
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us  
All your purposes for your glory.

Teach us Lord, full obedience,  
Holy reverence, true humility.  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes,  
In the radiance of your purity.  
Cause our faith to rise, cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority.  
Words of pow'r that can never fail;  
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;  
help us grasp the heights of your plans for us.  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time  
That will echo down through eternity.  
And by grace we'll stand on your promises;  
And by faith we'll walk as you walk with us.  
Speak, O Lord, til your church is built,  
And the earth is filled with your glory.

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## SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 9:51-62

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## SERMON

"The Measure of Mission"

Pastor Ian Hard

## HYMN OF RESPONSE\*

### *Glori Patri*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen.

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## CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

*If you are following along at home, please refrain from taking Communion  
as it is a form of worship meant to be celebrated in the physical presence  
of the body of Christ.*

## HYMN OF SENDING

### *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Come Thou fount of ev'ry blessing  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace  
Streams of mercy never ceasing  
Call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet  
Sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it  
Mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer  
Hither by Thy help I'm come  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure  
Safely to arrive at home  
Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wand'ring from the fold of God  
He to rescue me from danger  
Interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be  
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter  
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee  
Prone to wander Lord I feel it  
Prone to leave the God I love  
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it  
Seal it for Thy courts above.

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## BENEDICTION

**Sermon NOTES:** The Measure of Mission