

2020

“Behold, The Mighty Hand of God”



“Lord, Save Me!”

WELCOME TO WORSHIP
TENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST

**Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship
with us today!**

Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence,
so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us
in our time of need. *Hebrews 4:16*

Call Statement:

“My call is to share my Faith in Christ”

Mission Statement:

*“To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships
so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior.”*

PRELUDE

Beth Helwagen

WELCOME AND PRAYER

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Leader: Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for us and, for His sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you
(Wave to each other)

HYMN

How Great is Our God

Verse 1

The splendor of the King, Clothed in majesty;
Let all the earth rejoice, All the earth rejoice.
He wraps Himself in light, And darkness tries to hide,
And trembles at His voice, And trembles at His voice.

Chorus
How great is our God!
Sing with me: How great is our God!
And all will see how great,
How great is our God!

Verse 2

And age to age He stands, And time is in His hands;
Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End.
The Godhead, three in one, Father, Spirit, Son.
The Lion and the Lamb, The Lion and the Lamb.

Chorus

BRIDGE

Name above all names, Worthy of all praise.
My heart will sing: How great is our God!
(repeat)

Chorus

Chorus

APOSTOLIC GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: Almighty Lord,

All: In confidence of Your goodness and great mercy, O Lord, I draw near to You, as a sick person to the healer, as one hungry and thirsty to the fountain of life, a creature to the Creator, a desolate soul to my own tender Comforter. Behold, in You is everything I can or should desire. You are my salvation and my redemption, my hope and my strength. Bring joy, therefore, to the soul of Your servant; for to You, O Lord, have I lifted my soul. Amen.

Thomas a Kempis, mediaeval priest, author of *The Imitation of Christ* (15th Century)

LESSONS

Job 38:4 - 18
Romans 10:5 - 17

GOSPEL

Matthew 14:22 - 33

THE MESSAGE

Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

And he Cried, "Lord, Save Me!"

SONG

Jesus

Verse 1

There is a truth older than the ages.
There is a promise of things yet to come.
There is One born for our salvation: Jesus.

Verse 2

There is a light that overwhelms the darkness.
There is a kingdom that forever reigns.
There is freedom from the chains that bind us: Jesus.
Jesus.

Chorus 1

Who walks on the waters, Who speaks to the sea,
Who stands in the fire beside me.
He roars like a lion. He bled as the Lamb.
He carries my healing in His hands; Jesus.

Verse 3

There is a name I call in times of trouble.
There is a song that comforts in the night.
There is a voice that calms the storm that rages:
He is Jesus, Jesus.

Chorus 1

Bridge
Messiah, My Savior,
There is power in Your name.
You're my rock and my Redeemer;
There is power in Your name, In Your name.

Chorus 2

You walk on the waters. You speak to the sea.
You stand in the fire beside me.
You roar like a lion. You bled as the Lamb.
You carry my healing in Your hands.

Chorus 3

God, You walk on the waters. You speak to the sea.
You stand in the fire beside me.
You roar like a lion. You bled as the Lamb.
You carry my healing in Your hands.

Ending

Jesus. There is no one like You
Jesus. There is no one like You

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father in prayer.

Pastor: *(After each petition. . .)* Lord, in your mercy,

All: **hear our prayer.**

Pastor: . . . Into your hands, Father, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER - *in unison*

All: Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be 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;

and 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.

THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

All: **Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen.**

THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen.

HYMN Leaning on The Everlasting Arms

Verse 1

What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!

Chorus

Leaning, leaning, Safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Verse 2

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!
O how bright the path
Grows from day to day,
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Chorus

Verse 3

What have I to dread, what have I to fear,
Leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Chorus

THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

NEXT SUNDAY August 16, 2020
Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Isaiah 56:1, 6-8 Psalm 67 Romans 11:1-2a,13-15, 28-32
Matthew 15:21-28

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