

Music for Meditation | Joanne Van Dyke (piano), Men's Ensemble

Call to Worship | John 12:12-13

The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!"

Trinity Hymnal 235 All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Trinity Hymnal 295 | Crown Him with Many Crowns

Opening Prayer of Adoration

Scripture Reading | Psalm 72:18-19

Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel, who alone does wondrous things. Blessed be his glorious name forever; may the whole earth be filled with his glory! Amen and Amen!

Song | Blest Be the Lord

Reading from The Valley of Vision | The Great God (insert)

Song | O Great God

Congregational Prayer

Tithes and Offerings followed by Prayer of Dedication | General Fund

Scripture | Daniel 5

Sermon | "The Handwriting on the Wall" | Pastor Michael J. Schout

Prayer of Application

Trinity Hymnal 469 | How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place

Benediction

Silent Prayer | Postlude

The Great God

(From The Valley of Vision)

O FOUNTAIN OF ALL GOOD,

Destroy in me every lofty thought,
Break pride to pieces and scatter it to the winds,
Annihilate each clinging shred of self-righteousness,
Implant in me true lowliness of spirit,
Abase me to self-loathing and self-abhorrence,
Open in me a fount of penitential tears,
Break me, then bind me up;

Thus will my heart be a prepared dwelling for my God; Then can the Father take up his abode in me, Then can the blessed Jesus come with healing in his touch, Then can the Holy Spirit descend in sanctifying grace;

O Holy Trinity, three Persons and one God, inhabit me, a temple consecrated to thy glory.

When thou art present, evil cannot abide;
In thy fellowship is fullness of joy,
Beneath thy smile is peace of conscience,
By thy side no fears disturb, no apprehensions banish rest of mind,
With thee my heart shall bloom with fragrance;
Make me meet, through repentance, for thine indwelling.

Nothing exceeds thy power,

Nothing is too great for thee to do,

Nothing too good for thee to give.

Infinite is thy might, boundless thy love, limitless thy grace,
glorious thy saving name.

Let angels sing for sinners repenting, prodigals restored, backsliders reclaimed, Satan's captives released, blind eyes opened, broken hearts bound up, the despondent cheered, the self-righteous stripped, the formalist driven from a refuge of lies, the ignorant enlightened, and saints built up in their holy faith.

I ask great things of a great God.