

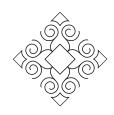
## Lord's Day Worship

June 28, 2020

### Before You Start

- Pick a time and place. We know that disruptions may come up, but do your best to preserve this time. It is powerful when we slow down, take time to worship, and pay attention to the way God is moving. Put phones and other distractions away.
- Designate a leader to transition through the elements of the liturgy. Portions that say "together" will be read or prayed by everyone. This practice will help you stay focused and help the service flow more naturally.
- Don't feel a need to rush through everything! If God's doing something, linger there.
- Remember your participation in the whole of it matters! Try to avoid just listening
  to the sermon, but participate in as many of the elements you can. Every element is
  formative and shaping us in particular and powerful ways, not just the preached
  Word of God. If it's time to sing, sing with passion. If it's time to read, read with
  confidence.
- We put everything in order so you can simply scroll down through the order of the liturgy. We know that this might feel a little weird, but as you interact with our content this morning, know that you are not alone. God is with us and many others around the world are worshiping in the same way today.
- Last but not least, give tons of grace to yourself. Dependent on if you're engaging solo or with others will affect how this plays itself out. Kids will adjust how things go and that's ok. Experiment one way this week and if something doesn't work, adjust it. God is with you. God is in you. He loves you and will guide you in these times.

We love you all and can't wait to gather again as a whole church body, but until then, lead with faith and confidence. We trust that God will be using this time of scattering to gather us to Himself and deepen our roots in Him.



## **Order of Worship**

June 28, 2020

## Call to Worship: Psalm 84:1-2, 4, 10-11

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!

My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the Lord; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.

Family: Blessed are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise!

Blessed are those whose strength is in you, in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

Leader: For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God

than dwell in the tents of wickedness.

Family: For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord bestows favor and honor.

No good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly.

O Lord of hosts, blessed is the one who trusts in you!

The reason that one day in God's house is better than a thousand elsewhere is because God is there. He's the one we treasure. He's the one who is our joy. So, let's now cry out together to the living God, whose Spirit is water to our thirsty souls, and is the only one who can truly satisfy our hearts.

### **Songs of Adoration**

Sing the first <u>two</u> songs on the YouTube or Spotify play list: **Better is One Day** and **Living Hope** 

### **Better Is One Day**

Matt Redman

Key - E | Tempo - 77 | Time - 4/4



### **VERSE 1**

E<sup>5</sup> A<sup>2</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

How lovely is Your dwelling place O Lord Al - mighty

E<sup>5</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

For my soul longs and even faints for You

 $E^5$   $A^2$   $B^{sus}$ 

For here my heart is satisfied within Your presence

E<sup>5</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

I sing beneath the shadow of Your wings

### **CHORUS**

 $A^2$ 

Better is one day in Your courts

Bsus

Better is one day in Your house

 $A^2$  A/C#  $B^{sus}$ 

Better is one day in Your courts than thousands elsewhere

 $E/G\# A^2$ 

Better is one day in Your courts

**B**sus

Better is one day in Your house

A<sup>2</sup> A/C# B<sup>sus</sup> (To Bridge)

Better is one day in Your courts than thousands elsewhere

(1st Ending) E<sup>5</sup> (To Verse 2)

Than thousands elsewhere

 $(2nd Ending) \mid A^2 \mid (Last time)$ 

#### **VERSE 2**

E<sup>5</sup> A<sup>2</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

One thing I ask and I would seek to see Your beauty

E<sup>5</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

To find You in the place Your glory dwells

E<sup>5</sup> A<sup>2</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

One thing I ask and I would seek to see Your beauty

E<sup>5</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

To find You in the place Your glory dwells

### **BRIDGE 1**

**B**sus  $A^2$ C#m<sup>7</sup> My heart and flesh cry out for You the living God C#m<sup>7</sup> Your Spirit's water to my soul C#m<sup>7</sup> Α2 I've tasted and I've seen come once again to me **B**sus F#m<sup>7</sup> E/G# I will draw near to You I will draw near to You to You  $IA^2$ I B<sup>sus</sup>  $IA^2$ | B<sup>sus</sup>

### **BRIDGE 2**

Better is one day better is one day

E/G# A<sup>2</sup> A/C# B<sup>sus</sup>

Better is one day than thousands elsewhere

A<sup>2</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

Better is one day better is one day

A<sup>2</sup> B<sup>sus</sup>

Better is one day than thousands elsewhere

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## **Living Hope**

Phil Wickham and Brian Johnson (based on the recording by Phil Wickham)

Tempo - 72 | Time - 4/4

Key - Eb

INTRO

Ab2 ΙEν ΙEν | Ab2

VERSE 1

Εb Bbsus

How great the chasm that lay be-tween us

Ab2 C<sub>m</sub>7 B♭sus

How high the mountain I could not climb

> Fb **B**bsus

In desper - ation I turned to heaven

A 62 Bbsus

And spoke Your name in to the night

Ab2 ЕЬ

Then through the darkness Your loving - kindness

Cm7 Bb(4)

Tore through the shadows of my soul

Bbsus

The work is finished, the end is written

B♭sus E۶ A > 2

Jesus Christ, my living hope

VERSE 2

Εb Bbsus

Who could im-agine so great a mercy?

A > 2 C<sub>m</sub>7 **B**bsus

What heart could fathom such boundless grace?

The God of ages stepped down from glory

Ab Bbsus Εb

To wear my sin and bear my shame

A > 2

The cross has spoken, I am for - given

Cm7 Bb(4)

The King of kings calls me His own

Εb

Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours for - ever

Ab B♭sus

Jesus Christ, my living hope

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#### CHORUS

 $A\flat 2$   $E\flat$   $B\flat$  Cm7 Halle-lujah, praise the One who set me free!

Ab2 Eb Bb Cm7

Halle-lu - jah, death has lost its grip on me!

Ab2 Eb Bb Cm7

You have broken ev'ry chain, there's sal-vation in Your name

(1st Ending) Eb/Bb Ab2 Bbsus Bb Eb (To Chorus)

Jesus Christ, my liv - ing hope

(2nd Ending) Eb/Bb Ab2 Bbsus Bb Cm Eb/G (To Ending)

Jesus Christ, my liv - ing hope

### VERSE 3

Eb Bbsus

Then came the morning that sealed the promise

Ab2 Cm7 Bbsus

Your buried body began to breathe

Eb Bbsus

Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion

(1st Ending) Ab2 Bbsus Eb (To Verse 3)

Declared the grave has no claim on me

(2nd Ending) Ab2 Bbsus Cm Eb/G

Declared the grave has no claim on me

Ab2 Eb/Bb Bb Eb (To Chorus)

Jesus, Yours is the vic - to - ry! Whoa

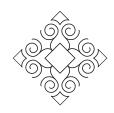
### **ENDING**

Ab2 Bbsus Bb Cm Eb/G

Jesus Christ, my liv - ing hope

Eb/Bb Ab2 Eb/Bb Bb Eb

O God, You are my liv - ing hope



### **Affirmation of Our Faith**

Let us affirm what we believe to be true by reciting from the *Heidelberg Catechism* (Question and Answer 1):

Q. What is your only comfort in life and death?

A. That I am not my own,

but belong with body and soul,

both in life and in death,

to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ.

He has fully paid for all my sins

with his precious blood,

and has set me free

from all the power of the devil.

He also preserves me in such a way

that without the will of my heavenly Father

not a hair can fall from my head;

indeed, all things must work together

for my salvation.

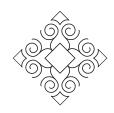
Therefore, by his Holy Spirit

he also assures me

of eternal life

and makes me heartily willing and ready

from now on to live for him.



## Prayers for Christ's Church and the World

Spend a few moments taking prayer requests. Pray with and for each other, our community, our church, our missionaries (Ambrose and Camiola Families), our nation, and the world.

### Sermon

"Trusting God in the Fiery Furnace" (Daniel 3)

Watch our teaching video on our church's YouTube Channel: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMH1wOLwfQUI6Xydt0HQPQ/">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMH1wOLwfQUI6Xydt0HQPQ/</a>

### **Sermon Discussion**

See the next page for discussion questions. Close your discussion in prayer.

## **Songs of Response**

Sing the last song on the YouTube or Spotify play list: Mighty to Save

## **Giving of Your Offerings**

If you are a part of our church family, one of the ways that we worship is through the faithful giving of our tithes and our offerings. Here are flexible ways you can contribute during this time: <a href="https://www.mdchurch.us/giving">https://www.mdchurch.us/giving</a>

### Mighty To Save

Ben Fielding | Reuben Morgan

Key - A | Tempo - 74 | Time - 4/4



### **VERSE 1**

D Ev'ryone needs com - passion, love that's never failing

Let mercy fall on me

Ev'ryone needs for - giveness, the kindness of a Saviour

The hope of nations

| D | E | D Ε

### **CHORUS**

Saviour, He can move the mountains

My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save

For - ever, Author of sal - vation

He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave

#### **INSTRUMENTAL 1**

ΙΑ | F#m l E

### **VERSE 2**

D So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures

Fill my life again

I give my life to follow, ev'rything I be - lieve in

Now I surrender

| D E | D Ε

#### **INSTRUMENTAL 2**

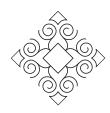
ΙE | E F#m | D Α

### **BRIDGE**

Shine your light and let the whole world D see F#m F#m for the glory of the risen We're singing King, Jesus Shine your light and let the whole world see F#m for the glory We're singing of the risen King

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# **Sermon Discussion Questions**

1.	What was one or two things that really jumped out to you?
2.	Consider your life over the past six months. Has there been a fiery trial that has nearly overwhelmed you? What has your response been?
3.	In what ways does Daniel 3 <u>comfort</u> you? Why should your hope increase because you know that God came down to rescue the three friends? What would it look lik for God to come down into your situation?
4.	In what ways does Daniel 3 <u>confront</u> you? Are you tempted to trust in other deliverers? To demand that God rescue?
5.	In light of this morning's sermon and all your discussions, what practical steps do you need to be taking to be displaying Christ personally, as a family, as a missiona community, and with the ministries of the church to your neighbors?