

Sunday Worship

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August 30, 2020

The Gospel &
Redemption in a Time of
Exodus

Live Stream Prelude

GATHERING

Pastors' Moment

Welcome/Call to Worship

> *Welcome from Grace Sacramento.*

> *My name is ... Thank you for joining us on the live stream of our worship service this morning.*

(anything personal you want to share)

1. We want to connect and hear from you. If you're visiting for the first time or are new to Grace, we would love to meet you, help answer any questions, add you to our weekly email or get you connected to our wonderful community.

You can let us know you were here by visiting us on our website. Find the "contact us" tab and let us know more about you and how we can care for you and your family.

2. If you are in need of material help or prayer or another kind of assistance, follow the resources button on our website.

3. If you'd like to give to Grace from home follow the "give" link on the menu for instructions for online giving or where to mail a gift if you'd like. [Pause]

Call to Worship

I'd like to invite you to stand with me if you are able as we are called into worship by God's words from Psalm 150.

[1] Praise the Lord! Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in His mighty heavens!

[2] Praise Him for his mighty deeds; praise Him according to His excellent greatness!

[3] Praise Him with trumpet sound; praise Him with lute and harp!

[4] Praise Him with tambourine and dance; praise Him with strings and pipe!

[5] Praise Him with sounding cymbals; praise Him with loud clashing cymbals!

[6] Let everything that has breath praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!

Let's praise the Lord!

King Of Kings

C, V1, C, V2, C, B, C(x2), tag

Enough

C, V1, C, V2, C, B, C(x2)

Confession/Assurance

Isaiah 1:4; Psalm 145:13-21

O Lord, God of joy, we confess that You have looked upon us and have seen us as we are: a sinful people, joyless, thankless, and laden with iniquity.

We are sinners and the offspring of sinners. We have too often forsaken You; we have too often despised Your blessings; we have too often become estranged from You, from one another, and from our calling.

But, You O Lord are faithful in all Your words and kind in all Your works. You look upon us, O Lord, and You uphold all who fall and raise up those who are bowed down.

Therefore our eyes look to You with thanksgiving, and You give us our sustenance in due season. You bring joy and gladness out of mourning and sorrow.

You are near to all who call on You, to all who call on You in truth.

[Silent moment for calling on the Lord]

Assurance of Pardon (Isaiah 41:9-10)

Hear the promise of the Lord, "You are my servant, I have chosen you and not cast you off; fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with My own righteous right hand."

O Lord, You see our distresses and You hear the cry of the brokenhearted.

[All] **You are the Lord; You save us.**

Come As You Are

V1, V2, C, V3, C, V4, C

Doxology

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you

And also with you

Prayers of the People

[All are invited to pray in call and response]

In peace, we pray to You, Lord God, for all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of Your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the truth and all who serve God in His Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

[Silent prayer]

*Please join me in the prayer Christ taught us to pray: **Our Father.***

**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.

Ministry Moment

WORD

Scripture Reading

Exodus 2:11-22

Please stand if you are able for a reading from God's Holy Word. Today's Scripture reading is from Exodus 2:11-22. Please read with me the verses in bold.

[11] One day, when Moses had grown up, he went out to his people and looked on their burdens, and he saw an Egyptian beating a Hebrew, one of his people.

[12] He looked this way and that, and seeing no one, he struck down the Egyptian and hid him in the sand.

[13] When he went out the next day, behold, two Hebrews were struggling together. And he said to the man in the wrong, "Why do you strike your companion?"

[14] He answered, "Who made you a prince and a judge over us? Do you mean to kill me as you killed the Egyptian?" Then Moses was afraid, and thought, "Surely the thing is known."

[15] When Pharaoh heard of it, he sought to kill Moses. But Moses fled from Pharaoh and stayed in the land of Midian. And he sat down by a well.

[16] Now the priest of Midian had seven daughters, and they came and drew water and filled the troughs to water their father's flock.

[17] The shepherds came and drove them away, but Moses stood up and saved them, and watered their flock.

[18] When they came home to their father Reuel, he said, "How is it that you have come home so soon today?"

[19] They said, "An Egyptian delivered us out of the hand of the shepherds and even drew water for us and watered the flock."

[20] He said to his daughters, "Then where is he? Why have you left the man? Call him, that he may eat bread."

[21] And Moses was content to dwell with the man, and he gave Moses his daughter Zipporah.

[22] She gave birth to a son, and he called his name Gershom, for he said, "I have been a sojourner in a foreign land."

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

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TABLE

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

V1, V2, C, V3, C, V4, C

SENDING

Benediction

Live Stream Closing Video

Communion
