



WORSHIP FOLDER

Welcome Home

Sunday, June 28th, 2026

10:30 am

Welcome / Opening Praise

“Whom Shall I Fear” (God of Angel Armies)

1. You hear me when I call... You are my morning song
Though darkness fills the night
It cannot hide the light... Whom shall I fear?
You crush the enemy Underneath my feet
You are my sword and shield
Though troubles linger still... Whom shall I fear?

Chorus: **I know Who goes before me**
I know Who stands behind
The God of angel armies Is always by my side
The One who reigns forever He is a Friend of mine
The God of angel armies
Is always by my side

2. My strength is in Your name... For You alone can save
You will deliver me... Yours is the victory
Whom shall I fear...
Whom shall I fear? *(to Chorus + Bridge)*

Bridge: **And nothing formed against me shall stand**
(Praise Ens - 1st x.) **You hold the whole world in Your hands**
I'm holding on to Your promises
You are faithful
You are faithful *(last x - to Chorus)*

Invocation

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

C: Amen.

Confession & Absolution

(pastor leads us in confession...)

Prayer of the Day

Old Testament Reading - Jeremiah 28:5-9

... Then the prophet Jeremiah spoke to Hananiah the prophet in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD, and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the LORD do so; may the LORD make the words that you have prophesied come true, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the LORD, and all the exiles. Yet hear now this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes to pass, then it will be known that the LORD has truly sent the prophet."

Responsive Reading / Epistle

- Romans 7:1-13

- [Cong. to read **aloud on selected verses**]

P: Or do you not know, brothers -- for I am speaking to those who know the law -- that the law is binding on a person only as long as he lives? For a married woman is bound by law to her husband while he lives, but if her husband dies she is released from the law of marriage. Accordingly, she will be called an adulteress if she lives with another man while her husband is alive. But if her husband dies, she is free from that law, and if she marries another man she is not an adulteress.

ALL: Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to Him who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God.

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For while we were living in the flesh, our sinful passions, aroused by the law, were at work in our members to bear fruit for death.

P: But now we are released from the law, having died to that which held us captive, so that we serve in the new way of the Spirit and not in the old way of the written code.

What then shall we say? That the law is sin? By no means! Yet if it had not been for the law, I would not have known sin. For I would not have known what it is to covet if the law had not said, "You shall not covet." But sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, produced in me all kinds of covetousness. For apart from the law, sin lies dead. I was once alive apart from the law, but when the commandment came, sin came alive and I died. The very commandment that promised life proved to be death to me. For sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, deceived me and through it killed me. So the law is holy, and the commandment is holy and righteous and good.

ALL: **Did that which is good, then, bring death to me? By no means! It was sin, producing death in me through what is good, in order that sin might be shown to be sin, and through the commandment might become sinful beyond measure.**

Gospel

- Matthew 10:34-42

... "Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law. And a person's enemies will be those of his own household. Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. And whoever does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

"Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives Him who sent me. The one who receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and the one who receives a righteous person because he is a righteous person will receive a righteous person's reward. And whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he will certainly not lose his reward."

Praise for the Day

"Man of Sorrows" (Cong. joins on 2nd vs.)

1. *Man of Sorrows, Lamb of God... By His own betrayed
The sin of man and wrath of God... Has been on Jesus laid*
2. *Silent as He stood accused... Beaten mocked and scorned
Bowing to the Father's will... He took a crown of thorns*

Chorus: ***Oh, that rugged cross my salvation
Where Your love poured out over me
Now my soul cries out... "Hallelujah"
Praise and honor unto Thee***

3. *Sent of heaven God's own Son... To purchase and redeem
And reconcile the very ones... Who nailed Him to that tree* (to Chorus + Bridge)

Bridge (2x): *Now my debt is paid... It is paid in full
By the precious blood... That my Jesus spilled
Now the curse of sin... Has no hold on me
Whom the Son sets free... Oh is free indeed* (Last x - to Chorus)

4. *See the stone is rolled away... Behold the empty tomb
Hallelujah God be praised... He's risen from the grave* (to Chorus)

The Message

"THE SWORD... "

Receiving the Offering / Praise Response

"Prince of Peace (You are Holy)"

(Leader)	<i>You are holy</i>	(All / echo)	... You are holy
"	<i>You are mighty</i>	(All / echo)	... You are mighty
	<i>You are worthy</i>	"	... You are worthy
	<i>Worthy of praise</i>	"	... Worthy of praise.

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<i>I will follow</i>	(All / echo)	... I will follow
<i>I will listen</i>	"	... I will listen
<i>I will love You</i>	"	... I will love You
<i>All of my days</i>	"	... All of my days

v.1 - Women/Children: *You are Lord of lords You are King of kings*
You are mighty God Lord of ev'rything
You're Emmanuel You're the great I Am
You're my Prince of Peace who is the Lamb

Men join: ***You're the Living God You're my Saving Grace***
You will reign forever You are Ancient of Days
You are Alpha, Omega, Beginning and End
You're my Savior, Messiah, Redeemer and Friend
You're my Prince of Peace and I will live my life for You... (to Leader / echo)

v.2 - Men/Children: *I will sing to and worship The King who is worthy*
I will love and adore Him I will bow down before Him.

Women join: ***I will sing to and worship The King who is worthy***
I will love and adore Him I will bow down before Him.
You're my Prince of Peace and I will live my life for You... Repeat verse - ALL

Prayers of the Church

Nicene Creed

C: **I 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 His 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 sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end...

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son

together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Lord's Prayer

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.

Words of Institution / Holy Communion

"Grace Flows Down"

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
Amazing love, now flowing down
From hands and feet that were nailed to the tree
As grace flows down and covers me

*Chorus: It covers me, It covers me
It covers me, and covers me*

- Instrumental -

*Ending: Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
Amazing love, now flowing down
From hands and feet
that were nailed to the tree
As grace flows down and covers me...*

Ancient Words"

1. Holy words long preserved for our walk in this world
They resound with God's own heart
O let the ancient words impart
Words of life words of hope give us strength, help us cope
In this world where'er we roam
Ancient words will guide us home

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Chorus: **Ancient words ever true
Changing me and changing you
We have come with open hearts
O let the ancient words impart**

2. Holy words of our faith handed down to this age
Came to us through sacrifice
O heed the faithful words of Christ
Words of life words of hope give us strength, help us cope
In this world where'er we roam
Ancient words will guide us home (to Chorus)

"You, You Are God"

1. Here I am; I've come to praise You.
Here I am - I see Your grace.
To bring to You an offering,
I have to ask myself one thing:
How can I do anything but praise? I praise... to Chorus

Chorus: **You, You are God, You are Lord, You are all I'm living for.
You are King of ev'rything, I want my life to praise You.**

2. Here I am; I've come to thank You.
Here I am - a life You've changed.
Because You sent Your Son for me,
You sacrificed His life for me,
How can I do anything but praise? I praise... to Chorus

Benediction / Closing Praise

"It Really Is Amazing Grace"

1. Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost but now am found,
Was blind but now I see!

Chorus: **Singing... Halle -- lujah... There's no chains on me
Thank You, Jesus... You have set me free
You welcomed me in, Called me by name
Was dead in my sin... Now I'm dancing on that grave
Halle -- lujah... it really is amazing grace**

2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed to Chorus + Bridge

**Chorus: Singing... Halle -- lujah... There's no chains on me
Thank You, Jesus... You have set me free
You welcomed me in, Called me by name
Was dead in my sin... Now I'm dancing on that grave
Halle -- lujah... it really is amazing grace**

**Bridge: I'll testify... Of what He did
He gave me life... I'm born again
My heart is free, My soul is saved
It really is amazing grace**

**Tag: It really is, It really is
It really is amazing grace**

Last x: It really is... it really is... to Chorus + Ending

**Ending: It really is, It really is
It really is amazing grace
It really is... it really is
It really is amazing grace**

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