

Worship Leader Edition
Summer of Mission
Ebenezer Orphanage Haiti/Graduation Sunday

June 20, 2021

10:00 AM

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS (*Rob*)

COUNCIL INTRODUCTION – Marc Dunham, Property

+LITANY FOR SERVANTS (*Rob*)

L: Lord, you call us to serve others in your name. Help us to forget our discomfort and become focused on you and immersed in serving others as we claim your promise to be among us. Thank you for calling us to be your hands and feet in the world.

C: Jesus, Servant Master, help us to joyfully serve others.

L: We see your hand in our lives and feel your care and abiding presence each day of our lives. Help us to serve joyfully, to see others with your compassionate eyes, and to live each day with a servant heart.

C: Jesus, Servant Master, help us to joyfully serve others.

L: Gracious God, give us your words to sustain the weary. Help us to listen. Give us servant ears and hearts to help.

C: Jesus, Servant Master, help us to joyfully serve others.

L: Lord Jesus, we want to be your agents of justice in a hurting world. Help us to hold nothing back from serving others in your name, help us to be open about praising you and giving you the glory.

C: Jesus, Servant Master, help us to joyfully serve others.

L: Take our attention away from ourselves so we can focus on you and on the needs of others. Help us to provide encouragement to others.

C: Jesus, Servant Master, help us to joyfully serve others, in your name. Amen.

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+GATHERING SONG

“What a Friend”

Matt Maher, et al./Ed Kerr, Dan Galbraith

Verse 1

Everybody has trials
and temptations
Everybody knows heart break,
isolation

But we can lay our burdens down
Lay our burdens down

Chorus 1

What a friend we have in Jesus
East to west my sins are gone
I see grace on every horizon
And forever and ever
His heart is my home

Verse 2

Everybody has fears
Everybody got worries
Everybody knows sorrow,
devastation

But we can lay our burdens down
Lay our burdens down

Chorus 1

Bridge 1

No more betrayal for He is faithful
He fills me up
And my cup runneth over

No more betrayal for He is faithful
How He has proven it over and over

Bridge 2

No more betrayal for He is faithful
He fills me up
And my cup runneth over

No more betrayal for He is faithful
How He has proven it over and over
Over and oh-

Chorus 1

Chorus 2

What a friend we have in Jesus
East to west my sins are gone
I see grace on every horizon
And forever and ever

His heart is my home
Forever and ever
His heart is my home

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (join us again on July 11th and August 1st)

RECOGNITION OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

CHILDREN'S CHURCH (join us again on July 11th and August 1st)

+PRAYER OF THE DAY (*Mollie Erickson*)

L: Almighty and ever-living God, you hold together all things in heaven and on earth. In your great mercy receive the prayers of all your children, and give to all the world the Spirit of your truth and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

WORD

FIRST READING (*Eric Murphy*)

James 1:19-27

You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing. If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

+THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 14:15-21

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. 'I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.'

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Rob Norris-Weber, Pastor

+SONG OF THE DAY

"What A Beautiful Name/Agnus Dei" *Ben Fielding, et al./Dan Galbraith*

Verse 1

You were the Word at the beginning
One with God the Lord Most High
Your hidden glory in creation
Now revealed in You our Christ

The Name of Jesus Christ
my King

What a beautiful Name it is
Nothing compares to this
What a beautiful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

Chorus 1

What a beautiful Name it is
What a beautiful Name it is

Verse 2

You didn't want heaven without us
So Jesus You brought heaven down

My sin was great
Your love was greater
What could separate us now

Chorus 2

What a wonderful Name it is
What a wonderful Name it is
The Name of Jesus Christ
my King

What a wonderful Name it is
Nothing compares to this
What a wonderful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

What a wonderful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

Bridge 1

Death could not hold You
The veil tore before You
You silence the boast
of sin and grave

The heavens are roaring
The praise of Your glory
For You are raised to life again

+THE APOSTLES' CREED (Mollee Erickson)

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.

+THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION (Mollee Erickson)

L: Made alive in Christ and filled with his Spirit, let us pray for the church, the world, and all of God's creation.

L: Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

L: Receive our prayers, merciful God, and dwell in us richly, through Jesus Christ, our life and our redeemer.

C: Amen.

+THE LORD'S PRAYER (Mollee Erickson)

C: 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.

Bridge 2

You have no rival
You have no equal
Now and forever God You reign

Yours is the kingdom
Yours is the glory
Yours is the Name
above all names

Chorus 3

What a powerful Name it is
What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus Christ
my King

What a powerful Name it is
Nothing can stand against
What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

Ending

What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus
What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

SENDING

SHARING OF THE PEACE (*Rob*)

L: The peace of the Lord be with you all.

C: And also with you!

Please share of wave of peace with one another.

+BENEDICTION (*Rob*)

L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C: Amen.

+CLOSING SONG

“Shout to the Lord”

Darlene Zschech/Mark Cole

Verse

My Jesus my Savior
Lord there is none like You
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love
My comfort my shelter
Tower of refuge and strength
Let every breath all that I am
Never cease to worship You

At the sound of Your name
I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You

Verse

Chorus

Shout to the Lord
All the earth let us sing
Power and majesty
Praise to the King
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar

Chorus

Ending

Nothing compares to the promise
I have
Nothing compares to the promise
I have
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You

+DISMISSAL (*Mollee Erickson*)

L: Go in peace. Share the Good News.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE