

Worship Leader Edition
All Saints and Celebration Sunday

November 7, 2021

10:00 AM

GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC

+GATHERING SONG

“Indescribable”

Laura Story

Verse 1

From the highest of heights
to the depths of the sea
Creation revealing Your majesty

From the colors of Fall
to the fragrance of Spring
Ev'ry creature unique
in the song that it sings
All exclaiming

Chorus 1

Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God

All powerful untamable
Awestruck we fall to our knees
As we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God

Verse 2

Who has told ev'ry lightning bolt
where it should go

Or seen heavenly storehouses
laden with snow

Who imagined the sun
and gives source to its light
Yet conceals it to bring us
the coolness of night
None can fathom

Chorus 1

Interlude

You are amazing God

Chorus 1

Chorus 2

Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God

Incomparable unchangeable
You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God

+PRAYER OF THE DAY {*Front Center*} (*Bette Gamboni*)

L: God of heaven and earth, before the foundation of the universe and the beginning of time you are the triune God: Author of creation, eternal Word of salvation, life-giving Spirit of wisdom. Guide us to all truth by your Spirit, that we may proclaim all that Christ has revealed and rejoice in the glory he shares with us. Glory and praise to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

C: Amen.

+SHARING OF THE PEACE {*Front Center*} (*Bette Gamboni*)

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

C: And also with you!

Please share of wave of peace with one another.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS {*Front Center*} (*Rob*)

WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE {*On Floor Pulpit Side*} (*Emily*)

READING {*Lectern*} (*Nikki Ness*)

Isaiah 25:6-9

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death forever. Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has

spoken. It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

+THE HOLY GOSPEL *{Pulpit}*

Luke 14:15-24

One of the dinner guests, on hearing this, said to him, 'Blessed is anyone who will eat bread in the kingdom of God!' Then Jesus said to him, 'Someone gave a great dinner and invited many. At the time for the dinner he sent his slave to say to those who had been invited, "Come; for everything is ready now." But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said to him, "I have bought a piece of land, and I must go out and see it; please accept my apologies." Another said, "I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I am going to try them out; please accept my apologies." Another said, "I have just been married, and therefore I cannot come." So the slave returned and reported this to his master. Then the owner of the house became angry and said to his slave, "Go out at once into the streets and lanes of the town and bring in the poor, the crippled, the blind, and the lame." And the slave said, "Sir, what you ordered has been done, and there is still room." Then the master said to the slave, "Go out into the roads and lanes, and compel people to come in, so that my house may be filled. For I tell you, none of those who were invited will taste my dinner." '

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE *{Pulpit}*

Pastor Rob Norris-Weber

+SONG OF THE DAY

"My Jesus"

Anne Wilson, Jeff Pardo and Matthew West

Giftng of pledges during song

Verse 1

Are you past the point of weary?
Is your burden weighing heavy?
Is it all too much to carry?
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus
Do you feel that empty feeling
'Cause shame's done all its stealing
And you're desperate for some healing
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus

Chorus

He makes a way where there ain't no way
Rises up from an empty grave
Ain't no sinner that He can't save
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus
His love is strong and His grace is free
And the good news is I know that He
Can do for you what He's done for me
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus
And let my Jesus change your life

Interlude

Hallelujah Hallelujah Hallelujah
Amen, amen

Verse 2

Who can wipe away the tears
From broken dreams and wasted years
And tell the past to disappear?
Oh and let me tell you 'bout my Jesus
And all the wrong turns that you would
Go and undo if you could
Who can work it all for your good?
Let me tell you about my Jesus

Chorus

Interlude 2

Hallelujah Hallelujah Hallelujah
Amen, amen, amen.

Verse 3

Who would take my cross to Calvary?
Pay the price for all my guilty?
Who would care that much about me.
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus oh

Chorus

Interlude 3

Hallelujah Hallelujah Hallelujah
Amen amen
Hallelujah Hallelujah Hallelujah
Let my Jesus change your life

+THE APOSTLES' CREED *{Front Center}* (Bette Gamboni)

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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 *{Front Center}* (Bette Gamboni)

Screen

After each petition:

L: Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

+PRAYER OF REMEMBRANCE—From *The New Union Prayer Book* (Rob)

L: In the rising of the sun and in its going down,

C: we remember them.

L: In the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter,

C: we remember them.

L: In the opening buds and in the rebirth of spring,

C: we remember them.

L: In the blueness of the sky and in the warmth of summer,

C: we remember them.

L: In the rustling of leaves and in the beauty of autumn,

C: we remember them.

L: In the beginning of the year and when it ends,

C: we remember them.

L: When we are weary and in need of strength,

C: we remember them.

L: When we are lost and sick at heart,

C: we remember them.

L: When we have joys we yearn to share,

C: we remember them.

L: When we have decisions that are difficult to make,

C: we remember them.

L: When we have achievements that are based on theirs,

C: we remember them.

L: As long as we live, they too shall live, for they are now a part of us, as we remember them.

C: Amen.

REMEMBRANCE OF SAINTS *(Names of Saints read, bell rung and altar candle lit.)*

Donald Witt, Jack Elliott, Jean Anderson, Jamie McDermeit, Glen Walters, Ruth Nelson, Patrick Connolly, Alvera Lundin, Eric Sneve, Shirley Ekstrom, Michael Giuliani, Lois Dalin, Therine Swanson Haines, J.J. Sims and Richard Fawver

MEAL

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

+CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS *{Behind Altar}* (Rob)

Screen

L: As children in need of direction, let us confess our failings, and ask for God's forgiveness and constant presence in our lives.

(Silence for reflection)

God of abundant mercy...

C: We confess that we are broken people. We do not live up to your expectations for us, and often choose the less-righteous path. Please forgive the wrong we have done and the right we have chosen not to do, and make the small changes in us that will change our lives. Amen.

L: God calls us to live in unity therefore God has forgiven all of our sins, even those we do not realize we have committed. Let us rejoice in this renewed relationship with God and celebrate this meal of grace.

C: Thanks be to God!

+WORDS OF INSTITUTION (*Rob*)

+THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Rob*)

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.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Please stand as you are able.

+POST-COMMUNION BLESSING (*Rob*)

L: The body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

+POST-COMMUNION PRAYER {*Front Center*} (*Bette Gamboni*)

L: Loving God, you have fed our spirits with your word of hope and your food of life. Empower us to go forth strengthened and renewed, to serve the world you love.

C: Amen.

SENDING

+BENEDICTION (*Rob*)

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

C: Amen.

+CLOSING SONG

“Great and Mighty Is He”

Todd Pettygrove

Chorus 1 (two times)

Great and mighty is He
Great and mighty is He
Clothed in glory
Arrayed in splendor
Great and mighty is He

Verse 1

Let us lift His name on high
Celebrate His grace
For He has redeemed our lives
And He reigns on high

Chorus 1 (two times)

+DISMISSAL (*Bette Gamboni*)

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

REPRISE

Repeat Verse 1

Chorus 1 (two times)

Chorus 2

Great and mighty is He
Great and mighty is He
Clothed in glory
Arrayed in splendor

Great and mighty is
Great and mighty is
Great and mighty is He