



CHURCH OF THE
REDEEMER

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
JUNE 26, 2022

WORSHIP THE LORD IN THE BEAUTY OF HOLINESS

Verse 1

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness
Bow down before Him His glory proclaim
Gold of obedience and incense of lowliness
Bring and adore Him the Lord is His name

Verse 2

Low at His feet lay thy burden of carefulness
High on His heart He will bear it for thee
Comfort thy sorrows and answer thy prayerfulness
Guiding thy steps as may best for thee be

Verse 3

Fear not to enter His courts in the slenderness
Of the poor wealth thou canst reckon as thine
Truth in its beauty and love in its tenderness
These are the offerings to lay on His shrine

Verse 4

These though we bring them in trembling and fearfulness
He will accept for the Name that is dear
Mornings of joy give for evenings of tearfulness
Trust for our trembling and hope for our fear

John Samuel Bewley Monsell
© Public Domain

Celebrant: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant and People: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Celebrant: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

Matthew 22:37-40

HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD

Verse 1

The splendor of the King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice
He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
And trembles at His voice

Chorus

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God

Verse 2

And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End
Beginning and the End
The Godhead three in one
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

(BRIDGE)

You're the Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God

Chris Tomlin / Ed Cash / Jesse Reeves
© 2004 worshiptogether.com songs/sixsteps Music/Alletrop
Music (Admin. by EMI Christian Music Publishing)/(Admin.
by EMI Christian Music Publishing)/(Admin. by Music
Services)
CCLI License No. 11097686

REJOICE IN ALL YOUR WORKS (PSALM 104)

Verse 1

Every mouth that cries for food,
Every lung that yearns for breath,
Every eye that searches through the dark for light—
All creation looks to you
For its breath and for its food.
From the goodness of your hand we're satisfied.

Chorus

Oh rejoice in all your works,
King of Heaven, King of Earth!
Every creature you have made declares your praise.
We rejoice in all you've made,
God of all-sustaining grace!
With the mountain, sky, and sea, we sing your praise!

Verse 2

Every tree that thirsts for rain,
Every bird that seeks its nest,
Every heart that waits in hope to be made glad—
All creation looks to you
For its breath and for its food.
From the goodness of your hand we're satisfied

Verse 3

May the pond'rings of my heart,
And the song upon my lips,
With the chorus of creation join in praise:
To the God who made all things,
To the Spirit who sustains,
To the Son who over all creation reigns!

Words and Music: © 2014 Wendell Kimbrough.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, your never-failing providence sets in order all things both in heaven and on earth: Put away from us all hurtful things, and give us those things that are profitable for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

1 KINGS 19:15-21

¹⁵ And the Lord said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. ¹⁶ And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. ¹⁷ And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. ¹⁸ Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

¹⁹ So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. ²⁰ And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, "Let me kiss my father and

my mother, and then I will follow you." And he said to him, "Go back again, for what have I done to you?" ²¹ And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

The Holy Bible, ESV

PSALM 145

- 1 I will extol you, my God and King,
and bless your name forever and ever.
- 2 Every day I will bless you
and praise your name forever and ever.
- 3 Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised,
and his greatness is unsearchable.
- 4 One generation shall commend your works to another,
and shall declare your mighty acts.
- 5 On the glorious splendor of your majesty,
and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.
- 6 They shall speak of the might of your awesome deeds,
and I will declare your greatness.
- 7 They shall pour forth the fame of your abundant goodness
and shall sing aloud of your righteousness.
- 8 The Lord is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- 9 The Lord is good to all,
and his mercy is over all that he has made.
- 10 All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your saints shall bless you!
- 11 They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom
and tell of your power,
12 to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds,
and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.
- 13 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,
and your dominion endures throughout all generations.
[The Lord is faithful in all his words
and kind in all his works.]
- 14 The Lord upholds all who are falling
and raises up all who are bowed down.
- 15 The eyes of all look to you,
and you give them their food in due season.
- 16 You open your hand;
you satisfy the desire of every living thing.
- 17 The Lord is righteous in all his ways
and kind in all his works.
- 18 The Lord is near to all who call on him,
to all who call on him in truth.

- ¹⁹ He fulfills the desire of those who fear him;
he also hears their cry and saves them.
²⁰ The Lord preserves all who love him,
but all the wicked he will destroy.
²¹ My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord,
and let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

The Holy Bible, ESV

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.**

GALATIANS 5:1,13-25

¹ For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

¹³ For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. ¹⁴ For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." ¹⁵ But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

¹⁶ But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. ¹⁷ For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. ¹⁸ But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. ¹⁹ Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, ²⁰ idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, ²¹ envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. ²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. ²⁴ And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

²⁵ If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit.

The Holy Bible, ESV

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA

At the Gospel reading, we stand and the Scripture is read in the midst of the congregation as a way to honor the truth that in Christ God became flesh and dwelt among us.

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Opening our hearts to Him
Singing Alleluia! Alleluia! Jesus is our King**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

People: Glory to you Lord Christ

LUKE 9:51-62

⁵¹ When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. ⁵² And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the Samaritans, to make preparations for him. ⁵³ But the people did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. ⁵⁴ And when his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to tell fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" ⁵⁵ But he turned and rebuked them. ⁵⁶ And they went on to another village.

⁵⁷ As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." ⁵⁸ And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." ⁵⁹ To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father." ⁶⁰ And Jesus said to him, "Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." ⁶¹ Yet another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home." ⁶² Jesus said to him, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

The Holy Bible, ESV

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ

SERMON

Andy Bramsen

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

CONFESSION OF SIN

You may kneel or sit during the prayer of confession

Officiant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

People: Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word and deed,

by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Priest: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

Celebrant: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him...

THE PEACE

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with your spirit.

As we remember the peace that we have been given by God through his forgiveness, we also remember that He has given us the ministry of reconciliation with each other. "The Lord be with you," and the response, "And with your spirit." is a translation of Galatians 6:18 and a form of prayer and blessing. May the peace of the Lord be always with you!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE OFFERTORY

In order to support the mission of the church financially, you may deposit your gifts in the collection box at the Welcome Table, send checks to Church of the Redeemer, P.O. Box 130965, St. Paul, MN 55113, or if you wish to give online or set up direct deposit from your bank account, please visit <https://oftheredeemer.org/give/> using this QR code:



THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye Heavenly Host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost Amen

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth...

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in 3/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody consists of six lines of music. The lyrics are: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are full, full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high-

est. Bless - ed is he who comes _____

in the name of the Lord. _____ Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high -

est.

Sanctus
 Franz Peter Schubert

*Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father...
 Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:*

Celebrant and People:

Christ has died.
 Christ is risen.
 Christ will come again.

*Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in
 this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving...*

...all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

Celebrant and People: AMEN.

And now, as our savior Christ has taught us we are bold to pray together,

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.

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed for us, once for all upon the cross.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Celebrant and People:

We do not presume to come to this, your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies.

We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord, whose character is always to have mercy.

Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Directions for Communion

All baptized believers in Jesus Christ are welcome to receive Communion. However, if you are not able to receive you may remain seated or come forward for a prayer of blessing from one of our ministers. Please indicate your desire for a prayer of blessing by crossing your arms across your chest.

You will be dismissed to receive by one of our greeters. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Please extend your hand to receive the bread from the minister and then receive either wine (silver tray) or juice (brass tray) from the Communion minister.

If you would like to receive prayer for physical, emotional, or spiritual needs, prayer ministers are available at the rear of the sanctuary to pray with you during our communion worship and for a short time after the service. If others are being prayed for, you may wait in a nearby pew. This time of prayer is private and confidential, and whatever you share with prayer ministers will not be brought up again by them unless you initiate.

THE LORD IS GRACIOUS AND COMPASSIONATE

The Lord is gracious and compassionate

Slow to anger and rich in love

And the Lord is good to all

And He has compassion

On all that He has made

As far as the east is from the west

That's how far He has removed

Our transgressions from us

Chorus

Praise the Lord

Oh my soul praise the Lord

Praise the Lord

Oh my soul praise the Lord

Graham Ord

© 1998 Vineyard Songs (UK/Eire) (Admin. by Vineyard Music UK)

CCLI License # 11097686

GRACE WILL PREVAIL

Verse 1

Grace will prevail
Though the darkness is strong
And the burden weighs heavy and long
Grace will prevail
For our God is the light
Rending the cover of night
Grace will prevail

Verse 2

Grace will prevail
In the valleys of shame
Where the echoes of failure remain
Grace will prevail
With a cry to the Lord
There's a mountain of mercy in store
Grace will prevail

Verse 3

Grace will prevail
Through the wreckage and storm
And the brokenness washed on the shore
Grace will prevail
Though an ocean we cry
He is with us and weeps by our side
Till the day they forever run dry

Bridge

Take heart he has overcome the world
He has overcome

Chorus

Wait for the Lord our God
Wait for the Lord our God
Wait for the Lord
Our rest and reward and our peace

Kirk Sauers | Paul J. Ranheim
© 2019, 2020 Bold Canary Music (Admin. by Kirk Sauers)
Mellow Toad Music (Admin. by Paul Ranheim Music)
CCLI License # 11097686

IT WAS FINISHED UPON THAT CROSS

Verse 1

How I love the voice of Jesus
On the Cross of Calvary
He declares his work is finished
He has spoken this hope to me
Though the sun had ceased its shining
Though the war appeared as lost
Christ had triumphed over evil
It was finished upon that Cross

Verse 2

Now the curse it has been broken
Jesus paid the price for me
Full the pardon He has offered
Great the welcome that I receive
Boldly I approach my Father
Clothed in Jesus' righteousness
There is no more guilt to carry
It was finished upon that Cross

Verse 3

Death was once my great opponent
Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed
Yes He rose that we would be free
indeed

Free from ev'ry plan of darkness
Free to live and free to love
Death is dead and Christ is risen
It was finished upon that Cross

Ending

Onward to eternal glory
To my Saviour and my God
I rejoice in Jesus' victory
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross

Jonny Robinson | Nigel Hendroff | Rich Thompson
© 2021 SHOUT! Music Publishing Australia (Admin. by Capitol
CMG Publishing)
CityAlight Music (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing (Integrity
Music, David C Cook))
CCLI License # 11097686

Celebrant and People:

Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out into the world to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

Celebrant: The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.

Deacon: Alleluia, alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

Out of respect for the space and our host congregation, please take a moment to check for papers, bulletins and other items as you leave the sanctuary today.

WELCOME!

Thank you for joining us in our mission of sharing in Christ's ministry of reconciliation through worship, testimony and faithful presence. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we would love to get to know you better. If you would like to be contacted by one of our clergy or receive church communications, please use this QR code.



Today's Preacher - Andy Bramsen

Andy grew up in Senegal, West Africa. He teaches political science and humanities at Bethel University and is a student at Bethel Seminary. At Church of the Redeemer, Andy has served as a member of the vestry and in other areas of ministry. He and his wife Sara, are the parents of four children, and live in Blaine.



WOMEN'S GATHERING

All women are invited to an informal gathering at Anne Calvin's home in St. Paul on **Wednesday, June 29, 7 p.m.** Please reach out to Anne by email (calvinanne@me.com) or text if you're planning to attend.

kidCONNECT

Summer KidConnect

Adventures in Prayer, Art and Song for children entering 1st-5th Grade

July 10 - August 14

New Prek-K class begins July 10!

SUMMER PARK MEET-UPS

Come and meet up with others from Church of the Redeemer at local parks over the summer on five Wednesday mornings. Drop in anytime after 9:30 a.m. Bring the kids, a soccer ball, a snack, invite friends, and enjoy visiting while the children play.

Wednesday, June 29, 9:30 a.m.
Falcon Heights Community Park
2050 Roselawn Ave W, Roseville

*Other dates this summer: July 6,
20 & August 3, 17*

YOUTH GROUP

Welcome 6th graders! All students entering grades 6-12 in the fall are invited to summer Youth Group Activities. Join us from 6-8pm on the 2nd and 4th Saturday nights of each month for Hangouts held in private homes. Parents can sign-up to bring snacks, drinks, or stay to chaperone.

July 9th, 6-8pm, Saturday Night
Hangout at Paul and Anne Calvin's home.



July 14, 7-9 pm
meal packing at Feed My Starving Children
<https://tinyurl.com/n3zt3vv4>)

July 23, 6-8 pm
Saturday Night
Hangout at Kevin and Courtney Hubers'



For more details regarding other summer activities for youth, or to receive informational emails, please contact Emily Schroeder at 651-491-3192 or eeschroeder@gmail.com.

NOTES

General Fund Giving Summary

As of	Actual Giving	Budgeted Giving
June 19, 2022	\$353,434	\$354,000

To support the mission of the church financially, you may send checks to Church of the Redeemer, P.O. Box 130965, St. Paul, MN 55113, or if you wish to give online or set up direct deposit from your bank account, please visit ofthereedeemer.org/give/

Ministry Teams

Altar Guild - Barbara Leafblad
Finance - Roger Scharf
Website Manager - Caleb Molstad
Sound - Rev. Jacques Kustritz
Hospitality Team - Todd Willmarth
Music - Rev. Paul Calvin
Prayer - Rev. Dawn Lundgren

Youth Leadership Team Facilitators
Emily Schroeder
Jordan Schroeder

Children's Leadership Team
Sara Bramsen
Sonia Keillor
Rachel Knight
Liz Stewart
Steffie Williams

Vestry

Chris Callan - Junior Warden
Roger Christensen - Senior Warden
Greta Dvorak
Barbara Leafblad
Bjorn Lundgren

Roger Scharf - Treasurer

Assisting Clergy

Rev. Dawn Lundgren - *Deacon, Prayer Team & Missions Team*
Rev. Chris Peterson - *Part-time Staff, & Hospice Chaplain*

Staff

Rev. Paul Calvin - *Rector*
Sonia Keillor - *Parish Administrator*
Rev. Liz Stewart - *Deacon*
Pastor of Discipleship & Spiritual Formation

Church of the Redeemer

www.oftheredeemer.org

info@oftheredeemer.org