

Soli Deo Gloria

To God Alone be the Glory



10:00 am Worship

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Order of Worship

Call to Worship & Prayer of Praise

Psalm 89:5-11

Let the heavens praise your wonders, O LORD,
your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!

For who in the skies can be compared to the LORD?

Who among the heavenly beings is like the LORD,
a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones,
and awesome above all who are around him?

**O LORD God of hosts,
who is mighty as you are, O LORD,
with your faithfulness all around you?**

You rule the raging of the sea;
when its waves rise, you still them.
You crushed the great sea monster like a carcass;
you scattered your enemies with your mighty arm.

**The heavens are yours; the earth also is yours;
the world and all that is in it, you have founded them.**

Hymns of Praise

ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING (*Hymn #11*)

All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam; Thou silver moon with softer gleam:
O, praise Him! Oh, praise Him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
Ye clouds that sail in heaven along, O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou rising morn in praise rejoice, Ye lights of evening find a voice,
O, praise Him! Oh, praise Him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

And all ye men of tender heart,
Forgiving others, take your part, O sing ye! Alleluia!
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, Praise God and on Him cast your care.
O, praise Him! Oh, praise Him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,
And worship God in humbleness, O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
O, praise Him! Oh, praise Him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE (*Hymn #13*)

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee, opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!

All Thy works with joy surround Thee, earth and heaven reflect Thy rays.
Stars and angels sing around Thee, center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain call us to rejoice in Thee!

Thou art giving and forgiving, Ever blessing, ever blessed,
Wellspring of the joy of living, Ocean depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother, All who live in love are Thine;
Teach us how to love each other, Lift us to the joy divine.

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Scripture Reading

Ephesians 6:10-20

¹⁰ Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. ¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. ¹² For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. ¹³ Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm. ¹⁴ Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, ¹⁵ and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. ¹⁶ In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; ¹⁷ and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, ¹⁸ praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, ¹⁹ and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel, ²⁰ for which I am an ambassador in chains, that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak.

Prayer of Confession

Hymn of Response

A MIGHTY FORTRESS (*Hymn #656*)

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;
Our helper He, amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing:
For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe;
His craft and pow'r are great, and, armed with cruel hate... On earth is not his equal.
Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing,
Were not the right Man on our side, the Man of God's own choosing:
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He;
Lord Sabaoth, His Name, from age to age the same, And He must win the battle.

And though this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us,
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us;
The Prince of Darkness grim, we tremble not for him;
His rage we can endure, for lo, his doom is sure...One little word shall fell him.

That word above all earthly pow'rs, no thanks to them, abideth;
The Spirit and the gifts are ours through Him Who with us sideth;
Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also;
The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still...His kingdom is forever.

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Scripture Readings

GENESIS 6:1-8

When man began to multiply on the face of the land and daughters were born to them, ²the sons of God saw that the daughters of man were attractive. And they took as their wives any they chose. ³Then the LORD said, "My Spirit shall not abide in man forever, for he is flesh: his days shall be 120 years." ⁴The Nephilim were on the earth in those days, and also afterward, when the sons of God came in to the daughters of man and they bore children to them. These were the mighty men who were of old, the men of renown.

⁵The LORD saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁶And the LORD regretted that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him to his heart. ⁷So the LORD said, "I will blot out man whom I have created from the face of the land, man and animals and creeping things and birds of the heavens, for I am sorry that I have made them." ⁸But Noah found favor in the eyes of the LORD.

2 PETER 2:1-10a

But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will be false teachers among you, who will secretly bring in destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing upon themselves swift destruction. ²And many will follow their sensuality, and because of them the way of truth will be blasphemed. ³And in their greed they will exploit you with false words. Their condemnation from long ago is not idle, and their destruction is not asleep.

⁴For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to chains of gloomy darkness to be kept until the judgment; ⁵if he did not spare the ancient world, but preserved Noah, a herald of righteousness, with seven others, when he brought a flood upon the world of the ungodly; ⁶if by turning the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah to ashes he condemned them to extinction, making them an example of what is going to happen to the ungodly; ⁷and if he rescued righteous Lot, greatly distressed by the sensual conduct of the wicked ⁸(for as that righteous man lived among them day after day, he was tormenting his righteous soul over their lawless deeds that he saw and heard); ⁹then the Lord knows how to rescue the godly from trials, and to keep the unrighteous under punishment until the day of judgment, ¹⁰and especially those who indulge in the lust of defiling passion and despise authority.

Sermon

“FALSE TEACHERS & FALLEN ANGELS”

I. THE FALLEN ANGELS (2 Pet. 2:4)

A. Who were the fallen angels? (1 Pet. 3:18-20; Jude 6; Enoch 6)

- The S_____ of G_____ (Genesis 6:1-4; Psalm 82,89)
- The C_____ P_____ (Ephesians 6:12)

B. What was their sin? (2 Pet. 2:10a)

- They D_____ God’s A_____
- They I_____ their P_____

C. What was their punishment?

- G_____ D_____ *Now* (Lk 8:31; Rev 20:1-3)
- E_____ F_____ *Later* (Mt. 25:41; Rev. 20:10)

II. FALSE TEACHERS AND FALLEN ANGELS

A. False Teachers serve Fallen Angels (2 Cor. 11:13-15)

- Teaching the D_____ of D_____ (1 Tim. 4:1)
- Promoting Bitter J_____ & Selfish A_____ (Jam. 3:13-16)

B. False Teachers share their Destiny

- M_____ *Now....* D_____ *Later*

III. REMINDERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

A. Remember the Destiny of False Teachers

- Don’t E_____ or F_____ them!

B. Remember this is a Spiritual Battle (Ephesians 6:10-20)

- Devote yourselves to the W_____ and P_____

Hymn of Response

O CHURCH, ARISE (*Hymn #663*)

O church, arise and put your armor on; Hear the call of Christ our captain;
For now the weak can say that they are strong - In the strength that God has given.
With shield of faith and belt of truth, We'll stand against the devil's lies;
An army bold whose battle cry is "Love!" Reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul, But to rage against the captor;
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole, We will fight with faith and valor.
When faced with trials on ev'ry side, We know the outcome is secure,
And Christ will have the prize for which He died— An inheritance of nations.

Come, see the cross where love and mercy meet, As the Son of God is stricken;
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, For the Conqueror has risen!
And as the stone is rolled away, And Christ emerges from the grave,
This vict'ry march continues till the day - Ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come, put strength in ev'ry stride, Give grace for ev'ry hurdle,
That we may run with faith to win the prize - Of a servant good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way, Retelling triumphs of His grace,
We hear their calls and hunger for the day, When, with Christ, we stand in glory.

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Prayers of the Church

Doxology & Dedication of Tithes & Offerings

Closing Hymn

REJOICE, THE LORD IS KING (*Hymn #302*)

Rejoice, the Lord is King! Your Lord and King adore;
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing, And triumph evermore;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus, the Savior, reigns, The God of truth and love;
When He had purged our stains He took His seat above;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail, He rules o'er earth and Heav'n,
The keys of death and hell are to our Jesus giv'n;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope! Jesus the Judge shall come,
And take His servants up to their eternal home;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

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Benediction