



Ninth Sunday After Pentecost Contemporary Service July 25, 2021

CONGREGATIONAL SONGS OF PRAISE

Uncreated One

Andrew Meek

Verse 1

Let the worship of Heaven come alive
In this time and in this land
Now is the hour for our song to arise

Bridge

Release Heaven's sound
Shake the nations
Let our worship arise
To the God of the ages

Verse 2

Let the worship of Heaven come alive
And awaken our hearts again
Now is the hour for our song to arise

Chorus

Let our worship arise
To the uncreated One
Let our worship arise from our hearts
Let our worship arise
To the One who reigns forever
Let our worship arise from our hearts

Today is the Day

Lincoln Brewster

Verse 1

I'm casting my cares aside
I'm leaving my past behind
I'm setting my heart and mind on You
Jesus
I'm reaching my hands to Yours
Believing there's so much more
Knowing that all You have in store for
me is good
It's good

Chorus 1

Today is the day You have made
I will rejoice and be glad in it
Today is the day You have made
I will rejoice and be glad in it
And I won't worry about tomorrow
I'm trusting in what You say
Today is the day today is the day

Verse 2

I'm putting my fears aside
I'm leaving my doubts behind
I'm giving my hopes and dreams to You
Jesus
I'm reaching my hands to Yours
Believing there's so much more
Knowing that all You have in store for me is
good
It's good

Bridge

I will stand upon Your truth
(I will stand upon Your truth)
And all my days I'll live for You
(All my days I'll live for You)
And I will stand upon Your truth
(I will stand upon Your truth)
And all my days I'll live for You
(All my days I'll live)

Chorus 2

Today is the day You have made
I will rejoice and be glad in it
Today is the day You have made
I will rejoice and be glad in it
And I won't worry about tomorrow
I'm giving You my fears and sorrows
Where You lead me I will follow
I'm trusting in what You say
Today is the day

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PASSING THE PEACE**SONG OF PRAISE****Seek Ye First****Karen Lafferty****Verse 1**

Seek ye first the kingdom of God
And His righteousness
And all these things
Shall be added unto you
Allelu alleluia

Verse 3

Ask and it shall be given unto you
Seek and ye shall find
Knock and the door
Shall be opened unto you
Allelu alleluia

Verse 2

Man shall not live by bread alone
But by ev'ry word
That proceeds
From the mouth of God
Allelu alleluia

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your way. You show us the wrong we have done, yet we point fingers at others. You offer us the bread of heaven, yet we hunger for the things of earth. You assure us there is enough, yet we live in the worry of scarcity instead. You provide for us each day, yet we hoard your gifts as if you don't. Forgive us, God of grace. Fill us with your truth

of abundance so that we may return to you in peace and grow more and more in love, sharing all that we have with the world, following in the ever-generous, open-hearted way of our brother Jesus.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

INTERLUDE

Great Are You Lord

David Leonard

Verse

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart
that is broken
And great are You Lord

Chorus

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

CHILDREN'S SERMON

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 16:2-4, 13-15 John 6:24-35 JoAnne Turcotte

SERMON

The Rev. Lindsey Clifton Altvater

“A Good Word: Enough”

SONG OF PRAISE

All Who Hunger

David Belt

Verse 1

All who hunger, gather gladly
Holy manna is our bread
Come from wilderness and wandering
Here, in truth, we will be fed
You that yearn for days of fullness
All around us is our food
Taste and see the grace eternal
Taste and see that God is good.

Verse 3

All who hunger sing together
Jesus Christ is living bread
Come from loneliness and longing
Here in peace we have been led
Blest are those who from this table
Live their lives in gratitude
Taste and see the grace eternal
Taste and see that God is good.

Verse 2

All who hunger never strangers
Seeker be a welcome guest
Come from restlessness and roaming
Here in joy we keep the feast
We that once were lost and scattered
In communion's love have stood
Taste and see the grace eternal
Taste and see that God is good.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE

Be Thou My Vision

arr. David Evans

Verse 1

Be Thou my Vision O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me save that Thou art
Thou my best thought by day or by night
Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

Verse 2

Be Thou my Wisdom and Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one

Verse 3

High King of heaven my victory won
May I reach heaven's joys bright
heaven's Sun
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my Vision O Ruler of all

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Your Grace is Enough

Verse 1

Great is Your faithfulness O God
You wrestle with the sinner's restless
heart
You lead us by still waters into mercy
And nothing can keep us apart

Chorus 1

Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough for me

Pre-Chorus

(So) remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise O God

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