

November 8, 2020

PRELUDE:

Jesus We Love You

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Prelude

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT VIDEO
LINDEN THANKSGIVING MEAL DRIVE

CALL TO WORSHIP:

The Lord is my rock and my fortress and
my deliverer.

My God, my rock, in whom I take refuge,

My shield, and the horn of my salvation,
my stronghold.

**I call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be
praised.**

Let us praise the Lord.

Call to Worship



HYMN OF PRAISE: Let Us Love And Sing And Wonder

By: John Newton | Laura Taylor

Let us love and sing and wonder
Let us praise the Savior's name
He has hushed the law's loud thunder
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame
He has washed us with His blood
He has washed us with His blood
He has washed us with His blood
He has brought us nigh to God

Let us love the Lord who bought us
Pitied us when enemies
Called us by His grace and taught us
Gave us ears and gave us eyes
He has washed us with His blood
He has washed us with His blood
He has washed us with His blood
He presents our souls to God

Let us sing though fierce temptation
Threatens hard to bear us down
For the Lord our strong salvation
Holds in view the conqu'ror's crown
He who washed us with His blood
He who washed us with His blood
He who washed us with His blood
Soon will bring us home to God

Let us wonder grace and justice
Join and point to mercy's store
When through grace in Christ our trust is
Justice smiles and asks no more
He who washed us with His blood
He who washed us with His blood
He who washed us with His blood
Has secured our way to God

Let us praise and join the chorus
Of the saints enthroned on high
Here they trusted Him before us
Now their praises fill the sky
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood
Thou art worthy Lamb of God





HYMN OF PRAISE: God Moves

By: Bob Kauflin and William Cowper

God moves in a mysterious way
His wonders to perform
He plants His footsteps in the sea
And rides upon the storm
Deep in His dark and hidden mines
With never failing skill
He fashions all His bright designs
And works His sovereign will

Chorus

So God we trust in You
O God we trust in You
When tears are great
And comforts few
We hope in mercies ever new
We trust in You

Oh fearful saints new courage take
The clouds that you now dread
Are big with mercy and will break
In blessings on your head
Judge not the Lord by feeble sense
But trust Him for His grace
Behind a frowning providence
He hides a smiling face

Chorus

God's purposes will ripen fast
Unfolding every hour
The bud may have a bitter taste
But sweet will be the flower
Blind unbelief is sure to err
And scan His work in vain
God is His own interpreter
And He will make it plain

Chorus





PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Glorious God, we confess that we are arrogant creatures with stubborn hearts. Even our most righteous acts are often stained with sin, thinking we can earn Your love as opposed to begging for Your grace. Hear us now, O God, as we silently ask for Your forgiveness.

(silent prayer)

Merciful Father, change our hearts and wash away our sin. Cleanse us with the atoning blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We pray in His name, Amen.

Prayer of Confession

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:

For in Christ all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of His cross.

Thanks be to God!

Assurance of Pardon



HYMN OF PRAISE: Great Is Thy Faithfulness

By: Thomas Obediah Chisholm | William Marion Runyan

Great is Thy faithfulness
O God my Father
There is no shadow
Of turning with Thee
Thou changest not
Thy compassions they fail not
As Thou hast been
Thou forever wilt be

Chorus

Great is Thy faithfulness
Great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning
New mercies I see
All I have needed
Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness
Lord unto me

Summer and winter
And springtime and harvest
Sun moon and stars
In their courses above
Join with all nature
In manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness
Mercy and love

Chorus

Pardon for sin
And a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence
To cheer and to guide
Strength for today
And bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine
With ten thousand beside

Chorus





SERMON: A DISSIDENT'S GUIDE TO JOY
Servants and Saints

PHILIPPIANS 1:1-2

¹ Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi, with the overseers and deacons: ² Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

OUTLINE:

1. Dissident servants
 - A. Identity
 - B. Audience
 - C. Time
2. Dissident saints
 - A. Family
 - B. Overseers
 - C. Deacons
3. Dissident traits - grace and peace



PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.



The Lord's Prayer

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HYMN OF PRAISE: Holy Spirit

By: Keith Getty | Stuart Townend

Holy Spirit living Breath of God
Breathe new life into my willing soul
Let the presence of the risen Lord
Come renew my heart and make me whole
Cause Your word to come alive in me
Give me faith for what I cannot see
Give me passion for Your purity
Holy Spirit breathe new life in me

Holy Spirit come abide within
May Your joy be seen in all I do
Love enough to cover ev'ry sin
In each thought and deed and attitude
Kindness to the greatest and the least
Gentleness that sows the path of peace
Turn my strivings into works of grace
Breath of God show Christ in all I do

Holy Spirit from creation's birth
Giving life to all that God has made
Show Your power once again on earth
Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways
Let the fragrance of our pray'rs arise
Lead us on the road of sacrifice
That in unity the face of Christ
May be clear for all the world to see

Hymn

BENEDICTION

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