

### **GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS** - (G) 556; all 3

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 spring-time 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,  
Thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! **Chorus**

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### **LORD, I NEED YOU**

Lord, I come, I confess bowing here I find my rest.  
Without You I fall apart, You're the One that guides my heart.

**Chorus:** Lord, I need You, oh I need You. Ev'ry hour I need You.  
My One defense, my righteousness, oh God, how I need You.

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more.  
Where grace is found, is where You are.  
Where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me. **Chorus**

So teach my song to rise to You when temptation comes my way.  
When I cannot stand I'll fall on You; Jesus, You're my hope and stay.  
**Chorus**

You're my One defense, my righteousness, oh God, how I need You.  
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### **SPEAK, O LORD**

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You  
to receive the food of Your holy Word.  
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us;  
shape and fashion us in Your likeness—  
that the light of Christ might be seen today  
in our acts of love and our deeds of faith.  
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us all Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience, holy reverence, true humility.  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity.  
Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority.  
Words of power that can never fail; let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;  
help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us.  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time  
that will echo down through eternity.  
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,  
and by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.  
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built,  
and the earth is filled with Your glory.

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### **TEACH ME, O LORD, YOUR WAY OF TRUTH** - (G) 276; all 5

Teach me, O Lord, Your way of truth, and from it I will not depart;  
that I may steadfastly obey, give me an understanding heart.

In Your commandments make me walk, for in Your law my joy shall be;  
give me a heart that loves Your will, from discontent and envy free.

Your word sheds light upon my path; a shining light, it guides my feet;  
Your righteous judgments to observe, my solemn vow I now repeat.

Your wondrous testimonies, Lord, my soul will keep and greatly praise;  
Your word, by faithful lips proclaimed,  
to simplest minds the truth conveys.

I thirst for Your commandments, Lord,  
and for Your mercy press my claim;  
O look on me and show the grace displayed to all who love Your name.

Text: Psalm 119:33-36, 105-106, 129-132; vers. Psalter 1912 Tune: George J. Elvey, 1862. UBP Church CCLI License #133103

## **ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST**

Should nothing of our efforts stand, no legacy survive;  
unless the Lord does raise the house, in vain its builders strive.  
To you who boast tomorrow's gain, tell me what is your life?  
A mist that vanishes at dawn; all glory be to Christ.

**Chorus:** All glory be to Christ our King! All glory be to Christ!  
His rule and reign we'll ever sing, all glory be to Christ!

His will be done, His kingdom come, on earth as is above,  
who is Himself our daily bread; praise Him, the Lord of love.  
Let living water satisfy the thirsty without price;  
we'll take a cup of kindness yet; all glory be to Christ. **Chorus**

When on the day the great I AM, the faithful and the true,  
the Lamb who was for sinners slain, is making all things new.  
Behold, our God shall live with us and be our steadfast light.  
And we shall e'er His people be; all glory be to Christ. **Chorus 2x**

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## *Welcome to Our Old Years Worship Service*

*Friday, December 31st, 2021*

*6:00 PM*

### **WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

Prelude

Welcome

Responsive Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

\*God's Greeting

\*Song of Praise & Adoration

*"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" (G) 556; all 3*

Responsive Reading of the Law: From the Psalms (G) 1015

Song of Response

*"Lord, I Need You"*

Pastoral Prayer

Offering: Wycliffe Bible Translators

Offertory Slideshow: Looking back at 2021

\*Song of Preparation

*"Speak, O Lord"*

### **WE HEAR GOD'S WORD**

Text: Deuteronomy 8:1-20 (pp. 180-181)

Sermon: **"Take Care"**

Prayer of Application

\*Song of Application

*"Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth" (G) 276; all 5*

### **WE LEAVE TO SERVE**

\*Benediction

\*Closing Song

*"All Glory Be to Christ"*

\*Postlude

**Preaching:** Pastor Dave Vander Meulen

**Piano:** John Prins, Heidi Veldstra **Guitar:** John Welch

**Praise Team:** Bill & LeeAnn Bergwerff, Heidi Veldstra

**\*Please stand if able**