

**COME, ALL WHO FEAR THE LORD GOD** - (G) 240; all 3  
Come, all who fear the Lord God, O saints, your voices raise.  
Come, stand in awe before Him and sing His glorious praise.  
You lowly and afflicted who on His word rely,  
your heart shall live forever; the Lord will satisfy.

All kindreds of the nations to Christ the Lord shall turn.  
Through earth's remotest regions His altar fires shall burn.  
All kingdoms, power, and glory belong to Him alone.  
He rules o'er all the nations; kings bow before His throne.

Both high and low shall worship, both strong and weak shall bend.  
A faithful church shall serve Him till generations end.  
His praise shall be recounted to nations yet to be.  
The triumphs of His justice a newborn world shall see.

*Text: Psalm 22:23-31; vers. Psalter, 1912. Tune: Berthold Tours, 1872. Church CCLI License #133103*

### **GREAT THINGS**

Come, let us worship our King. Come, let us bow at His feet.  
He has done great things.  
See what our Savior has done. See how His love overcomes.  
He has done great things. He has done great things.

**Chorus:** Oh Hero of Heaven, You conquered the grave.  
You free ev'ry captive and break ev'ry chain.  
Oh God, You have done great things.  
We dance in Your freedom, awake and alive.  
Oh Jesus our Savior, Your name lifted high.  
Oh God, You have done great things.

You've been faithful through ev'ry storm.  
You'll be faithful forevermore. You have done great things.  
And I know You will do it again for Your promise is Yes and Amen.  
You will do great things. God, You do great things. **Chorus**

Hallelujah, God above it all! Hallelujah, God unshakeable!  
Hallelujah, You have done great things! **Repeat**  
You've done great things! **Chorus**

You have done great things. Oh God, You do great things!  
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### **O LOVE OF GOD, HOW STRONG AND TRUE** - (G) 463; vv. 1, 5-7

O love of God, how strong and true, eternal and yet ever new,  
uncomprehended and unbought, beyond all knowledge and all thought.

We read You best in Him who came to bear for us the cross of shame,  
sent by the Father from on high, our life to live, our death to die.

We read Your power to bless and save e'en in the darkness of the grave;  
still more in resurrection light we read the fullness of Your might.

O love of God, our shield and stay through all the perils of our way  
eternal love, in You we rest, forever safe, forever blest.

*Text: Horatius Bonar, 1861 Tune: William Knapp, 1738. Church CCLI License #133103*

### **BEHOLD THE LAMB (Communion Hymn)**

Behold the Lamb, who bears our sins away, slain for us—  
and we remember the promise made, that all who come in faith  
find forgiveness at the cross.

So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of his sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of peace around the table of the King.

The body of our Savior, Jesus Christ, torn for you—  
eat and remember the wounds that heal; the death that brings us life  
paid the price to make us one.

So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of his sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of love around the table of the King.

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin, shed for you—  
drink and remember he drained death's cup, that all may enter in  
to receive the life of God.

So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of his sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of grace around the table of the King.

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise to respond—and to remember  
our call to follow in the steps of Christ as his body here on earth.  
As we share in his suffering, we proclaim Christ will come again!  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven around the table of the King.

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### **YET NOT I BUT THROUGH CHRIST IN ME**

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer.  
There is no more for heaven now to give.  
He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom,  
my steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace.  
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus. For my life is wholly bound to His.  
Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken,  
for by my side the Saviour, He will stay.  
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing,  
for in my need, His power is displayed.  
To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me.  
Through the deepest valley He will lead.  
Oh, the night has been won, and I shall overcome!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven, the future sure, the price, it has been paid.  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon,  
and He was raised to overthrow the grave.  
To this I hold: my sin has been defeated. Jesus now, and ever, is my plea.  
Oh, the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

With ev'ry breath I long to follow Jesus,  
for He has said that He will bring me home.  
And day by day I know He will renew me  
until I stand with joy before the throne.  
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus. All the glory evermore to Him.  
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me. Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
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### THE LORD IS MY SALVATION

The grace of God has reached for me,  
and pulled me from the raging sea.  
And I am safe on this solid ground. The Lord is my salvation.  
I will not fear when darkness falls.  
His strength will help me scale these walls.  
I'll see the dawn of the rising sun. The Lord is my salvation.

**Chorus:** Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love.  
My debt is paid and the vict'ry won. The Lord is my salvation.

My hope is hidden in the Lord. He flow'rs each promise of His Word.  
When winter fades I know spring will come. The Lord is my salvation.  
In times of waiting, times of need, when I know loss, when I am weak.  
I know His grace will renew these days. The Lord is my salvation. **Chorus**

And when I reach my final day, He will not leave me in the grave.  
But I will rise, He will call me home. The Lord is my salvation. **Chorus**  
Glory be to God the Father; glory be to God the Son.  
Glory be to God the Spirit. The Lord is my salvation. **Repeat**  
The Lord is my salvation. The Lord is my salvation.

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**WORTHY IS CHRIST** - (G) 629; both  
Worthy is Christ, worthy is Christ;  
to Him be praise and glory: worthy is the Lord.

He gave His life, He died for me;  
to Him be praise and glory: worthy is the Lord.  
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# *Welcome to Our Morning Worship Service*

## *Sunday, September 17th, 2023*

### *10:00 AM*

### WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude  
Welcome & Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Opening Prayer  
\*Opening Song of Praise  
    *"Come, All Who Fear the Lord God"* (G) 240; all 3  
\*God's Greeting/We Greet One Another  
\*Song of Praise and Adoration  
    *"Great Things"*  
    *(Children may come forward for Little Lambs and Children in Worship)*

Children's Message  
Pastoral Prayer  
Offering: Haven of Peace  
\*Song of Preparation  
    *"O Love of God, How Strong and True"* (G) 463; vv. 1, 5-7

### WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture: Isaiah 40:6-8 (p. 712)  
Sermon: **"A Sure Word"**  
Prayer of Application  
\*Song of Application  
    *"Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn)"*

### WE CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Bread  
Song: *"Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me"*  
The Cup  
Song: *"The Lord Is My Salvation"*  
Prayer

### WE LEAVE TO SERVE

\*Benediction  
\*Closing Song  
    *"Worthy Is Christ"* (G) 629; both  
\*Postlude

**Preaching:** Pastor Dave Vander Meulen  
**Organ:** Wilma Nieuwenhuis **Piano:** Laura Koolhaas  
**\*Please stand if able (G) denotes gray hymnal in pew racks (B) blue hymnal under pews**