



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

March 29, 2020

Sixth Sunday in Lent

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP: Isaiah 55:2, 11-12; John 4:24

Liturgist, Caiti Vera

Leader: Let us worship God,
for whom our souls thirst and our bodies long.

People: Listen, listen to me,
and your soul will delight in the richest of fare.

Leader: We have come to hear the Word God has sent.

People: God's Word will not return empty
but will accomplish through us his holy purpose.

Leader: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

People: Then we will go out with joy and be led forth in peace;
the mountains and the hills will sing;
the trees of the field will clap their hands.

***Opening Hymn*#356**

*1 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, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

*2 Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
ye clouds that sail in heav'n along,
O praise him, alleluia!*

*Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,
ye lights of evening, find a voice,
O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

*3 Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for thy Lord to hear,
alleluia, alleluia!*

All Creatures of Our God and King

*Thou fire so masterful and bright,
that givest man both warmth and light,
O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

*4 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, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

*5 Let all things their Creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness,
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, three in one,
O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

*OPENING PRAYER

*PRAISE SONG

Mighty To Save

Verse 1

*Ev'ryone needs compassion
Love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me
Ev'ryone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Saviour
The hope of nations*

Verse 2

*So take me as You find me
All my fears and failures
Fill my life again
I give my life to follow
Ev'rything I believe in
Now I surrender*

Chorus

*Saviour He can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save
He is mighty to save
Forever Author of salvation
He rose and conquered the grave
Jesus conquered the grave*

Bridge

*Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing
For the glory of the risen King
Jesus
Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing
For the glory of the risen King*

GUIDED PRAYER

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – from 2 Chronicles 7:13-14

We believe that when God shuts up the heavens so that there is no rain, or commands locusts to devour the land or sends a plague among his people, if his people, who are called by his name, will humble themselves and pray and seek his face and turn from their wicked ways, then he will hear from heaven, and he will forgive their sin and will heal their land. Amen.

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Karey Garrison

ANTHEM

"Sorrow Like His"

Larry Shackley

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

WORSHIPING GOD WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

*Doxology- Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

*Pastor: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God*

SERMON:

“God Saves”

SERIES: PATH OF THE PHOENIX

“Don’t be afraid,” the prophet answered.

“Those who are with us are more than those who are with them.” – 2 Kings 6:16

***CLOSING HYMN # 473**

*1 And can it be that I should gain
An int'rest in the Savior's blood?
Died He for me, who caused His pain?
For me, who Him to death pursued?
Amazing love! how can it be
That Thou, my God, should die for me?*

*Refrain:
Amazing love! how can it be
That Thou, my God, should die for me!*

*2 'Tis mystery all! Th' Immortal dies!
Who can explore His strange design?
In vain the firstborn seraph tries
To sound the depths of love divine!
'Tis mercy all! let earth adore,
Let angel minds inquire no more. [Refrain]*

*And Can It Be That I Should Gain
3 He left His Father's throne above
So free, so infinite His grace;
Emptied Himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam's helpless race;
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;
For, O my God, it found out me. [Refrain]*

*4 Long my imprisoned spirit lay
Fast bound in sin and nature's night;
Thine eye diffused a quick'ning ray,
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
My chains fell off, my heart was free;
I rose, went forth and followed Thee.
[Refrain]*

*5 No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in Him is mine!
Alive in Him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach th'eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ my own.
[Refrain]*

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**