

WORSHIP SERVICE FOR SUNDAY, SEPT. 20, 2026

Invocation

- P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**

The Third Commandment

- L What is The Third Commandment
C **Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.**
L *What does this mean?*
C **We should fear and love God so that we do not despise preaching and His Word, but hold it sacred and gladly hear and learn it.**

This is Amazing Grace

Verse 1

**Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory the King above all kings**

Verse 2

**Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory the King above all kings**

Chorus

**This is amazing grace
This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life
That I would be set free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me**

Verse 3

**Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
The King of Glory the King of Glory**

Verse 4

**Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory the King above all kings**

Stand

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Confession and Absolution

- A Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your steadfast love;
according to Your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.
- C **Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin!**
- For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is ever before me.**

A Against You, You only, have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight,
so that You may be justified in Your words and blameless in Your judgment.

C **Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,
and in sin did my mother conceive me.**

**Behold, You delight in truth in the inward being,
and You teach me wisdom in the secret heart.**

A Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

C **Let me hear joy and gladness;
let the bones that You have broken rejoice.**

**Hide Your face from my sins,
and blot out all my iniquities.**

P Let us confess our sins unto God our Father.

P Most merciful Father in heaven,

C **I am a sinner. I have no one to blame. The fault is my own. I deserve to be punished. I am truly sorry
for my sins. Yet, for the sake of the loving sacrifice of Your only Son, Jesus Christ, I dare to beg for
Your forgiveness. Remove from me the guilt of my sin and wash me that I may be whole again. Help
me to be faithful today, tomorrow, and each day, by the power of Your Holy Spirit.**

P Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us and has given His only Son to die for us and for
His sake forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I
therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

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Chorus

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This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life
That I would be set free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me**

Bridge

**Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy worthy worthy**

Chorus
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Children's Message

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

Merciful Father, through Holy Baptism You called us to be Your own possession. Grant that our lives may evidence the working of Your Holy Spirit in love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control, according to the image of Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior.

C **Amen.**

Epistle

1 John 1:5—2:2

⁵This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. ⁶If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. ⁷But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. ⁸If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. ⁹If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

¹My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. ²He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Holy Gospel

Matthew 20:1–16

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twentieth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹[Jesus said:] “The kingdom of heaven is like a master of a house who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. ²After agreeing with the laborers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard. ³And going out about the third hour he saw others standing idle in the marketplace, ⁴and to them he said, ‘You go into the vineyard too, and whatever is right I will give you.’ ⁵So they went. Going out again about the sixth hour and the ninth hour, he did the same. ⁶And about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing. And he said to them, ‘Why do you stand here idle all day?’ ⁷They said to him, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You go into the vineyard too.’ ⁸And when evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, ‘Call the laborers and pay them their wages, beginning with the last, up to the first.’ ⁹And when those hired about the eleventh hour came, each of them received a denarius. ¹⁰Now when those hired first came, they thought they would receive more, but each of them also received a denarius. ¹¹And on receiving it they grumbled at the master of the house, ¹²saying, ‘These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.’ ¹³But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong. Did you not agree with me for a denarius? ¹⁴Take what belongs to you and go. I choose to give to

this last worker as I give to you. ¹⁵Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you begrudge my generosity?" ¹⁶So the last will be first, and the first last."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Offering

Build My Life (w/Apostles' Creed)

Build My Life

Verse 1

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You

Verse 2

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name
Jesus the only one who could ever save
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You
We live for You

Chorus

Holy there is no one like You
There is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me

Verse 3

Jesus the name above every other name
Jesus the only one who could save
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for you
Oh we live for you

Worthy of every song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for you
Oh, we live for you

Apostles' Creed

C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.**

From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Bridge

I will build my life upon Your love
It is a firm foundation
I will put my trust in You alone
And I will not be shaken

Chorus

Holy there is no one like You
There is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me

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Sermon

Prayer of the Church

P ...Lord in your mercy,
C **Hear our Prayer.**

Service of the Sacrament

Stand

Preface

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P The Lord be with you.
C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.
C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

We Fall Down

Chorus

**And we cry holy, holy, holy
And we cry holy, holy, holy
And we cry holy, holy, holy is the Lamb**

**We fall down
We lay our crowns
At the feet of Jesus
The greatness of mercy and love
At the feet of Jesus**

Chorus

**And we cry holy, holy, holy
And we cry holy, holy, holy
And we cry holy, holy, holy is the Lamb**

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Lord's Prayer

**C 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 trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.**

The Words of Our Lord

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My T body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My T blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

**P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C Amen.**

Sit

Distribution

Living Hope

**How great the chasm that lay between us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness Your loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished the end is written
Jesus Christ my living hope**

**Who could imagine so great a mercy
What heart could fathom such boundless grace
The God of ages stepped down from glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken I am forgiven
The King of kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior I'm Yours forever
Jesus Christ my living hope**

Chorus

**Hallelujah praise the One who set me free
Hallelujah death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain
There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ my living hope**

**Then came the morning that sealed the promise
Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me
(REPEAT)
Jesus Yours is the victory whoa**

Ending

**Jesus Christ my living hope
Oh God You are my living hope**

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Your Grace Is Enough

**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**

PRE-CHORUS

**So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise O God**

Chorus

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

- 2) Great is Your love and justice God of Jacob
You use the weak to lead the strong
You lead us in the song of Your salvation
And all Your people sing along**

PRE-CHORUS

**So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise O God**

Chorus

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

Chorus

**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**

Chorus 2

**Yeah, Your grace is enough
Heaven reaches out to us
Your grace is enough for me
God I sing, Your grace is enough
I'm covered in Your love
Your grace is enough for me, for me**

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Forever

**Give thanks to the Lord
Our God and King
His love endures forever
For He is good He is above all things
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise**

**With a mighty hand
And an outstretched arm
His love endures forever
For the life that's been reborn
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise**

Pre-chorus

Sing praise sing praise

Chorus

**Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever, forever**

**From the rising to the setting sun
His love endures forever
And by the grace of God
We will carry on
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise**

Pre-chorus

Sing praise sing praise

Chorus

**Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever, forever**

Final Chorus

**Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever, forever, forever**

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Stand

In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:

- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart in peace.
C **Amen.**

Post-Communion Collect

- A Let us pray.
We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C **Amen.**

Benedicamus

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- A Let us bless the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God.**

Benediction

- P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and T give you peace.
C **Amen.**

Soul On Fire

Chorus 1

**God I'm running for Your heart
I'm running for Your heart
'Til I am a soul on fire
Lord I'm longing for Your ways
I'm waiting for the day
When I am a soul on fire
('Til I am a soul on fire)**

Verse 1

**Lord restore the joy I had
I have wandered bring me back
In this darkness lead me through
Until all I see is You yeah**

(Bridge)

**Lord let me burn for You again
Let me return to You again
And Lord let me burn for You again
And let me return to You again**

Chorus 2

**God I'm running for Your heart
I'm running for Your heart
'Til I am a soul on fire
'Til I am a soul on fire
'Til I am a soul on fire**

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