WORSHIP SERVICE 10-25-2020

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 90)
LEADER: Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations.
        before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world,
PEOPLE: From everlasting to everlasting you are God.
LEADER: A thousand years are like a mere day to you, Lord.
PEOPLE: O Lord, how great you are!

PRAYER

HYMN How Great Thou Art
O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee:
How great thou art, how great thou art!
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How great thou art, how great thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.  CHORUS

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on a cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.  CHORUS

When Christ shall come with shouts of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, “My God, how great thou art.”  CHORUS
HYMN # Great is the Lord
Great is the Lord, he is holy and just;
By his power we trust in his love.
Great is the Lord, he is faithful and true;
By his mercy he proves he is love.

Great is the Lord and worthy of glory! Great is the Lord and worthy of praise.
Great is the Lord, now lift up your voice, lift up your voice,
“Great is the Lord, Great is the Lord!”

GIVING OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

PRAYER AND PRAISE

HYMN # I Need You, Lord
We need you, Lord, we need you, Lord, right now.
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We lift our hands and bow our knees, and worship at Your throne,
We need You, Lord, we need You, Lord, right now.

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 90:
Lord, you have been our dwelling place
throughout all generations.

2 Before the mountains were born
or you brought forth the whole world,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

3 You turn people back to dust,
saying, “Return to dust, you mortals.”

4 A thousand years in your sight
are like a day that has just gone by,
or like a watch in the night.

5 Yet you sweep people away in the sleep of death—
they are like the new grass of the morning:

6 In the morning it springs up new,
but by evening it is dry and withered.
We are consumed by your anger
and terrified by your indignation.

You have set our iniquities before you,
our secret sins in the light of your presence.

All our days pass away under your wrath;
we finish our years with a moan.

Our days may come to seventy years,
or eighty, if our strength endures;
yet the best of them are but trouble and sorrow,
for they quickly pass, and we fly away.

If only we {understood} the power of your anger!
Your wrath is as great as the fear that is your due.

Teach us to number our days,
that we may gain a heart of wisdom.

REFLECTION Teach Us to Number Our Days

HYMN # 686 O God, Our Help in Ages Past
O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God, to endless years the same.

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come;
Teach us to number all our days and be our heart’s true home.

BENEDICTION