



Let Us Worship God!

September 12, 2021 — 10:30 AM

Pentecost 16 — WI-55 WO-80

A Hybrid Worship Experience In-Person and Online

Today's worship team—Music Director: Jayne McDonough.

Worship Leader: Rev. Larry Moyer. Message: Rev. Dr. Kevin Yoho.

Worship Production: Norris Clark.



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Person: No masks are required if vaccinated. Speak and sing "lightly" while remaining seated. The Worship Guide is displayed on the large screen.

WORSHIP PREVIEW

Who are you? When asked that question you may instinctively give your name, or begin to recall the Who's rock song, Who Are You? You may respond with the many identities you express in your life. Your citizenship, nationality, gender, personality, health status or political orientation. You may describe your faith, too, for example, I am a follower of Jesus. Who we are is connected to our many relationships, joys, passions, skills, and values at home, leisure, or work. These good responses are not "all" of who you are, but all these hint at the who of you. This week in our Old Testament reading from Psalm 116, we learn that God inclines his "ear" to us. Amazing! The God of the universe leans in and pays attention to us. God listens intently not only to our words, sighs, but lovingly understands our feelings, pains, and dreams, too. In our Gospel reading we find Jesus out of his home area and asks the people "Who am I?" Jesus "inclined his ear" towards them and invited them to be real with him, as he was with them. But what we will discover in what happened next when Peter reprimanded Jesus (!) Will help us connect the Who with the Do, because who we are is inseparable from what we do. This week at Cold Spring Church, let's put our Who in our Do!

CHANCEL FLOWERS

The beautiful chancel flowers are given to the glory of God by Pam Smith in honor of Dulce Alvarez and Xavier Harrelson, and other missing children.

GREETING OF IN-PERSON WORSHIPPERS: PASTOR KEVIN (10:24)

COUNTDOWN TO WORSHIP (10:24)

PRELUDE: JAYNE McDONOUGH (10:27)

WELCOME: PASTOR KEVIN (10:32)

CALL TO WORSHIP (UNISON): REV. LARRY MOYER (10:34)

**We worship God who created us to experience real life.
God loves us, inhabits our world, and indwells our lives.
We see God at work within ourselves, beyond ourselves,
as we read Scripture and pray, worship and give, and as
we serve others together, work for peace, and
demonstrate God's love. Let us worship God!**

GOD WELCOMES ALL (SING LIGHTLY): (1-10:34)

**God welcomes all, strangers and friends;
God's love is strong, and it never ends.**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (UNISON):

**Loving God, keep our hearts and minds open to the Good
News as we learn, grow, and serve. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING: PSALM 116:1-9 (NIV) (10:38)

**I love the Lord, because he has heard
my voice and my supplications.
Because he inclined his ear to me,
therefore I will call on him as long as I live.
The snares of death encompassed me;
the pangs of Sheol laid hold on me;
I suffered distress and anguish.
Then I called on the name of the Lord:
"O Lord, I pray, save my life!"**

Gracious is the Lord, and righteous;
our God is merciful.
The Lord protects the simple;
when I was brought low, he saved me.
Return, O my soul, to your rest,
for the Lord has dealt bountifully with you.
For you have delivered my soul from death,
my eyes from tears,
my feet from stumbling.
I walk before the Lord
in the land of the living.

MESSAGE FOR KIDS: WHOVILLE, DOVILLE PASTOR KEVIN

(10:34)

PRAYER FOR FAMILIES

MUSIC: O JESUS, YOU WERE BORN TO BE - REV. LARRY MOYER

GOSPEL READING: (NIV)

(10:38)

Jesus and his disciples went on to the villages around Caesarea Philippi. On the way he asked them, “Who do people say I am?”

They replied, “Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets.”

“But what about you?” he asked. “Who do you say I am?”

Peter answered, “You are the Messiah.”
Jesus warned them not to tell anyone about him.
He then began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests and the teachers of the law, and that he must be killed and after three days rise again. He spoke plainly about this, and Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him.

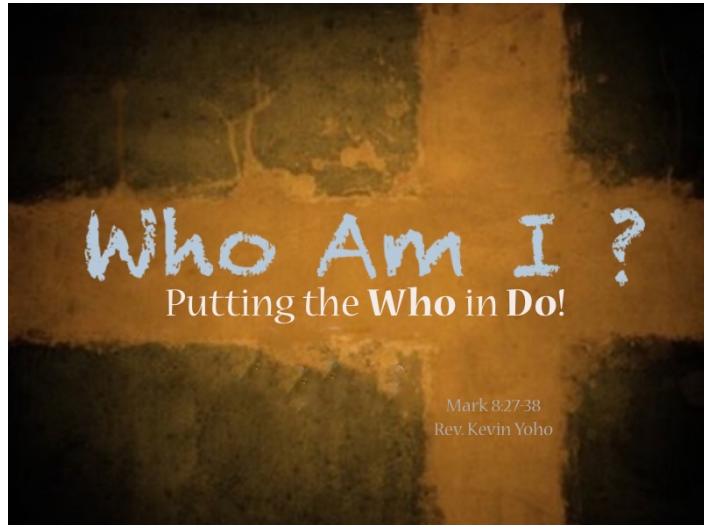
But when Jesus turned and looked at his disciples, he rebuked Peter. “Get behind me, Satan!” he said. “You do not have in mind the concerns of God, but merely human concerns.”

Then he called the crowd to him along with his disciples

and said: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me and for the gospel will save it. What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul? Or what can anyone give in exchange for their soul? If anyone is ashamed of me and my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, the Son of Man will be ashamed of them when he comes in his Father's glory with the holy angels."

**MESSAGE: WHO ARE
YOU? PUTTING THE
WHO IN DO!
REV. KEVIN YOHO**

**PRAYER AND SILENT
REFLECTION:**



MUSIC LYRIC VIDEO: OH, THAT THE LORD WOULD GUIDE MY WAYS

Oh, that the Lord would guide my ways
To keep His statutes still!
Oh, that my God would grant me grace
To know and do His will!

Order my footsteps by your Word
And make my heart sincere;
Let sin have no dominion, Lord,
But keep my conscience clear.

Assist my soul, too apt to stray,
A stricter watch to keep;
And should I e'er forget your way,
Restore Your wand'ring sheep.

Make me to walk in Your commands--
'Tis a delightful road--
Nor let my head or heart or hands
Offend against my God.

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

(10:55)

God loves you and nothing separates you from God's love.
In a spirit of gratitude and joy, let us pray together:

PRAYER OF FORGIVENESS

(10:55)

Good morning God, our Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer. Thank you for your grace and mercy. Forgive us, we pray, when we hurt or neglect others, missing opportunities to live like Jesus. When we waver, help us feel your presence. When we doubt, comfort us by your strength. When we stop listening to your Spirit, realign us. When we forget, remind us. When we cry out, send your tenderness in another. Help us to hear the cries of others and turn us toward them. When we go out, let us shine with your glory and light. Help us to love, hope, and forgive, welcoming all, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SILENT REFLECTION

HEAR THE WORDS OF ASSURANCE

In the name of Jesus Christ, the risen and rising Lord,
God loves and forgives us to live a life of faith and justice.
Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! AMEN.

THE GLORIA (SING LIGHTLY)

(3) (10:57)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

GIFTS OF GRATITUDE: GENERAL FUND AND DEACONS FUND

(11:04)

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PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

THE DOXOLOGY (SING LIGHTLY)

(5) (11:05)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below; praise God above the heavenly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

COMMUNITY NEWS:

Let's Celebrate Anniversaries! Bob and Linda Hall (9/14) and Buddy & Susan DeHart (9/15). God bless Marcus DiLossi on his birthday! (9/18).

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

(11:06)

Our prayers are with our nation remembering 9/11 and all those who suffer: those fleeing Afghanistan, suffering from COVID-19 and continuing pandemic stressors, racial unrest, violence, discrimination, unemployment, and anxiety. God, grant us peace as we embrace these challenges in hope.

9/12:

9/5: Those in peril from fires in western states, and recovery and restoration efforts following Hurricane Ida. 8/29: Connie Townsend, Ed stomach issues. Hurricane Ida. 8/22: Family and friends grieving the passing of Agnes Fanelli. Family and friends grieving the passing of Marty Bowne. Remember the family and friends of George Smith who passed on 8/21. 8/8: Betty Brown hospital, (covid) (Beverly's mother in law).

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

(11:07)

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.

(11:08)

FRESH EXPRESSION OF COMMUNITY

(11:15)

Once we were strangers, Now we are neighbors.
Once we were strangers, Now we are friends.

MUSIC: LORD, MAY WE SEE BY FAITH AND GRACE

Lord, may we see by faith and grace
Your countenance in each sad face
Of those who stand and wait outside,
Encircled by your arms spread wide.

They cling to hope in their despair,
And long for life more just and fair,
A home that's safe and bread to eat,
Warm clothes to wear, and water sweet.

BENEDICTION: PASTOR KEVIN

(11:13)

POSTLUDE:

(11:14)

*Go in peace, and serve in joy! Thank you for being with us!
We hope that you felt spiritually energized by joining us
today. All of our worship services are available for viewing
and sharing at any time [here](#). Please invite others to join you
next week. We pray that you're staying safe wherever you
are and wherever you go. May God bless you and those you
love now and always.*

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1. *God Welcomes All*: CCLI # 5495557
2. *O Jesus, You Were Born to Be*: tune: traditional English melody; Text: Carolyn Winfrey Gillette CCLI#
3. *Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways*: text: Isaac Watts; tune: William H. Havergal; setting: Koiné Music
4. *Gloria* - public domain
5. *Doxology*: CCLI #42555
6. *Lord, May We See By Faith and Grace*: text: Mary Nelson Keithahn; tune: Truro CCLI#