



# Let Us Worship God!

October 31, 2021—10:30 AM

Pentecost 23 — WI-60 WO-87

A Hybrid Worship Experience In-Person and Online  
Today's worship team—Music Director: Jayne McDonough.  
Worship Leader: Barbara Cain. Message: Rev. Larry Moyer.  
Worship Production: Norris Clark.

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## MESSAGE PREVIEW



This week our worship experience is rooted in the great Protestant Reformation when we celebrate the courage and faith of German monk Martin Luther. Beginning in 1517, Luther and many other women and men challenged the Church to get back to life's basics and the spiritual heart of the matter: Christ alone, Scripture alone, and Faith alone. We are delighted to welcome back to the pulpit this week the Rev. Larry Moyer while Pastor Kevin and Melissa are away. Let's be open to God's love and the transformational relationship God desires with us in mind, body, and spirit, the very essence of who we are. Invite a friend to worship with you as we get to the heart of the matter together.

## MUSIC PREVIEW

We will enjoy a Hymn Sing this week! Plus, a beautiful solo and a music and lyric video that will energize our worship experience and stir our spirits!

**GREETING OF IN-PERSON WORSHIPPERS:** REV. MOYER (10:24)

**COUNTDOWN TO WORSHIP** (10:24)

**PRELUDE:** JAYNE McDONOUGH (10:27)

**WELCOME:** (10:32)

**CALL TO WORSHIP (UNISON):** (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's Spirit at work within ourselves, beyond ourselves, as we read Scripture and pray, worship and give, and serve others together demonstrating 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: DEUTERONOMY 6:1-9 (NSRV)**

Now this is the commandment—the statutes and the ordinances—that the Lord your God charged me to teach you to observe in the land that you are about to cross into and occupy, so that you and your children and your children's children may fear the Lord your God all the days of your life, and keep all his decrees and his commandments that I am commanding you, so that your days may be long. Hear therefore, O Israel, and observe them diligently, so that it may go well with you, and so that you may multiply greatly in a land flowing with milk and honey, as the Lord, the God of your ancestors, has promised you.

Hear, O Israel: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your forehead, and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

**SPECIAL MUSIC: DID YOU TALK TO HIM TODAY - REV. LARRY MOYER****GOSPEL READING: MARK 10:46-52 (NRSV)**

(10:38)

One of the scribes came near and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, he asked him, "Which commandment is the first of all?" Jesus answered, "The first is, 'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." Then the scribe said to him, "You are right, Teacher; you have truly said that 'he is one, and besides him there is no other'; and 'to love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the strength,' and 'to love one's neighbor as oneself,' — this is much more important than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices." When Jesus saw that he answered wisely, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." After that no one dared to ask him any question.

**MESSAGE:****HEART OF THE MATTER**

REV. LARRY MOYER

**PRAYER AND SILENT REFLECTION:****HYMN SING****1. IN THE GARDEN -**

I come to the garden alone  
While the dew is still on the roses

And the voice I hear falling on my ear  
The Son of God discloses,  
And He walks with me  
And He talks with me  
And He tells me I am His own  
And the joy we share as we tarry there  
None other has ever known

## **2. PRECIOUS LORD TAKE MY HAND -**

Precious Lord, take my hand,  
Lead me on help me stand  
I am tired I am weak I am worn  
Through the storm through the night  
Lead me on to the light  
Take my hand precious Lord  
Lead me home

## **3. NEARER MY GOD TO THEE -**

Nearer my God to Thee, Nearer to Thee,  
Even though it be a cross that raiseth me  
Still all my song shall be  
Nearer my God to Thee  
Nearer my God to Thee nearer to Thee

## **4. AMAZING GRACE -**

Amazing grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost but now am found  
Was blind but now I see.

When we've been there ten thousand years  
Bright shining as the sun  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we've first begun.

## 5. GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS -

Great is Thy faithfulness O God my Father  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee  
Thou changest not Thy compassions they fail not  
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Great is Thy faithfulness  
Morning by morning new mercies I see  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided  
Great is Thy faithfulness Lord unto me.

## 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 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. Please 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 like Christ and a life of faith, justice, and peace.

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:



Happy Birthday to Dee Sloan (10/30), Larry Moyer (11/4), and Roger Hanson, Jr. (11/6)



Next week, November 7th, we celebrate both sacraments in what promises to be a memorable worship experience! We will observe the Sacrament of the Lord's Table as we

receive the Bread and Cup of the New Covenant. And, then our focus will be on the baptismal font when baby James, the son of James and Amanda Dodd, receives the Sacrament of Baptism.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

(11:06)

God cares about us and loves us as we share our concerns with God and one another. We pray for others worldwide and nearby who need shelter, food, employment, healing, and wholeness in mind, body, and spirit. God, grant us peace as we embrace life's challenges in Christ's hope.

We are praying for those suffering from Covid-19 and other illness, and those who serve in healthcare, emergency response, law enforcement, education, business, government, and the military. We pray for healing for Pam's legs, continued healing for Fred, Lenore, and for all of us to be well and stay safe.

## PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER

(11:07)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom comes, 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

(11:09)

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

## MUSIC VIDEO: OPEN THE EYES OF MY HEART, LORD

*Chorus*

Open the eyes of my heart Lord  
Open the eyes of my heart  
I want to see You, I want to see You  
Open the eyes of my heart Lord  
Open the eyes of my heart  
I want to see You, I want to see You

*Verse*

To see You high and lifted up  
Shining in the light of Your glory  
Pour out Your power and love  
As we sing holy holy holy

*Chorus*

Open the eyes of my heart Lord  
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I want to see You, I want to see You  
Open the eyes of my heart Lord  
Open the eyes of my heart  
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*Bridge*

Holy holy holy, Holy holy holy  
Holy holy holy, I want to see You  
Holy holy holy, Holy holy holy  
Holy holy holy, I want to see You

**BENEDICTION:** REV. MOYER

(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 # 549555
2. *Did You Talk to Him Today*: Palma Pasquale
3. *In the Garden*: C. Austin Miles; CCLI. #62858
4. *Precious Lord Take My Hand*: Text-Thomas Dorsey, Music-George Allen; CCLI #2997412
5. *Nearer My God to Thee*: Text: Sarah Adams, Tune: Lowell Mason: CCLI #5328590
6. *Amazing Grace*: John Newton; CCLI #4755360
7. *Great is Thy Faithfulness*: Text- Thomas Chisholm, Tune- William Runyon: CCLI #18723
8. *Gloria* - public domain
9. *Doxology*: CCLI #42555
10. *Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord* CCLI #2298355