

# LIVING STONE WORSHIP

✠ Fourth Sunday after Pentecost ✠  
Sunday, June 21, 2026 at 10:45 a.m.

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## Prayer Before Worship

Lord Almighty, Protector of Your people, help us to leave behind our lethargy and fear, so that we will be faithful in the confession of Your name to people everywhere; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

## Announcements & Greeting

### Opening Song

“Great Things”

Verse 1

Come, let us worship our King.  
Come, let us bow at His feet.  
He has done great things.  
See what our Savior has done,  
See how His love overcomes.  
He has done great things.  
He has done great things.

Verse 2

You've been faithful through every storm.  
You'll be faithful forevermore.  
You have done great things.  
And I know You will do it again  
For Your promise is Yes and Amen.  
You will do great things. God, You do great things.

Chorus

Bridge

Hallelujah, God above it all!  
Hallelujah, God unshakable!  
Hallelujah, You have done great things! (REPEAT)

You've done great things!

Chorus

You have done great things.  
O, God You do great things

Chorus

O Hero of Heaven, You conquered the grave.  
You free every captive and break every chain.  
O God, You have done great things.  
We dance in Your freedom, awake and alive.  
O Jesus our Savior, Your name lifted high.  
O God, You have done great things.

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## Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
C Amen.

## Confession of Sins and Absolution

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P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.  
C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

*Silence for reflection*

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.  
C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your 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 ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

*John 20:19-23*

C Amen.

## Prayer of the Day

P Let us pray.

O God, because Your abiding presence always goes with us, keep us aware of Your daily mercies that we may live secure and content in Your eternal love; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

## Old Testament Reading

*Jeremiah 20:7-13*

O LORD, You have deceived me, and I was deceived; You are stronger than I, and You have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all the day; everyone mocks me. For whenever I speak, I cry out, I shout, "Violence and destruction!" For the word of the LORD has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. If I say, "I will not mention Him, or speak any more in His name," there is in my heart as it were a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot.

For I hear many whispering. Terror is on every side! "Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" say all my close friends, watching for my fall. "Perhaps he will be deceived; then we can overcome him and take our revenge on him." But the LORD is with me as a dread warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble; they will not overcome me. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonor will never be forgotten. O LORD of hosts, who tests the righteous, who sees the heart and the mind, let me see Your vengeance upon them, for to You have I committed my cause. Sing to the LORD; praise the LORD! For He has delivered the life of the needy from the hand of evildoers.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## Epistle Reading

*Romans 6:12-23*

Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. Do not present your members to sin as instruments for unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments for righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under Law but under grace.

What then? Are we to sin because we are not under Law but under grace? By no means! Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God, that you who were once slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the standard of teaching to which you were committed, and, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms, because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to lawlessness leading to more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness leading to sanctification.

When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. But what fruit were you getting at that time from the things of which you are now ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the fruit you get leads to sanctification and its end, eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## Holy Gospel

Matthew 10:5a, 21–33

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

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

These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, . . .

“Brother will deliver brother over to death, and the father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death, and you will be hated by all for My name’s sake. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next, for truly, I say to you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes.

“A disciple is not above his teacher, nor a servant above his master. It is enough for the disciple to be like his teacher, and the servant like his master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household.

“So have no fear of them, for nothing is covered that will not be revealed, or hidden that will not be known. What I tell you in the dark, say in the light, and what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather fear Him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? And not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. But even the hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear not, therefore; you are of more value than many sparrows. So everyone who acknowledges Me before men, I also will acknowledge before My Father who is in heaven, but whoever denies Me before men, I also will deny before My Father who is in heaven.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

## Responsive Psalm

Psalm 91:1-10

L He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.

C **I will say to the Lord, “My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.”**

L For He will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence.

C **He will cover you with His pinions, and under His wings you will find refuge.**

L His faithfulness is a shield and buckler; you will not fear the terror of the night,

C **Nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in darkness.**

L A thousand may fall at your side, ten thousand at your right hand, but it will not come near you.

C **You will only look with your eyes and see the recompense of the wicked.**

**All Because you have made the Lord your dwelling place—the Most High, who is my refuge— no evil shall be allowed to befall you.**

L In the shelter of the Most High, we do not have to fear—so even in the middle of the battle, we choose to praise.

## Song of the Day

“Raise A Hallelujah”

### Verse 1

I raise a hallelujah in the presence of my enemies.  
I raise a hallelujah louder than the unbelief.  
I raise a hallelujah; my weapon is a melody.  
I raise a hallelujah; Heaven comes to fight for me.

### Chorus

I’m gonna sing in the middle of the storm.  
Louder and louder,  
you’re gonna hear my praises roar.  
Up from the ashes hope will arise.  
Death is defeated; the King is alive.

### Verse 2

I raise a hallelujah with ev’rything inside of me.  
I raise a hallelujah; I will watch the darkness flee.  
I raise a hallelujah in the middle of the mystery.  
I raise a hallelujah; fear, you lost your hold on me.

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### Chorus

### Bridge

Sing a little louder. Sing a little louder.  
Sing a little louder. Sing a little louder.  
Sing a little louder, in the presence of my enemies.  
Sing a little louder, louder than the unbelief.  
Sing a little louder, my weapon is a melody.  
Sing a little louder, Heaven comes to fight for me.  
Sing a little louder!

### Chorus 2x

I raise a hallelujah! I raise a hallelujah!  
I raise a hallelujah! I raise a hallelujah!

## Sermon

“God as Your Dwelling Place” *Psalm 91*

## Song of Response

“The Lion And The Lamb”

1 He’s coming on the clouds,  
Kings and kingdoms will bow down.  
And ev’ry chain will break  
As broken hearts declare His praise.  
For who can stop the Lord Almighty?

### Chorus

Our God is the Lion, the Lion of Judah.  
He’s roaring with power, and fighting our battles.  
And ev’ry knee will bow before Him.  
Our God is the Lamb, the Lamb that was slain.  
For the sins of the world,  
His blood breaks the chains.  
And ev’ry knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb.  
Ev’ry knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb.

2 So open up the gates,  
Make way before the King of kings.  
The God who comes to save  
Is here to set the captives free.  
For who can stop the Lord Almighty?

### Chorus

### Bridge

Who can stop the Lord Almighty? (repeat 5x)  
Who can stop the Lord?

### Chorus

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## 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.**

## Children's Message

### Offering

*The offertory is an important time to reflect with thanksgiving on the many blessings God has given us.*

### Offertory

**“Evidence”**

Verse 1

All throughout my history,  
Your faithfulness has walked beside me.  
The winter storms made way for spring.  
In every season, from where I'm standing

Chorus

Bridge

See the cross, the empty grave;  
The evidence is endless.  
All my sin rolled away  
Because of You, oh Jesus. (Repeat)

Chorus 1

I see the evidence of Your goodness  
All over my life, All over my life.  
I see Your promises in fulfillment  
All over my life, All over my life.

Chorus

Ending

Why should I fear? The evidence is here.  
Why should I fear? Oh, The evidence is here.

Verse 2

Help me remember when I'm weak,  
Fear may come but fear will leave.  
You lead my heart to victory.  
You are my strength and You always will be.

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## Prayer of the Church

- ✠ Thanksgiving for the marriage of Katie Schowe and Quentin Williams.
- ✠ All who mourn the death of Roy Baum, father of Nancy Ohlemeyer.

## The Lord's Prayer

*Matthew 6:9–13*

- P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:
- 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.**

## 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 ✠ give you peace.
- C **Amen.**

*Numbers 6:24–26*

## Closing Song

“Yes I Will”

### Verse 1

**I count on one thing:  
The same God that never fails  
Will not fail me now. You won't fail me now.  
In the waiting,  
The same God who's never late  
Is working all things out.  
You're working all things out.**

### Chorus

**Yes, I will lift You high in the lowest valley.  
Yes, I will bless Your name.  
Yes, I will sing for joy  
When my heart is heavy  
All my days, yes, I will.**

### Repeat Verse 1

### Chorus

**For all my days, yes, I will.**

### Bridge

**I choose to praise, to glorify, glorify  
The name of all names  
That nothing can stand against. (Repeat 3x)**

### Chorus

**For all my days, yes, I will.  
For all my days, yes, I will.**

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