



God's People as a Light to the Nations

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The Lamb of God Slain for the World

"The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" - John 1:29

"... repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem." - Luke 24:47

"He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed. For you were straying like sheep, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls." - 1 Peter 2:24-25

order of worship

prelude

Leader: The Lord be with you  
People: **and also with you**

call to worship | Psalm 47:6-7

Leader: Sing praises to God, sing praises!  
Sing praises to our King, sing praises!  
For God is the King of all the earth;  
sing praises with a psalm!

songs of praise

**All Creatures of our God and King**

All creatures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us sing,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam!  
O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail in heav'n along,  
O praise Him! Alleluia!  
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice, Ye lights of evening, find a voice!  
O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

And all ye men of tender heart, Forgiving others, take your part,  
O sing ye! Alleluia!  
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, Praise God, and on Him cast your care,  
O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless, And worship Him in humbleness.  
O praise Him! Alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, And praise the Spirit, three in one,  
O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

welcome & update

prayer for the world, the church & the city

confession

Father, you tell us to be in the world, to love you and our neighbor, to pursue justice, to seek the welfare of our city and to be a light to the nations. Forgive us for the times we have despised the world, when we have looked down on others with contempt, when we have withdrawn from those around us,

when we have been silent when we should have spoken up, and also for when we have used words carelessly when we should have been silent before you. Forgive us for the times we have blended into the world, when we have not lived distinctly Christian lives. Thank you that Jesus was given as the Lamb of God slain from before the foundation of the world.

private confession

assurance of pardon: Psalm 9:9-10

The Lord is a stronghold for the oppressed,  
a stronghold in times of trouble.  
And those who know your name put their trust in you,  
for you, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you.

song of assurance

**Come Ye Sinners**

Come ye sinners poor and wretched  
Weak and wounded sick and sore  
Jesus ready stands to save you  
Full of pity joined with power  
He is able He is able  
He is willing doubt no more

Come ye needy come and welcome  
God's free bounty glorify  
True belief and true repentance  
Every grace that brings you nigh  
Without money without money  
Come to Jesus Christ and buy

Come ye weary heavy laden  
Bruised and broken by the fall  
If you tarry till you're better  
You will never come at all  
Not the righteous not the righteous  
Sinners Jesus came to call

tithes and offerings

doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

scripture reading : Isaiah 53:1-9

Reader: The Word of the Lord  
People: **Thanks be to God**

God's Word Today | Rolland Li

Sermon : The Lamb of God Slain for the World

## song of thanksgiving

### What a beautiful Name

You were the Word at the beginning  
One with God the Lord Most High  
Your hidden glory in creation  
Now revealed in You our Christ

What a beautiful Name it is  
What a beautiful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus Christ my King  
What a beautiful Name it is  
Nothing compares to this  
What a beautiful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus

You didn't want heaven without us  
So Jesus You brought heaven down  
My sin was great Your love was greater  
What could separate us now

What a wonderful Name it is  
What a wonderful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus Christ my King  
What a wonderful Name it is  
Nothing compares to this  
What a wonderful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus X 2

Death could not hold You  
The veil tore before You  
You silence the boast of sin and grave  
The heavens are roaring  
The praise of Your glory  
For You are raised to life again

You have no rival  
You have no equal  
Now and forever God You reign  
Yours is the kingdom  
Yours is the glory  
Yours is the Name above all names

What a powerful Name it is  
What a powerful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus Christ my King  
What a powerful Name it is  
Nothing can stand against  
What a powerful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus

Benediction : 1 Thess. 5:23-24

Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.

peace

Minister: The Peace of the Lord be with you all  
**People: And also with you**

Tithes up to May 31 2020  
Yearly Budget \$355,000  
Budget Year to Date \$147,916  
Actual Giving Year to Date \$113,735  
Actual Giving Last Week \$14,469

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## GRACE VANCOUVER CHURCH



Upward

'A worshipping people' - **Upward**

**Worship:** we come together corporately to exalt the Lord Jesus Christ

**The Word:** we submit ourselves to the Bible as our rule for faith and life

**Generosity:** having received from divine generosity, we overflow with generosity to the world



Inward

'transformed by the peace of God in Christ,' - **Inward**

**Sacramental Life:** our participation in the sacraments of bread and wine flow into our everyday lives

**The Holy Spirit:** living by the Spirit, we use His gifts to build the church and bless Vancouver

**Prayerful Presence:** we intercede for our homes, neighbourhoods and networks, for God to do His work



Outward

'seeking to be faithful stewards of the Kingdom.' - **Outward**

**Covenantal Commitments:** we covenant with one another to uphold, support and love one another.

**Priestly Work:** we see all of life as calling (as "vocation")

**Proclamation:** we proclaim the Cross of Christ as the accomplishment of God's Kingdom for the world