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Sunday, February 28, 2016

PRELUDE Make Me a Servant - Kelly Willard

THE GATHERING

Welcome/Announcements/Meet and Greet

Gathering Song He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

He's got the whole world in His hands He's got the whole world in His hands He's got the whole world in His hands He's got the whole world in His hands

He's got you and me, brother, in His hands He's got you and me, sister, in His hands He's got you and me, brother, in His hands He's got the whole world in His hands

He's got the little bitty baby in His hands He's got the little bitty baby in His hands He's got the little bitty baby in His hands He's got the whole world in His hands

Offering Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me. I once was lost, but now I'm found, was blind but now I see. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved. How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.

My chains are gone, I've been set free. My God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood His mercy reigns, unending love, amazing grace.

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

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The Power Tools of God

Prayer and Dismissal of Children You Are My All in All

You are my strength when I am weak; You are the treasure that I seek. You are my all in all. Seeking You as a precious jewel; Lord, to give up, I'd be a fool. You are my all in all.

Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name. Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name.

Taking my sin, my cross, my shame; Rising again, I bless Your name. You are my all in all. When I fall down You pick me up; When I am dry you fill my cup. You are my all in all.

Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name. Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is Your name.

Song of Thanksgiving Lamb of God

Your only Son No sin to hide But You have sent Him, From Your side To walk upon this guilty sod And to become the Lamb of God

Your gift of Love They crucified They laughed and scorned him as he died The humble King They named a fraud And sacrificed the Lamb of God

Oh Lamb of God, Sweet Lamb of God I love the Holy Lamb of God Oh wash me in His precious Blood My Jesus Christ the Lamb of God

I was so lost I should have died But You have brought me to Your side To be led by Your staff and rod And to be called the Lamb of God

Oh Lamb of God, Sweet Lamb of God I love the Holy Lamb of God Oh wash me in His precious Blood My Jesus Christ the Lamb of God

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Prayer of the Day

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

L: Let us pray. . . .

C: Amen.

Response Thy Word

Refrain:

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

GOSPEL: Luke 13:1-9

L: The holy gospel according to Saint Luke, chapter 13.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹At that very time there were some present who told him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ²[Jesus] asked them, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? ³No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. ⁴Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them—do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? ⁵No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did."

⁶Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. ⁷So he said to the gardener, 'See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?' ⁸He replied, 'Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. ⁹If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down.'"

L: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Today's readings: Isaiah 55:1-9, Psalm 63:1-8, I Corinthians 10:1-13, Luke 13:1-9)

Message

OUR RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Special Music As for Me and My House – Morris Chapman

Intercessory Prayers

L: Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

PEACE

L: The Peace of the Lord be with you,

C: and also with you.

PREFACE

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

THANKSGIVING

In the night in which he was betrayed,

our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;

broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,

and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood,

shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Communion Blessing, Honor and Glory

Blessing, honor, glory to the Lamb. Holy, righteous, worthy is the Lamb. Death could not hold him down, for he is risen! Seated upon the throne, he is the Lamb of God!

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BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.
In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,

C: Amen.

Closing Song Here I Am to Worship

Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness, Opened my eyes, let me see Beauty that made this heart adore You, Hope of a life spent with You.

Here I am to worship; here I am to bow down; Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, Altogether wonderful to me,

King of all days, O so highly exalted, Glorious in heaven above, Humbly You came to the earth You created, All for love's sake became poor.

Here I am to worship; here I am to bow down; Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, Altogether wonderful to me,

Here I am to worship

Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude Lamb of God - Twila Paris arr. Mark Hayes

PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK: Joshua 5:9-12, Psalm 63:1-8, I Corinthians 10:1-13, Luke 13:1-9

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