



*Grace Church Stamford welcomes you
to our Sunday live-streamed Service
where our aim is to meet Jesus Christ
through his Word and Spirit*

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Call To Worship

Let us worship God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ. **We are new creations; the old has gone, the new has come!** Let us worship God as Christ's ambassadors. **Through us and through our worship may we announce the good news to all.** Let us worship God in spirit and truth. **Praise God! We are reconciled, redeemed, renewed!**

Singing Together Promises

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God of Abraham
You're the God of covenant
Of faithful promises
Time and time again You have proven
You do just what You say

Though the storms may come
And the winds may blow
I'll remain steadfast
And let my heart learn when You speak a word
It will come to pass

*Chorus Great is Your faithfulness to me
Great is Your faithfulness to me
From the rising sun to the setting same
I will praise Your name
Great is Your faithfulness to me*

God from age to age
Though the earth may pass away
Your word remains the same yeah
Your history can prove
There's nothing You can't do
You're faithful and true

Though the storms may come
And the winds may blow
I'll remain steadfast
And let my heart learn when You speak a word
It will come to pass (Chorus)

*Bridge I put my faith in Jesus
My anchor to the ground
My hope and firm foundation
He'll never let me down (3x)*

Hearing God's Word

Jonah 2:1-10

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Confessing Together

Holy and merciful God, we confess to you and to one another, and to the whole communion of saints in heaven and on earth, that we have sinned. We have not loved you with all our heart, mind, strength and soul. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not forgiven others as we have been forgiven. We have not listened to your call to serve as Christ served us. We confess our past unfaithfulness, the pride, hypocrisy, and impatience in our lives, our self-indulgent appetites and ways, our anger at our own frustration and our envy of those more fortunate than ourselves, and our intemperate love of worldly goods and comforts. In your mercy accept our repentance, for the wrongs we have done, for our indifference to injustice, for our false judgments, uncharitable thoughts towards our neighbors, and our prejudice and contempt toward those different from us. Restore us O God, favorably hear us O God, for your mercy is great and your love is deep. Through Jesus our Great High Priest, we pray. Amen.

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy. **Thanks be to God.**

Singing Together *My Redeemers Love*

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My Redeemer's love is deeper
Than the depths of sin and hell
He who was enthroned in glory
Came to bring us to Himself
My Redeemer's love is wider
Than the breach my sins had made
He reached down into my darkness
He alone has pow'r to save

*Chorus 1 Deeper than the rolling seas
Higher than the mountain peaks
Your love is all I need*

My Redeemer's love is stronger
Than my fiercest enemies
He will hold me in the tempest
Through the flood He carries me
My Redeemer's love will lead me
Through the deepest valley here
He will shepherd me and guide me
He will ever keep me near

*Chorus 2 Deeper than the rolling seas
Higher than the mountain peaks
Your love is all I need
Stronger than the rushing wind
Shattering the power of sin
Your love is all I need*

My Redeemer's love grows sweeter
As eternity draws near
I'll enjoy His love forever
At His throne for endless years
My Redeemer's love will fill me
On the day I see His face
I will love Him back forever
And forever sing His praise (Chorus 2 2x)

Praying Together

Hearing God's Word Proclaimed

2 Corinthians 10:1-18

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Communing Together

LAMENT (Psalm 46:1-3)

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.

PRAISE (Psalm 46:10-11)

Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations. I will be exalted in the earth. **The LORD of Hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.**

Joining with the saints throughout the ages, on heaven and earth, we profess our faith: **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. On the third day he rose again from the dead, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right for us to give thanks and praise.** Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed. **Therefore, let us remember the feast.**

Singing Together

My Worth Is Not In What I Own

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My worth is not in what I own
Not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love at the cross

My worth is not in skill or name
In win or lose in pride or shame
But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the cross

*Chorus I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest treasure
Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him no other
My soul is satisfied in Him alone*

As summer flowers we fade and die
Fame youth and beauty hurry by
But life eternal calls to us at the cross

I will not boast in wealth or might
Or human wisdom's fleeting light
But I will boast in knowing Christ
At the cross (Chorus)

Two wonders here that I confess
My worth and my unworthiness
My value fixed my ransom paid at the cross
(Chorus 2x)

Behold Our God

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Who has held the oceans in His hands
Who has numbered every grain of sand
Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

Who has given counsel to the Lord
Who can question any of His words
Who can teach the One who knows all things
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds

*Chorus Behold our God seated on His throne
Come let us adore Him
Behold our King nothing can compare
Come let us adore Him*

Who has felt the nails upon His hand
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign (Chorus)

*Bridge You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
(Chorus 2x)*

Benediction for Mission

**Youth Group is ON
tonight
Movie Night!
6:00 – 8:00pm**

**Voice of the
Martyrs
Imprisoned for
Christ
Virtual Event
Friday, Mar 5,
7:30pm**

**Wednesday
Life Group
meeting in-person
next Sunday**

Weak Made Strong: Sermons in 2 Corinthians

Gospel Visioneering
2 Corinthians 10:1-18

Introduction – The unseen reality

1. The Clash of Cultures

2. The Living Word

Application – Casting down imaginations

*** Prayer for those searching for truth** Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. While I find that hard to believe, help me to believe your claims. Guide me, teach me, open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

*** Prayer of belief** Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn away from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.