



WE EXIST TO... GROW IN
CHRIST, LOVE LIKE CHRIST,
LIVE FOR CHRIST

SUNDAY, MARCH 5, 2023

WELCOME / PRAYER OF INVOCATION

AS IT IS IN HEAVEN

Verse 1

Our Father, Who art in Heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Come and let Your glory come,
And let Your glory fall.
Our Father, Who art in Heaven;
The rocks cry out Your fame.
Come and let Your glory come,
And let Your glory fall.

Pre-Chorus

I will sing, sing a new song,
I will sing, sing a new song;
I will sing, sing a new song
To the Lord.

Chorus

Let Your Kingdom come,
Let Your will be done
On earth as it is in Heaven.
Ev'ry heart proclaim
The mercy of Your name,
On earth as it is in Heaven.

Verse 2

God give us, new ev'ry morning,
Mercy as daily bread
In the name of Jesus,
In the name of Jesus we pray.
And lead us not to temptation,

But deliver us with Your hand
In the name of Jesus,
In the name of Jesus we pray.
Father, we pray!

Bridge

For the Kingdom is Yours,
And the power is Yours
And the glory forever, amen.
And the Kingdom is Yours,
And the power is Yours
And the glory forever, amen.

Ending

As it is in Heaven.

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CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SERMON: "MARY & ELIZABETH"
LUKE 1:39-45

COMMUNION

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;
Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day He arose again.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty,
and He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy and universal Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.

Amen.

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FOREVER

Verse 1

Give thanks to the Lord,
Our God and King,
His love endures forever.
For He is good, He is above all things,
His love endures forever.
Sing praise, sing praise.

Verse 2

With a mighty hand
And outstretched arm,
His love endures forever.
For the life that's been reborn,
His love endures forever.
Sing praise, sing praise.
Sing praise, sing praise.

Chorus

Forever God is faithful,
Forever God is strong,
Forever God is with us,
Forever, forever.

Verse 3
 From the rising to the setting sun,
 His love endures forever.
 And by the grace of God
 We will carry on,
 His love endures forever.
 Sing praise, sing praise.
 Sing praise, sing praise.

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BENEDICTION

- Giving:** If you feel led to give to the ministry of TVC, there is an offering box in the back of the sanctuary or online giving is available
- TODAY:** Members' Meeting following the morning worship service
- Mar 7:** Sermon Application Team meets from 630– 8 PM
- Mar 8:** Foundations class: we would love to have you join us for a 7-week study of the Sermon on the Mount – morning class from 930–11 AM & evening class from 6–730 PM
- Mar 12:** Fellowship breakfast from 9–945 AM - please bring a dish to share
- Rooted for children ages 4 years old – 4th grade from 9–930 AM in the Northeast Nook
- Thrive for children in 5th grade & up from 9–930 AM in East Hall

Apr 1: “Drawing Near to God & One Another Through Psalms”
 Women’s Fellowship from 8 AM–2 PM, please sign up by 3/26

Read Ahead: Luke 1:46–56

General Info:

TVC Kids: Backpacks filled with a note sheet, a coloring page, and snacks are available for children Pre-K – 5th grade. Note sheets are available for children in 5th – 8th grade.

We strive for family integrated worship & want to encourage parents to keep their children in the sanctuary or East Hall for worship. However, we understand that children can get restless & squirmy, so if you have to leave the service with your child, please feel free to do so. There is a kid friendly area in the downstairs Fellowship Hall, geared for children ages 0–4 years old, that can be used by families who have children that may need to get some wiggles out. Please know that you are welcome to rejoin the service at any time.

We also offer a volunteer staffed Nursery during the sermon. We are thankful & appreciate the opportunity to serve you & your children.

Gospel Growth Communities (GGCs): GGCs are just one way you can purposefully and intentionally invest in your church family as we seek to grow in Christ, love like Christ & live for Christ. If you are interested in joining a GGC, please contact one of your elders. The Reed GGC meets Sunday evenings in Nobleboro. Sorterup GGC meets Wednesday evenings in Damariscotta. The Holladay GGC meets Thursday evenings in Bristol. The Norton GGC meets Thursday evenings in Bremen.

Discussion Questions:

1. Who is God (what does this passage tell me about God’s character)?
2. What has God done (how do I see God’s character in action)?
3. Who am I (how does God’s character and action shape how I see myself)?
4. What do I do (if I believe 1–3 how would I respond and relate to others)?

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