

\* **Call to Worship:** *Psalm 66:1-2, 4*  
Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;  
sing the glory of his name;  
give to him glorious praise.  
**All the earth worships you;**  
**they sing praises to you,**  
**sing praises to your name.**

\* **God's Greeting**

\* **How Great Thou Art** #483:1,4 (PH)

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the works Thy hand hath made,  
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

*Refrain:* Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,  
And claim his own, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration  
And there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!" *Refrain*

\* **Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim** #181:1,2,3 (PH)

Exalt the Lord, his praise proclaim;  
All you his servants, praise his name,  
Who in the Lord's house ever stand  
And humbly serve at his command.  
The Lord is good, his praise proclaim;  
Since it is pleasant, praise his name.  
His people for his own he takes  
And his own special treasure makes.

I know the Lord is high in state;  
Above all gods our Lord is great.  
The Lord performs what he decrees,  
In heaven and earth, in depths and seas.  
He makes the vapors to ascend  
In clouds from earth's remotest end;  
The lightnings flash at his command;  
He holds the tempest in his hand.

Exalt the Lord, his praise proclaim;  
all you his servants, praise his name,  
who in the Lord's house ever stand  
and humbly serve at his command.  
Forever praise and bless his name,  
and in the church his praise proclaim.  
In Zion is his dwelling place;  
O praise the Lord, show forth his grace.

**Call to Confession:** *based on Psalm 66:16, 18-22*

**Come and hear, all you who fear God,**  
**and I will tell what he has done for me.**  
**If I had cherished iniquity in my heart,**  
**the Lord would not have listened.**  
**But truly God has listened;**  
**he has given heed to the words of my prayer.**  
**Blessed be God, because he has not rejected my prayer**  
**or removed his steadfast love from me.**  
In the strength of this assurance,  
let us confess our sins to God.

**Prayer of Confession**

**Assurance: When Peace Like a River** #489:1,3 (PH)

When peace like a river attendeth my way,  
When sorrows like sea billows roll,  
Whatever my lot, Thou has taught me to say,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

*Refrain:* It is well, with my soul,  
It is well, it is well, with my soul.

My sin, O the joy of this glorious thought,  
My sin, not in part, but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more:  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! *Refrain*  
(Children 3 years old – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade are invited to  
Children's Church in the Ed. Building during this song.)

**Offertory Prayer**

**Offering:** Christian School Tuition Assistance

**Morning Prayer**

\* **Scripture:** *Mark 10:41-45 (ESV)* pg. 1059  
<sup>41</sup> And when the ten heard it, they began to be indignant at James and John. <sup>42</sup> And Jesus called them to him and said to them, "You know that those who are considered rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. <sup>43</sup> But it shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, <sup>44</sup> and whoever would be first among you must be slave of all. <sup>45</sup> For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

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

**Message:** *Loving God, Loving the World (II)*

\* **Grace Alone**

Every promise we can make, every prayer and step of faith;  
Every difference we will make is only by His grace.  
Every mountain we will climb, every ray of hope we shine;  
Every blessing left behind is only by His grace.

*Refrain:* Grace alone which God supplies;  
Strength unknown He will provide.  
Christ in us, our cornerstone,  
We will go forth in grace alone.

Every soul we long to reach, every heart we hope to teach;  
Everywhere we share His peace is only by His grace.  
Every loving word we say, every tear we wipe away;  
Every sorrow turned to praise is only by His grace. *Refrain*

**Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

**Behold the Lamb**

A Love Offering for Youth Unlimited  
will be received during this song.

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,  
Slain for us - and we remember  
The promise made that all who come in faith  
Find forgiveness at the cross.  
So we share in this bread of life,  
And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of peace  
Around the table of the King.

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ,  
Torn for you - eat and remember  
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life  
Paid the price to make us one.  
So we share in this bread of life,  
And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of love  
Around the table of the King.

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise  
To respond, and to remember  
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ  
As His body here on earth.  
As we share in His suffering  
We proclaim Christ will come again!  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven  
Around the table of the King

**\* God's Blessing**

**\* All Hail, King Jesus**

All hail, King Jesus! All hail, Emmanuel!  
King of kings, Lord of lords, Bright Morning Star.  
And throughout eternity I'll sing His praises,  
And I'll reign with Him through out eternity. *Repeat All*

Worship services are broadcast live in the church basement  
for anyone who is unable to worship in the sanctuary.  
The sanctuary is equipped with an assistive listening system.  
Please switch hearing aids to "T" to use this system.

Pastor: Robert W

Prayer: Ian H, Patrick J

Music: Cheryl K, Nancy Z

Offering: Christian School Tuition Assistance is used to cover  
tuition cost of First church families who send their children  
to Christian schools.

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**Loving God, Loving the World:  
Two Sides to the Same Coin (II)**

*Mark 10:41-45*



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