



NORTH SHORE *Fellowship*

July 12, 2020
8:15, 9:15, and 10:30 a.m.

PASTORAL WELCOME

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise him all creatures here below!
Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts!
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE

Rejoice in All Your Works

Every mouth that cries for food, every lung that yearns for breath,
every eye that searches through the dark for light -
all creation looks to you for its breath and for its food.
From the goodness of your hand we're satisfied.

Oh, rejoice in all your works, King of Heaven, King of Earth!
Every creature you have made declares your praise.
We rejoice in all you've made, God of all-sustaining grace!
With the mountain, sky, and sea, we sing your praise!

Every tree that thirsts for rain, every bird that seeks its nest,
every heart that waits in hope to be made glad -
all creation looks to you for its breath and for its food.
From the goodness of your hand we're satisfied.

May the pond'rings of my heart, and the song upon my lips,
with the chorus of creation join in praise:
to the God who made all things, to the Spirit who sustains,
to the Son who over all creation reigns!

Leader: What do you believe when you say:
I believe in God the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth?

All: **That the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who out of nothing created heaven and earth
and all that is in them,
and who still upholds and governs them
by his eternal counsel and providence,
is, for the sake of Christ his Son,
my God and my Father.
In him I trust so completely
as to have no doubt that he will provide me
with all things necessary for body and soul,
and will also turn to my good
whatever adversity he sends me in this life of sorrow.
He is able to do so as almighty God,
and willing also as a faithful Father.**

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

PRAYER

SONG OF PRAISE

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come, thou fount of ev'ry blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;
praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it, mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer, hither by thy help I'm come;
and I hope by thy good pleasure safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wand'ring from the fold of God;
he to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor, daily I'm constrained to be;
let that grace now, like a fetter, bind my wand'ring heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.

- ¹ The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.
- ² Day to day pours out speech,
and night to night reveals knowledge.
- ³ There is no speech, nor are there words,
whose voice is not heard.
- ⁴ Their voice goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.
In them he has set a tent for the sun,
- ⁵ which comes out like a bridegroom leaving his chamber,
and, like a strong man, runs its course with joy.
- ⁶ Its rising is from the end of the heavens,
and its circuit to the end of them,
and there is nothing hidden from its heat.
- ¹⁴ Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable in your sight,
O Yahweh, my rock and my redeemer.

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
as it was in the beginning, so it is now, and evermore shall be,
world without end. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Hebrews 11:1-7

- ¹ Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.
- ² For by it the people of old received their commendation. ³ By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.
- ⁴ By faith Abel offered to God a more acceptable sacrifice than Cain, through which he was commended as righteous, God commending him by accepting his gifts. And through his faith, though he died, he still speaks. ⁵ By faith Enoch was taken up so that he should not see death, and he was not found, because God had taken him. Now before he was taken he was commended as having pleased God.

⁶ And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him. ⁷ By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

HOMILY

Chris Powell

SONG OF RESPONSE

'Tis So Sweet To Trust in Jesus

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, just to take him at his word;
just to rest upon his promise, just to know, "Thus saith the Lord!"

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust him! How I've proved him o'er and o'er!
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! O for grace to trust him more!

O how sweet to trust in Jesus, just to trust his cleansing blood;
just in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood!

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus, just from sin and self to cease;
just from Jesus simply taking life, and rest, and joy, and peace.

I'm so glad I learned to trust thee, precious Jesus, Savior, Friend;
and I know that thou art with me, wilt be with me to the end.

BENEDICTION

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