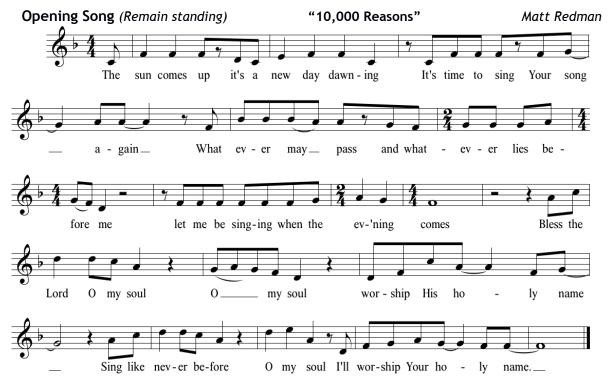
Calvary's Outdoor Worship Service

Sunday, September 16, 2018 - 11:00 a.m.

Welcome & Community Greeting



You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

Bless the Lord oh my soul Oh my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before Oh my soul I'll worship Your holy name

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come Still my soul will sing Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore *Chorus*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below Praise Him above ye heavn'ly host Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost *Repeat Doxology*

Invocation

- L: We come together in the name of the Triune God,
- C: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- L: We come to worship the Father,
- C: who created the beauty of the heavens and earth.
- L: We come to worship the Son,
- C: who died on the cross to restore God's once perfect creation.
- L: We come to worship the Spirit,
- C: who makes us brothers and sisters in the faith. Amen.

Gathering Prayer

Gathering of Offerings (Please be seated)

As an act of worship and thanksgiving, we offer to God what He has first given to us. If you would like to contribute electronically, either onetime or ongoing gifts, please use www.clcs.org/donate.



after verse 2 and chorus:

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! How great Thou art! How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

P God's Word for Us ₽

Epistle "The Tongue - A Blessings or a Cursing?" James 3:2-10

²For we all stumble in many ways, and if anyone does not stumble in what he says, he is a perfect man, able also to bridle his whole body. ³If we put bits into the mouths of horses so that they obey us, we guide their whole bodies as well. ⁴Look at the ships also: though they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs. ⁵So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great things. How great a forest is set ablaze by such a small fire! ⁶And the tongue is a fire, a world of unrighteousness. The tongue is set among our members, staining the whole body, setting on fire the entire course of life, and set on fire by hell. ⁷For every kind of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by mankind, ⁸but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison. ⁹With it we bless our Lord and Father, and with it we curse people who are made in the likeness of God. ¹⁰From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers, these things ought not to be so.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel

"The Harvest is Plentiful"

Luke 10:1-11

¹After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go. ²And he said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. ³Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves. ⁴Carry no moneybag, no knapsack, no sandals, and greet no one on the road. ⁵Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace be to this house!' ⁶And if a son of peace is there, your peace will rest upon him. But if not, it will return to you. ¬And remain in the same house, eating and drinking what they provide, for the laborer deserves his wages. Do not go from house to house. ³Whenever you enter a town and they receive you, eat what is set before you. ¬Heal the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' ¹OBut whenever you enter a town and they do not receive you, go into its streets and say, ¹¹¹ 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet we wipe off against you. Nevertheless know this, that the kingdom of God has come near.'

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Children's Message (Please be seated)

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."

-- Matthew 19:14



3. The Lord has promised good to me; His word my hope secures.

He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures.

(Chorus)

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.

(Repeat Chorus)

4. The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, The sun forbear to shine.

But God who called me here below will be forever mine.

Will be forever mine, You are forever mine.

Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

-- Psalm 96:1-3

2018-19 Ministry Theme: Growing Leaders for the Mission of God

- 1. Inviting and Equipping Others to Serve
- 2. Raising up Youth & Young Adults to be the church now
- 3. Investing in the Growth of Myself and Others (Vocation)

|saiah 6:8 And | heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall | send, and who will go for us?" | said, "Here | am! Send me." (Willing Volunteers - Provide an Opportunity)

Acts 11:25-26b - So Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. For a whole year they met with the church and taught a great (Reluctant Recruits - Intentionally Seek Them Out) many people.

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Apostles' Creed (Please stand)

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. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life 4 everlasting. Amen.

Pastoral Greeting & Rite of Fellowship (Please be seated)

(Welcome! Please add your name to the fellowship pad.)



Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Forgiveness (Please stand)

- L: Let us humble ourselves before God, confessing our sins to Him and asking His gracious forgiveness.
- C: We now confess to You, O God Almighty, that we are sinful by nature and by deed. We have not always put You first in our lives. We have used Your name in ways that did not honor You. We have been careless in our devotion and have not always honored those in authority over us. We have done violence to others in word and deed and have not always kept our thoughts, words, and deeds pure and honorable. We have taken what is not ours and have spoken that which is not helpful or true. Have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins, and bring us to life everlasting. Amen.
- L: The almighty and merciful Lord grants pardon and peace to all who humbly confess their sin. Therefore, as a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen! Thanks be to God.

Prayer of the Church & Lord's Prayer

- L: Lord remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:
- C: 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.

Benediction

- L: May the God of creation preserve and keep you, may His Son fill you with His grace, and may the Holy Spirit → guide and direct you in this world until life eternal.
- C: Amen.
- L: Go in peace and serve the Lord!
- C: Thanks be to God!



And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. — Colossians 3:17



Chorus:

Shout to the north and the south Sing to the east and the west Jesus is Saviour to all, Lord of Heaven and Earth.

Rise up church with broken wings Fill this place with songs again Of our God who reigns on high By His grace again we'll fly--

Chorus (2 times)

Yes He's Lord of Heaven and Earth (*Slowing*)He is Lord of Heaven and Earth.

Next week we will have a special guest sharing a Ministry Moment about Athletes in Action. A special door offering will also be gathered. Thank you for your generous support of this mission opportunity.