



CROSSGATE CHURCH

Growing True Disciples

ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 13, 2024

WELCOME—ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP *Isaiah 60:1-3*

Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. For behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and His glory will be seen upon you. And nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising.

WORSHIP IN SONG *Here I Am To Worship*

CONFESSION OF SIN

O my Savior, help me. I am slow to learn, prone to forget, and weak to climb; I am in the foothills when I should be on the heights; I am pained by graceless heart, my prayerless days, my poverty of love, my sloth in the heavenly race, my stained conscience, my wasted hours, my unspent opportunities. I am blind while the light shines around me. Take the scales from my eyes, and grind to dust my heart of unbelief. Make it my highest joy to know You, meditate on You, gaze on You, sit like Mary at Your feet, lean like John on Your breast, appeal like Peter to Your love, count like Paul all things but dung. I believe, help my unbelief. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON *1 John 1:5-7*

This is the message we have heard from Him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in Him is no darkness at all. If we say we have fellowship with Him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.

WORSHIP IN SONG *Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery*

WORSHIP IN SONG *How Sweet The Name Of Jesus Sounds*

MISSION SPOTLIGHT—PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

WORSHIP IN SONG *The Light Of The World Is Jesus!*

[Kids from Preschool to Kindergarten (ages 3-6) may be dismissed to Kids' Worship. Teachers are waiting to lead them out of the sanctuary.]

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Scripture: *John 8:12-30*

Sermon: *"The Unimpeachable Messiah" - Jay Brown*

WORSHIP IN SONG *To God Be The Glory*

BENEDICTION

Here I Am To Worship

Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness;
opened my eyes, let me see;
Beauty that made this heart adore You, hope of a life spent with You!

*So, here I am to worship, here I am to bow down, here I am to say that "You're my God!"
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, altogether wonderful to me!*

King of all days, oh so highly exalted; glorious in heaven above;
humbly, You came to the earth You created, all for love's sake became poor!

And I'll never know how much it cost to see my sin upon that cross.
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Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery

Come behold the wondrous mystery, in the dawning of the King,
He the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humanity.
In our longing, in our darkness, now the light of life has come.
Look to Christ, who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, He the perfect Son of Man.
In His living, in His suffering, never trace, nor stain of sin.
See the true and better Adam, come to save the hell-bound man.
Christ, the great and sure fulfillment of the law, in Him we stand.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, Christ the Lord upon the tree.
In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory.
See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold.
Bringing many sons to glory; grace unmeasured, love untold.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, slain by death, the God of life.
But no grave could e'er restrain Him. Praise the Lord, He is alive!
What a foretaste of deliverance, how unwavering our hope.
Christ in power resurrected, as we will be when He comes.

How Sweet The Name Of Jesus Sounds

How sweet the name of Jesus sounds in a believer's ear!
It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds, and drives away his fear.

It makes the wounded spirit whole, and calms the troubled breast;
'tis manna to the hungry soul, and to the weary rest.

Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend, my Prophet, Priest, and King,
my Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, accept the praise I bring.

Till then I would Thy love proclaim with every fleeting breath;
and may the music of Thy name refresh my soul in death.

The Light Of The World Is Jesus!

The whole world was lost in the darkness of sin,
the Light of the world is Jesus!
Like sunshine at noonday, His glory shone in;
the Light of the world is Jesus!

*Come to the light, 'tis shining for thee; sweetly the light has dawned upon me;
once I was blind, but now I can see: the Light of the world is Jesus!*

No darkness have we who in Jesus abide;
the Light of the world is Jesus!
We walk in the light when we follow our Guide!
the Light of the world is Jesus!

Ye dwellers in darkness with sin-blinded eyes,
the Light of the world is Jesus!
Go, wash at His bidding, and light will arise;
the Light of the world is Jesus!

No need of the sunlight in Heaven we're told;
the Light of the world is Jesus!
The Lamb is the Light in the city of gold,
the Light of the world is Jesus!

To God Be The Glory

To God be the glory- great things He has done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin
and opened the lifegate that all may go in.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father through Jesus, the Son,
and give Him the glory- great things He has done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood-
to every believer, the promise of God.
The vilest offender who truly believes,
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He has taught us; great things He has done,
and great our rejoicing through Jesus, the Son.
But purer and higher and greater will be
our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.