



# WORSHIP AT HOME

SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2020  
Traditional Service Order

Our worship leaders recorded songs to help lead you this weekend. Click for a [YouTube Playlist](#) of the traditional songs and videos included in this Worship Order.

## **Call to Worship**

Read Psalm 5:11-12 and let it invite you into a time of worship.

## **Sing Together**

Sing (or listen to a recording of) the following song:

“Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee” (or “Come Bless the Lord” for kids)

## **Hear the Good News!**

The Apostle Peter shares the Good News with us. Read 1 Peter 1:18-21.

## **Sing Together**

Sing (or listen to a recording of) the following song:

“Rejoice, the Lord is King” (or “Jesus Paid It All” for kids)

## **A Prayer Before You Begin to Worship**

Lord, make me an instrument  
of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
where there is injury, pardon;  
where there is doubt, faith;  
where there is despair, hope;  
where there is darkness, light;  
where there is sadness, joy.  
Amen.

## Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee

Joyful, joyful, we adore You,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before You,  
Op'ning to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;  
Drive the dark of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness,  
Fill us with the light of day!

All Your works with joy surround You,  
Earth and heav'n reflect Your rays,  
Stars and angels sing around You,  
Center of unbroken praise;  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,  
Chanting bird and flowing fountain  
Praising You eternally!

Always giving and forgiving,  
Ever blessing, ever blest,  
Well-spring of the joy of living,  
Ocean-depth of happy rest!  
Loving Father, Christ our Brother,  
Let Your light upon us shine;  
Teach us how to love each other,  
Lift us to the joy divine.

Mortals, join the mighty chorus,  
Which the morning stars began;  
God's own love is reigning o'er us,  
Joining people hand in hand.  
Ever singing, march we onward,  
Victors in the midst of strife;  
Joyful music leads us sunward  
In the triumph song of life.

## Come Bless the Lord

Come! Come! Bless the Lord!  
All you servants of the Lord.  
Come, come! Bless the Lord!  
All you servants of the Lord.

Who stand by night in the house of the Lord,  
Who stand by night in the house of the Lord,  
Who stand by night in the house of the Lord,  
Come! Bless the Lord!  
Come! Come! Bless the Lord!  
All you servants of the Lord.  
Come, come! Bless the Lord!  
All you servants of the Lord.

Lift up your hands to the holy place,  
Lift up your hands to the holy place,  
Lift up your hands to the holy place,  
Come! Bless the Lord!

May the Lord bless you from Zion,  
The Maker of heaven and earth.  
May the Lord bless you from Zion,  
The Maker of heaven and earth.

(Repeat!)  
Come! Come! Bless the Lord!  
All you servants of the Lord.  
Come, come! Bless the Lord!  
All you servants of the-  
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All you servants of the Lord!

## Rejoice, the Lord is King - 262

Rejoice, the Lord is King:  
Your Lord and King adore!  
Rejoice, give thanks and sing,  
And triumph evermore.  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus, the Savior, reigns,  
The God of truth and love;  
When He has purged our stains,  
He took his seat above;  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail,  
He rules o'er earth and heav'n;  
The keys of death and hell  
Are to our Jesus giv'n:  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope!  
Our Lord and judge shall come  
And take His servants up  
To their eternal home:  
Lift up your heart,  
Lift up your voice!  
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

## Jesus Paid It All

I hear the savior say  
Thy strength indeed is small  
Child of weakness, watch and pray  
Find in me thine all in all

Jesus paid it all  
All to Him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow

Lord, now indeed I find,  
Thy power and thine alone  
Can change the leper's spots  
And melt the heart of stone

Jesus paid it all  
All to Him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow

For nothing good have I  
Whereby they grace to claim  
I'll wash my garments white  
In the blood of Calvary's Lamb

Jesus paid it all  
All to Him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow

And when before the throne  
I stand in Him complete  
Jesus died my soul to save  
My lips shall still repeat

Jesus paid it all  
All to Him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow

## Confession of Sin

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name.

*Pause for silent confession.*

Almighty God, you freely pardon all who repent and turn to you, now fulfill in every contrite heart the promise of redeeming grace; forgiving all our sins and cleansing us from an evil conscience; through the perfect sacrifice of Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

## Words of Pardon

The Apostle Paul reminds us of our salvation:

But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he himself is our peace.

Know that because of your faith in Jesus Christ, you are forgiven, and be at peace.

## Sing Together

Sing (or listen to a recording of) the following song:

“Blessed Assurance” (or “The Solid Rock” for kids)

## Blessed Assurance - 514

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine;  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,  
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;  
Angels descending, bring from above  
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, all is at rest,  
I in my Savior am happy and blest;  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

## Pray Together

Spend some time in prayer, praying specifically for the needs within our Faith Church family.

Use the [video](#) of Pastor Joey praying to prompt your own prayer.

- Thank God for the life, hope, and confidence we have in the risen Jesus.
- Thank God for the promised gift of the Holy Spirit who lives in all of Jesus' followers to empower us, guide us, and grow us in Christ. Pray for our growth in reflecting the character of Jesus.
- Thank God for his sustaining grace and faithfulness, especially in this season.
- Pray for the medical professionals and first responders who are caring for us during this pandemic. Pray for the researchers who are seeking vaccines and cures.
- Thank the Lord for the health and provisions you have. Pray for those who are struggling financially, the unemployed, and those who have to work in essential businesses.
- Pray for those who are especially affected by this situation – the elderly, the ill, the lonely and shut-ins.
- Pray for Faith Church, the churches of Indianapolis, and congregations around the world. Pray for effectiveness in their efforts to care for one another and love and serve their communities. Pray for the impact of our love and care for one another and our neighbors. Pray for our witness in word and deed to the love of Christ.
- Pray for our government and its leaders, and the leaders of the world, that they would make wise decisions and lead the nations well.
- Pray for the work of the Holy Spirit to soften hearts and point people to Christ in uncertain and anxious times. Pray for God's peace to calm anxieties.

## The Solid Rock

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly lean on Jesus' Name

On Christ the solid Rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand

When darkness seems to hide His face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
In every high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil

On Christ the solid Rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand

When He shall come with trumpet sound  
O may I then in Him be found  
Dressed in His righteousness alone  
Faultless to stand before the throne

On Christ the solid Rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand

## Hear the Word

Before watching this week's sermon video, prepare your hearts with the following prayer:

Gracious God, as we turn to your Word for us, may the Spirit of God rest upon us. Help us to be steadfast in our hearing, in our speaking, in our believing, and in our living. Amen.

Play the [sermon video](#), also available on our website and through your email.

## Reflect

Reflect back to God what you have learned through prayer.

## Sing Together

Sing (or listen to a recording of) the following song:

“Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee” (or “Doxology” for kids)

## Benediction

*Remind each other that COVID-19 does not change our mission:*

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

## Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee

Jesus, the very thought of Thee  
With sweetness fills my breast;  
But sweeter far Thy face to see,  
And in Thy presence rest.

Nor voice can sing, nor heart can frame,  
Nor can the memory find  
A sweeter sound than Thy blest Name,  
O Savior of mankind!

O Hope of every contrite heart,  
O Joy of all the meek,  
To those who fall, how kind Thou art!  
How good to those who seek!

But what to those who find? Ah, this  
Nor tongue nor pen can show;  
The love of Jesus, what it is  
None but His loved ones know.

O Jesus! light of all below!  
Thou fount of life and fire!  
Surpassing all the joys we know,  
And all we can desire.

No other source have we but Thee,  
Soul-thirst to satisfy.  
Exhaustless spring! the waters free!  
All other streams are dry.

Jesus, our only Joy be Thou,  
As Thou our Prize wilt be;  
Jesus, be Thou our Glory now,  
And through eternity.

## **Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him, all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Love God, from whom all blessings flow.  
Love Him, all creatures here below.  
Love Him above, ye heavenly host.  
Love Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Serve God, from whom all blessings flow.  
Serve Him, all creatures here below.  
Serve Him above, ye heavenly host.  
Serve Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.