

Sunday, November 10, 2024, 9:30 am

*Call to Worship: (Jeff)

*God's Greeting (Jeff)

*Mutual Greeting (Jeff)

*Songs: **"Thrive"**

1 Here in this worn and weary land where many a dream has died
like a tree planted by the water, we never will run dry

Pre-Chorus

So living water flowing through
God, we thirst for more of You
Fill our hearts and flood our souls with one desire

Chorus

Just to know You and to make You known
We lift Your name on high
Shine like the sun make darkness run and hide
We know we were made for so much more than ordinary lives
It's time for us to more than just survive
We were made to thrive

2 Into Your Word we're digging deep to know our Father's heart
Into the world we're reaching out to show them who You are

Bridge

Joy unspeakable, faith unsinkable
Love unstoppable, anything is possible

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***"Always"**

1 I believe You gave sight to the blind. I believe that the dead came to life.
I believe there were wonders and signs, and You're still the same.

2 I believe every word that You said. I believe there are scars in Your hands,
that Your goodness is good without end, and You'll never change.

Chorus

I will tell of Your wonders, sing of Your grace.
The God of creation knows me by name.
The Lord is faithful yesterday, now and always, always.
Your mercy is mighty age after age.

All generations will bow down and praise.
The Lord is faithful yesterday, now and always, always.

3 I believe You will come in the clouds. I believe You are here even now.
In Your presence I know there is power, power to save, oh.

Bridge

You were, You are, You always will be God.
You were, You are, You always will be God.
Yes, You always will be God.

Ending

Your mercy is mighty age after age.
All generations will bow down and praise.
The Lord is faithful yesterday, now and always.
The Lord is faithful yesterday, now and always.

Ben Glover | Chris Tomlin | Daniel Carson | Jeff Sojka | Jess Cates

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*“Abide”

1 For my waking breath, for my daily bread
I depend on You, I depend on You.
For the sun to rise, for my sleep at night,
I depend on You, I depend on You.

Chorus 1

You're the way, the truth and the life,
You're the well that never runs dry.
I'm the branch and You are the vine.
Draw me close and teach me to abide.

2 Where the Spirit leads, as I'm following
I depend on You, I depend on You.
For the victories still in front of me
I depend on You, I depend on You.

Chorus 2

You're the way, the truth and the life,
You're the well that never runs dry.
I'm the branch and You are the vine.
Draw me close and teach me to abide.
Be my strength, my song in the night.
Be my all, my treasure, my prize.
I am Yours, forever You're mine.
Draw me close and teach me to abide.

3 When I pass through death, as I enter rest,
I depend on You, I depend on You

For eternal life, to be raised with Christ,
I depend on You, I depend on You.

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Offering: Benevolent Fund (Jeff)

Song during offering: **"Gratitude"**

1 All my words fall short; I got nothing new.
How could I express all my gratitude?

2 I could sing these songs, as I often do,
But every song must end and You never do.

Chorus

So I throw up my hands and praise You again and again,
'Cause all that I have is a hallelujah, hallelujah.
And I know it's not much, but I've nothing else fit for a king
Except for a heart singing, "Hallelujah, hallelujah."

3 I've got one response, I've got just one move:
With my arms stretched wide I will worship You.

Bridge

Come on, my soul, oh, don't you get shy on me.
Lift up your song, 'cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs.
Get up and praise the Lord.

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Song by the Worship Choir: "For Eternity"

Time for Prayer (Jeff)

Bible Reading: Galatians 5:22-26, Hebrews 11:39-12:3

Sermon: **"The Joy of Faithfulness"**

Prayer (Jeff)

***"Be Still, My Soul"**

1 Be still, my soul! the Lord is on thy side;
bear patiently the cross of grief or pain.
Leave to thy God to order and provide;
in every change He faithful will remain.
Be still, my soul! thy best, thy heavenly Friend
through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

2 Be still, my soul! thy God doth undertake
to guide the future as He has the past.
Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake;
all now mysterious shall be bright at last.
Be still, my soul! the waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.

3 Be still, my soul! the hour is hastening on
when we shall be forever with the Lord,
when disappointment, grief, and fear are gone,
sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.
Be still, my soul! when change and tears are past,
all safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

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*God's Blessing (Jeff)

***"Promises"**

1 God of Abraham,
You're the God of covenant,
Of faithful promises.
Time and time again
You have proven
You do just what You say.

Pre-Chorus

Though the storms may come
And the winds may blow,
I'll remain steadfast.
And let my heart learn
When You speak a word,
It will come to pass.

Chorus

Great is Your faithfulness to me.
Great is Your faithfulness to me.
From the rising sun
To the setting same,
I will praise Your name.
Great is Your faithfulness to me.

2 God, from age to age,
Though the earth may pass away,
Your word remains the same.
Your history can prove
There's nothing You can't do.
You're faithful and true.

Bridge

I put my faith in Jesus,
My anchor to the ground.
My hope and firm foundation,
He'll never let me down.

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