## James River Community Church

Sunday January 10, 2021



#### God Of Wonders

Marc Byrd, Steve Hindalong

Lord of all creation
Of water, earth, and sky
The heavens are Your tabernacle
Glory to the Lord on high

God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy

Lord of Heaven and Earth

Early in the morning
I will celebrate the light
And when I stumble into darkness
I will call Your name by night

God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy

Lord of Heaven and Earth

Hallelujah to the Lord of Heaven and earth

God of wonders, beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
Precious Lord, reveal your heart to me
Father hold me, hold me
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy

Lord of Heaven and Earth



### Call to Worship

Adapted from Psalm 79. Please participate by reading the underlined portions.

O God, your enemies have conquered your land, and desecrated your holy temple. They have spilled the blood of your people, and left them as food for birds and wild animals. We are objects of contempt and scorn and derision.

How long, O Lord? Will you be angry forever? Come to our rescue, and defend us!

Help us, God our Savior! For the glory of your name! Forgive our sin, and extend mercy and compassion to us, for we are in desperate need! Deliver us and forgive us, for your name's sake!

We are your people. We are the sheep of your pasture. We trust in you, and will give thanks to you forever. From generation to generation we will declare your praise!



### Oh Worship the King

Robert Grant, Chris Tomlin

Oh worship the King, all glorious above
Oh gratefully sing His wonderful love
Our shield and defender, The Ancient of Days
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise

Oh tell of His might, oh sing of His grace Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space His chariots of wrath the deep thunder clouds form And dark is His path on the wings of the storm

You alone are the matchless King
To You alone be all majesty
Your glories and wonders, what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light

Oh measureless might, ineffable love While angels delight to worship above Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend You alone are the matchless King
To You alone be all majesty
Your glories and wonders, what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light



# Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Anthony J. Showalter, Elisha A. Hoffman

What a fellowship, what a joy divine Leaning on the everlasting arms What a blessedness, what a peace is mine Leaning on the everlasting arms

Leaning, leaning
Safe and secure from all alarms
Leaning, leaning
Leaning on the everlasting arms

Oh, how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way
Leaning on the everlasting arms
Oh, how bright the path grows from day to day
Leaning on the everlasting arms

Leaning, leaning
Safe and secure from all alarms
Leaning, leaning
Leaning on the everlasting arms

What have I to dread, what have I to fear Leaning on the everlasting arms
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near Leaning on the everlasting arms



## Congregational Prayer

C.H. Spurgeon

Heavenly Father,

We remember well when we were called to You, through your sovereign grace. You hung out the lights of mercy, that we might know the way home. And Your dear Son came down to seek us. But we wandered still.

Blessed was that day when You struck the effectual blow of grace. We saw ourselves to be slain by the law, lost, ruined, and undone. Then we cried unto You in our trouble, and You delivered us. O happy day that sealed our pardon with the precious blood of Jesus, accepted by faith.

We thank you for reconciling us to yourself. For forgiving our sins, and giving us new life. Help us to walk in it, in trust and obedience.

Amen.



### New City Catechism

Question 28

What happens after death to those not united to Christ by faith?

At the day of judgment they will receive the fearful but just sentence of condemnation pronounced against them. They will be cast out from the favorable presence of God, into hell, to be justly and grievously punished, forever.



# Grace Greater Than All Our Sin

Daniel B. Towner, Julia H. Johnston

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt
Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured
There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt

Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within
Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that is greater than all our sin

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold Threaten the soul with infinite loss Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold Points to the refuge, the mighty cross Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within
Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that is greater than all our sin

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide What can avail to wash it away Look! There is flowing a crimson tide Whiter than snow you may be today

Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within
Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that is greater than all our sin

Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace Freely bestowed on all who believe You that are longing to see His face Will you this moment His grace receive? Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within
Grace, grace, God's grace
Grace that is greater than all our sin



# O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer

Nathan Stiff

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer Greatest treasure of my longing soul My God, like You there is no other True delight is found in You alone Your grace, a well too deep to fathom Your love exceeds the heavens' reach Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom My highest good and my unending need

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer Strong defender of my weary heart My sword to fight the cruel deceiver And my shield against his hateful darts My song when enemies surround me My hope when tides of sorrow rise My joy when trials are abounding Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer
Gracious Savior of my ruined life
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders
In my place You suffered bled and died
You rose, the grave and death are conquered
You broke my bonds of sin and shame
O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer
May all my days bring glory to Your Name



#### Children's Church

Children (up to 2nd grade) are dismissed to Children's Church.

## Sin

Genesis 3

<sup>1</sup> Now the serpent was more crafty than any other beast of the field that the Lord God had made.

He said to the woman, "Did God actually say, 'You shall not eat of any tree in the garden'?" <sup>2</sup> And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden, <sup>3</sup> but God said, 'You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, neither shall you touch it, lest you die." 4 But the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. 5 For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." <sup>6</sup> So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate. 7 Then the eyes of both were opened, and they knew that they were naked. And they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves loincloths.

8 And they heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden. 9 But the Lord God called to the man and said to him, "Where are you?" 10 And he said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself." 11 He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?" 12 The man said, "The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate." 13 Then the Lord God said to the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."

- 14 The Lord God said to the serpent,
  - "Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life.
- <sup>15</sup> I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel."

<sup>16</sup> To the woman he said,

"I will surely multiply your pain in childbearing; in pain you shall bring forth children. Your desire shall be contrary to your husband, but he shall rule over you."

- <sup>17</sup> And to Adam he said,
  - "Because you have listened to the voice of your wife and have eaten of the tree
  - of which I commanded you,
    - 'You shall not eat of it,'
  - cursed is the ground because of you;
  - in pain you shall eat of it all the days of your life;
- thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you; and you shall eat the plants of the field.
- By the sweat of your face you shall eat bread,
  - till you return to the ground, for out of it you were taken;
  - for you are dust, and to dust you shall return."

- <sup>20</sup> The man called his wife's name Eve, because she was the mother of all living. <sup>21</sup> And the Lord God made for Adam and for his wife garments of skins and clothed them.
- <sup>22</sup> Then the Lord God said, "Behold, the man has become like one of us in knowing good and evil. Now, lest he reach out his hand and take also of the tree of life and eat, and live forever—" <sup>23</sup> therefore the Lord God sent him out from the garden of Eden to work the ground from which he was taken. <sup>24</sup> He drove out the man, and at the east of the garden of Eden he placed the cherubim and a flaming sword that turned every way to guard the way to the tree of life.



#### Jesus Paid It All

Elvina M. Hall, John T. Grape

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 pow'r, 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 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 Oh praise the One who paid my debt And raised this life up from the dead Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe Sin had left a crimson stain He washed it white as snow



#### Benediction

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