

# THE LORD'S DAY

## Celebrating The Resurrection of Jesus Christ

October 19, 2008

*Acts 20:19f 'serving the Lord Jesus with all humility, tears, and trials...declaring anything that was profitable...publicly and house to house...solemnly testifying...of repentance toward God and faith in our Lord Jesus Christ...bound in spirit...I do not consider my life of any account...to testify solemnly of the Gospel of the grace of God...preaching the Kingdom...innocent of the blood of all men...declaring the whole counsel of God...admonishing each one with tears... I commend you to God and to the Word of His Grace.'*

### PRELUDE

### WELCOME, INVOCATION, & CALL TO WORSHIP

### PRAISE & PRAYERS

Hymns & Songs

Prayers of Adoration, Thanksgiving, & Confession

Scriptures

#### ❖ *Indescribable* . . . . . Chris Tomlin

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea,  
Creation's revealing Your majesty.

From the colors of fall to the fragrance of spring,  
every creature unique in the song that it sings.

All exclaiming!

*(Chorus)*

*Indescribable, uncontainable, You placed the stars  
in the sky and You know them by name.*

*You are amazing, God.*

*All powerful, untamable, awestruck we fall to our knees  
as we humbly proclaim, You are amazing, God.*

Who has told every lightning bolt where it should go  
or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow.

Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light,  
yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night.

None can fathom.

*(Chorus)*

*Indescribable, uncontainable, You placed the stars  
in the sky and You know them by name.*

*You are amazing, God.*

*Incomparable, unchangeable, You see the depths  
of my heart and You love me the same.*

*You are amazing, God; You are amazing, God.*

(worship together.com song: six steps music)CCLI 85330

#### ❖ *I Stand in Awe* . . . . . Mark Altrogge

You are beautiful beyond description,  
too marvelous for words;

too wonderful for comprehension,  
like nothing ever seen or heard.

Who can grasp Your infinite wisdom?

Who can fathom the depths of Your love?

You are beautiful beyond description,  
majesty enthroned above.

*(chorus)*

*And I stand, I stand in awe of You,*

*I stand, I stand in awe of You;*

*Holy God, to Whom all praise is due,*

*I stand in awe of You.*

You are beautiful beyond description,  
yet God crushed You for my sin,  
in agony and deep affliction cut off that I might enter in.

Who can grasp such tender compassion?

Who can fathom this mercy so free?

You are beautiful beyond description ,

Lamb of God who died for me. *(chorus)*

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(Congregation may be seated)

#### *Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder* . . . . .

**John Newton & Laura Taylor**

Let us love and sing and wonder, let us praise the  
Savior's name. He has hushed the law's loud thunder,  
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame.

**He has washed us with His blood, (3X)**

He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us love the Lord Who bought us, pitied us  
when enemies; called us by His grace and taught us;  
gave us ears and gave us eyes.

**He has washed us with His blood, (3X)**

He presents our souls to God.

Let us sing though fierce temptation threatens hard  
to bear us down; For the Lord, our strong salvation,  
holds in view the conqu'ror's crown.

**He, who washed us with His blood, (3X)**

soon will bring us home to God.

Let us wonder grace and justice, join and point to  
mercy's store; When through grace in Christ our trust is,  
justice smiles and asks no more

**He, who washed us with His blood, (3X)**

has secured our way to God.

Let us praise and join the chorus of the saints  
enthroned on high; Here they trusted Him before us,  
now their praises fill the sky.

**Thou hast washed us with Thy blood, (3X)**

Thou art worthy Lamb of God.

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#### *Immortal, Invisible* . . . . .Hymn #38

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unchanging, and silent as light,  
nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;  
Thy justice, like mountains, high soaring above;  
Thy clouds, which are fountains  
of goodness and love.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,  
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight.  
All praise we would render; O help us to see  
'tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee!

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION &

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON (1 John 1:8-9)

'If we say that we have no sin, we are  
deceiving ourselves, and the truth is not in us.  
If we confess our sins, He is faithful and  
righteous to forgive us our sins and  
to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.'

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SCRIPTURE READING: *Ezekiel 3:17-21*

MISSIONS UPDATE                      Pastor Bryan Wright  
PRAYER OF INTERCESSION &  
"THE LORD'S PRAYER"

DECLARATION OF FAITH  
*The Apostles' Creed* (pg. 845)

OFFERING

SONG OF PREPARATION

❖     *How Great Thou Art* ..... Hymn  
      #44

(Children 10 and under come forward during last verse  
for the Children's Message)

PREACHING OF THE WORD     Pastor Bryan Wright  
  Children's Message  
  *Acts 20:17-38*  
      "A Charge for Pastors, Elders, & The Flock - II"

SONG OF RESPONSE

❖     *Breathe on Me, Breath of God* ..... Hymn  
      #334

BENEDICTION                      Pastor Bryan Wright

POSTLUDE

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❖     If you are able, you are invited to stand.