West Hills Church Worship Guide

June 28, 2020

Welcome

Call to Worship: Based on Psalm 46

Come and gaze at God's works, the one who has astounded the world with wonders, who has brought all the earth's wars to a halt.

The bow will be shattered and the arrow split in half, the chariot burnt with fire.

Be calm and know that I am your Sustainer.
I will be lifted in praise among nations,
I will be lifted in praise throughout the earth.

Everlasting God

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord

Our God You reign forever Our hope our strong Deliv'rer

You are the everlasting God
The everlasting God
You do not faint
You won't grow weary
You're the defender of the weak
You comfort those in need
You lift us up on wings like eagles

Psalm 46: From Psalm's for Young Children

If the ground starts to shake, if the mountains break into pieces and fall in the sea, if the waves grow big as giants, I'm not scared.
God is with me.
God provides a safe place for me to hide.

It Is Well with My Soul

When peace like a river attendeth my way When sorrows like sea billows roll Whatever my lot thou hast taught me to say It is well It is well with my soul

It is well with my soul It is well It is well with my soul

Tho' Satan should buffet, Tho' trials should come Let this blest assurance control That Christ has regarded my helpless estate And hath shed His own blood for my soul

Psalm 46

- . God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.
- ²Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way

and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea,

- though its waters roar and foam and the mountains quake with their surging
- ⁴There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,

the holy place where the Most High dwells.

- ⁵ God is within her, she will not fall; God will help her at break of day.
- ⁶ Nations are in uproar, kingdoms fall; he lifts his voice, the earth melts.
- ⁷The LORD Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.
- ⁸ Come and see what the LORD has done, the desolations he has brought on the earth.
- ⁹ He makes wars cease to the ends of the earth.

He breaks the bow and shatters the spear; he burns the shields [d] with fire.

- He says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth."
- ¹¹ The LORD Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Sermon: Ancient/Future Hope

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, Oh God, my Father, There is no shadow Of turning with Thee Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not; As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Great is Thy faithfulness!
Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed, Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Offering

Pastoral Prayer

Pastoral Blessing

The Doxology

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Postlude: A Mighty Fortress