

West Hills Church

Worship Guide

June 20, 2021

Pre-Service Music

Come, Christians, Join to Sing
I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Gathering Song: The Reason

There's a reason I can sing
There's a reason for this life inside me
One Name above all names
Jesus yes it's Jesus

There's a reason for this hope
There's a reason for this peace that I know
One worthy of all praise
Jesus yes it's Jesus

**I will lift my hands up I will raise my voice high
I will shout out Your love Till the day that I die
Ev'rything that I have All my worship I bring
You're the reason I live You're the reason I sing
You're the reason I live You're the reason I sing**

For the vict'ry over sin
For the goodness of Your grace each day
I will bow and bless Your name
Jesus I thank You Jesus

Hallelujah Hallelujah Hallelujah
You're the reason I live
You're the reason I sing

When my time on earth is through
When my final breath has left these lungs
I'll forever be with You
Where the song goes on and on

Welcome

Call to Worship: From Psalm 66

Shout for joy to God, all the earth!
**Sing the glory of his name;
make his praise glorious.**

All the earth bows down to you;
**they sing praise to you,
they sing the praises of your name.**

Open Up the Heavens

We've waited for this day
We're gathered in Your Name
Calling out to You
Your glory like a fire awakening desire
Will burn our hearts with truth
You're the reason we're here
You're the reason we're singing

**Open up the heavens we want to see You
Open up the floodgates a mighty river
Flowing from Your heart
Filling every part of our praise**

Your presence in this place
Your glory on our face
We're looking to the sky
Descending like a cloud
You're standing with us now
Lord unveil our eyes
You're the reason we're here
You're the reason we're singing

Show us show us Your glory
Show us show us Your power
Show us show us Your glory Lord

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Come Christians join to sing
Alleluia amen
Loud praise to Christ our King
Alleluia amen
Let all with heart and voice
Before His throne rejoice
Praise is His gracious choice Alleluia amen

Come lift your hearts on high
Alleluia amen
Let praises fill the sky
Alleluia amen
He is our Guide and Friend
To us He'll condescend
His love shall never end Alleluia amen

Praise yet our Christ again
Alleluia amen
Life shall not end the strain
Alleluia amen
On heaven's blissful shore
His goodness we'll adore
Singing forevermore Alleluia amen

Psalms 18:1-3

I love you, LORD; you are my strength.
The LORD is my rock, my fortress,
and my savior; my God is my rock,
in whom I find protection.
He is my shield, the power that saves me,
and my place of safety.
I called on the LORD, who is worthy of praise,
and he saved me from my enemies.

Jesus, Your Name

Jesus Your name is power
Jesus Your name is might
Jesus Your name will break ev'ry stronghold
Jesus Your name is life

Jesus Your name is healing
Jesus Your name gives sight
Jesus Your name will free ev'ry captive
Jesus Your name is life

Jesus Your name is holy
Jesus Your name brings light
Jesus Your name above ev'ry other
Jesus Your name is life

What A Beautiful Name

You were the Word at the beginning
One with God the Lord Most High
Your hidden glory in creation
Now revealed in You our Christ

What a beautiful Name it is

What a beautiful Name it is

The Name of Jesus Christ my King

What a beautiful Name it is

Nothing compares to this

What a beautiful Name it is

The Name of Jesus

You didn't want heaven without us
So Jesus You brought heaven down
My sin was great Your love was greater
What could separate us now

What a wonderful Name it is

What a wonderful Name it is

The Name of Jesus Christ my King

What a wonderful Name it is

Nothing compares to this

What a wonderful Name it is

The Name of Jesus

What a wonderful Name it is

The Name of Jesus

Death could not hold You
The veil tore before You
You silence the boast of sin and grave
The heavens are roaring
The praise of Your glory
For You are raised to life again

You have no rival You have no equal
Now and forever God You reign
Yours is the kingdom Yours is the glory
Yours is the Name above all names

What a powerful Name it is
What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus Christ my King
What a powerful Name it is
Nothing can stand against
What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

Prayer

Family Ministry Moment

Scripture: Acts 6:1-7

In those days when the number of disciples was increasing, the Hellenistic Jews^[a] among them complained against the Hebraic Jews because their widows were being overlooked in the daily distribution of food.² So the Twelve gathered all the disciples together and said, "It would not be right for us to neglect the ministry of the word of God in order to wait on tables.³ Brothers and sisters, choose seven men from among you who are known to be full of the Spirit and wisdom. We will turn this responsibility over to them⁴ and will give our attention to prayer and the ministry of the word."

⁵This proposal pleased the whole group. They chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit; also Philip, Procorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas from Antioch, a convert to Judaism.⁶ They presented these men to the apostles, who prayed and laid their hands on them.⁷ So the word of God spread. The number of disciples in Jerusalem increased rapidly, and a large number of priests became obedient to the faith.

Sermon: An Anchor in Conflict

Speak to Me

I am Your servant and I am list'ning
Speak to me Lord speak to me
I need Your wisdom Your truth and comfort
Speak to me Lord speak to me

**Speak to me speak to me
Through Your word through Your Spirit
Speak Your words of life**

**Speak to me speak to me
I am list'ning I am waiting speak to me**

I am Your servant and I am list'ning
Speak to me Lord speak to me
My heart is silent my soul is longing
Speak to me Lord speak to me

Pastoral Prayer

Lift Every Voice and Sing

Lift ev'ry voice and sing,
till earth and heaven ring,
ring with the harmonies of liberty.
Let our rejoicing rise
high as the list'ning skies,
let it resound loud as the rolling sea.
Sing a song full of the faith
that the dark past has taught us.
Sing a song full of the hope
that the present has brought us.
Facing the rising sun of our new day begun,
let us march on till victory is won.

Announcements

Blessing

Postlude: Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing