Worshiping God, Who Possesses All Authority and Power!

PRELUDE Prelude on BOYLSTON

(Blest Be The Tie That Binds Our Hearts In Christian Love) Seth Bingham

God of Grace and God of Glory (CWM RHONDDA) Paul Manz Dennis Bergin, organ

WELCOME

Bill Myers, Pastor of Congregational Care

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP To the Word

Sanctuary Choir; Carrie Smith, piano; Matt Brantley, bass; Billy Stulace, Ariana Stout, guitar; Greg Wagener, drums

Sanctify the Lord, he said
To the Word to the Word, we go.
Let him be your fear, let Him be your dread,
Bend, break, burn and blow.

To the testimony and law, to the Word, to the Word we go. If they don't speak this word, they have no light at all, Break, bend, burn and blow.

A stone of stumbling and rock of offense Against this snare there is no defense.

So I will wait upon the Lord To seek the one who must be adored.

Here I am and the children you gave A sign that You have promised to save.

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*God Calls Us to Worship Psalm 111

Pastor: I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the

upright, in the congregation.

People: Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.

Pastor: Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness

endures forever.

People: He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered; the LORD is

gracious and merciful.

Pastor: He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever.

People: He has shown his people the power of his works, in giving them the

inheritance of the nations.

Pastor: The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy;

People: They are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness

and uprightness.

Pastor: He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever.

Holy and awesome is his name!

People: The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice

it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever!

*YOU ARE THE KING

Kyrstan Brantley, Maddy Paramore, Preston Reddick, vocals

I Sing the Mighty Power of God



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vs. 4

I sing the wondrous power of God that keeps his covenant sure, That worked redemption by his hand, tis faithful, just and pure. No power on earth is used aright, unless it fears the Lord; O give us wisdom and delight in honor to your Word.

Words vs. 4: David Barnes

*WE INVOKE HIS PRESENCE

GOD EXPOSES OUR NEED Matthew 20:25-26a

Reverend David Barnes, Associate Pastor

But Jesus called them to him and said, "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. It shall not be so among you.

WE CONFESS OUR SIN

CHRIST PROVIDES FOR OUR NEED Matthew 20:26b-28

But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, and whoever would be first among you must be your slave, even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.

*Out of Distress Into Jubilant Psalm



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*Confession of Faith Heidelberg Catechism Question 104

Pastor: What is God's will for you in the fifth commandment?

People: That I honor, love, and be loyal to my father and mother and all those in authority over me; that I submit myself with proper obedience to all their good teaching and discipline; and also that I be patient with their failings for through them God chooses to rule us.

*By Grace We Stand On Your Promises!



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WE INVOKE HIS HELP Psalm 54:4

Greg Wagener, Elder

Behold, God is my helper; the Lord is the upholder of my life.

GOD CALLS US TO STEWARDSHIP Psalm 54:6

With a freewill offering I will sacrifice to you; I will give thanks to your name, O LORD, for it is good.

WE GIVE OUR GRATEFUL OFFERINGS

WE PREPARE FOR GOD'S WORD Ways of the Righteous Sanctuary Choir

The man is blessed who flees from sin and heeds false counsel not. Stands far from those enticed by wrong nor follows scorner's lot.

In law he finds his soul's delight and loves God's sacred Word. In it he ponders day and night to seek his precious Lord.

For the Lord watches o'er the ways of the righteous. Yes, the Lord watches o'er the ways of His own.

Near waters calm there stands a tree in season fruit doth come. A with'ring leaf he'll never see, for God will bless this one. Yes, God will bless this one.

For the Lord watches o'er the ways of the righteous. Yes, the Lord watches o'er the ways of His own.

Ungodly men will prosper not, like chaff are eas'ly dri'vn. They fall a sure and certain lot, no peace for them is giv'n.

For the Lord watches o'er the ways of the righteous. Yes, the Lord watches o'er the ways of His own.

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GOD PROCLAIMS HIS WORD Reverend David Barnes, Associate Pastor

SERMON SERIES "1 Corinthians"

SCRIPTURE TEXT 1 Corinthians 11:2-16 | page 958 in the pew Bible

SERMON TITLE Authority Is The Air You Breathe

*DWELL IN FAITH AND UNITY



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*BENEDICTION

*Postlude Reprise: Oh How Good It Is

SERMON NOTES

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Since Christ honored his authority...

Husbands and wives are to honor their authorities in marriage

Men and women are to honor their authorities in church