

# Worship Folder

September 15, 2024 11:00 am

## Opening Song

### House Of The Lord

We worship the God who was we worship the God who is we worship the God who evermore will be  
He opened the prison doors He parted the raging sea my God He holds the victory

*Chorus* There's joy in the house of the Lord there's joy in the house of the Lord today  
And we won't be quiet we shout out Your praise  
There's joy in the house of the Lord our God is surely in this place  
And we won't be quiet we shout out Your praise - oh oh oh we shout out Your praise

We sing to the God who heals we sing to the God who saves  
We sing to the God who always makes a way 'cause He hung up on that cross  
Then He rose up from that grave my God's still rolling stones away *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

We were the beggars now we're royalty we were the prisoners now we're running free  
We are forgiven accepted redeemed by His grace let the house of the Lord sing praise *Repeat, Chorus*  
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## Welcome *Pastor Jonathan Dinger*

### The Lion And The Lamb

He's coming on the clouds kings and kingdoms will bow down  
And every chain will break as broken hearts declare His praise, for who can stop the Lord Almighty

### *Chorus*

Our God is the Lion the Lion of Judah He's roaring with power and fighting our battles  
And every knee will bow before Him  
Our God is the Lamb the Lamb that was slain for the sins of the world His blood breaks the chains  
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb every knee will bow before Him

So open up the gates make way before the King of kings  
The God who comes to save is here to set the captives free, for who can stop the Lord Almighty *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

Who can stop the Lord Almighty, who can stop the Lord *4x, Chorus*  
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## Invocation and Confession

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen**

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination...)*

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your holy name. Amen**

**The Absolution** *words of forgiveness spoken by the pastor*

## Song of Response

### **Death Was Arrested**

Alone in my sorrow and dead in my sin Lost without hope with no place to begin  
Your love made a way to let mercy come in When death was arrested and my life began

Ash was redeemed only beauty remains My orphan heart was given a name  
My mourning grew quiet my feet rose to dance When death was arrested and my life began

*Chorus* Oh Your grace so free washes over me You have made me new now life begins with You  
It's Your endless love pouring down on us You have made us new now life begins with You

Released from my chains I'm a pris'ner no more My shame was a ransom He faithfully bore  
He cancelled my debt and He called me His friend When death was arrested and my life began *Chorus*

Our Savior displayed on a criminal's cross Darkness rejoiced as though Heaven had lost  
But then Jesus arose with our freedom in hand That's when death was arrested and my life began *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

Oh we're free free forever we're free come join the song of all the redeemed  
Yes we're free free forever amen when death was arrested and my life began

When death was arrested and my life began, when death was arrested and my life began *Chorus*

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## **The Old Testament Reading**

**Isaiah 53:6-12**

6 We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. 7 He was oppressed and afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; he was led like a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. 8 By oppression and judgment he was taken away. And who can speak of his descendants? For he was cut off from the land of the living; for the transgression of my people he was stricken. 9 He was assigned a grave with the wicked, and with the rich in his death, though he had done no violence, nor was any deceit in his mouth. 10 Yet it was the Lord's will to crush him and cause him to suffer, and though the Lord makes his life a guilt offering, he will see his offspring and prolong his days, and the will of the Lord will prosper in his hand. 11 After the suffering of his soul, he will see the light of life and be satisfied; by his knowledge my righteous servant will justify many, and he will bear their iniquities. 12 Therefore I will give him a portion among the great, and he will divide the spoils with the strong, because he poured out his life unto death, and was numbered with the transgressors. For he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

## The Epistle Reading

Romans 3:10-24

10 As it is written: "There is no one righteous, not even one; 11 there is no one who understands, no one who seeks God. 12 All have turned away, they have together become worthless; there is no one who does good, not even one." 13 "Their throats are open graves; their tongues practice deceit." "The poison of vipers is on their lips." 14 "Their mouths are full of cursing and bitterness." 15 "Their feet are swift to shed blood; 16 ruin and misery mark their ways, 17 and the way of peace they do not know." 18 "There is no fear of God before their eyes."

19 Now we know that whatever the law says, it says to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced and the whole world held accountable to God. 20 Therefore no one will be declared righteous in his sight by observing the law; rather, through the law we become conscious of sin.

21 But now a righteousness from God, apart from law, has been made known, to which the Law and the Prophets testify. 22 This righteousness from God comes through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe. There is no difference, 23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, 24 and are justified freely by his grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus.

## The Gospel Reading

Luke 22:24-34

<sup>24</sup> A dispute arose among them as to which of them was considered to be greatest. <sup>25</sup> Jesus said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who exercise authority over them call themselves Benefactors. <sup>26</sup> But you are not to be like that. Instead, the greatest among you should be like the youngest, and the one who rules like the one who serves. <sup>27</sup> For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves. <sup>28</sup> You are those who have stood by me in my trials. <sup>29</sup> And I confer on you a kingdom, just as my Father conferred one on me, <sup>30</sup> so that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom and sit on thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

<sup>31</sup> "Simon, Simon, Satan has asked to sift all of you as wheat. <sup>32</sup> But I have prayed for you, Simon, that your faith may not fail. And when you have turned back, strengthen your brothers."

<sup>33</sup> But he replied, "Lord, I am ready to go with you to prison and to death."

<sup>34</sup> Jesus answered, "I tell you, Peter, before the rooster crows today, you will deny three times that you know me."

## Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**

**Children's Church** *Kids, ages 4-7 may go to Children's Church at this time.*

**Sermon ~ Pastor Jonathan Dinger**  
**The Red Letter Forgiveness Challenge "The Reality of Sin"**  
*Romans 3:10-23*

**Introduction: Hi. I'm Jonathan and...**

**The reality of Peter and David – Sinners**

**1. The significance of \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven..." Matthew 16:18-19*

**2. No one is \_\_\_\_\_.**

*Then Nathan said to David, "You are the man!" Then David said to Nathan, "I have sinned against the Lord." 2 Samuel 12:7, 13*

**3. Time to be \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"There is no one righteous, not even one... All have turned away, they have together become worthless; there is no one who does good, not even one." Romans 3:10-12*

**4. Look to the \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"We all, like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; and the Lord has laid upon Him the iniquity of us all." Isaiah 53:5*

*"Look! The Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" John 1:29*

*"God made Him who knew no sin to become sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God." 2 Corinthians 5:21*

**The reality of Peter and David - Forgiven!**

## The Offering

### **Canvas And Clay**

In my mother's womb You formed me with Your hands  
Known and loved by You before I took a breath  
When I doubt it Lord remind me I'm wonderfully made  
You're an artist and a potter I'm the canvas and the clay

### *Chorus*

And You make all things work together for my future and for my good  
You make all things work together for Your glory and for Your name

There's a healing light just beyond the clouds

Though I've walked through fire I see clearly now

I know nothing has been wasted no failure or mistake

You're an artist and a potter I'm the canvas and the clay *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

When I doubt it Lord remind me I'm wonderfully made  
You're an artist and a potter I'm the canvas and the clay  
I know nothing has been wasted no failure or mistake  
You're an artist and a potter I'm the canvas and the clay *Repeat*

You're not finished with me, You're not finished with me yet *Repeat, Bridge*

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## **Prayers and The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen**

## **The Benediction**

## **Closing Song**

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## **Ministry Moments**

- *Service Ministry Highlight – Caregiving Ministries, CCC, CARS, Salvation Army*
- *LWML Zone Event*
- *Life in Christ Class – 6:30 on Mondays, not too late!*

### **Serving in Worship Today**

<b>Preacher</b>	<b>Pastor Jonathan Dinger</b>
<b>Elder</b>	<b>Josh Scheffler</b>
<b>Songleader</b>	<b>Jared Ball</b>
<b>Reader</b>	<b>Steve Garner</b>
<b>Media</b>	<b>Heather Scheffler</b>
<b>AV</b>	<b>Ben Gomez, Taysen Perez</b>

### **Answers to Sermon Outline:**

1. a new name
2. above sin
3. honest
4. Lamb

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# Sunday Morning Education

10:00-10:45

## **Red Letter Forgiving Challenge - All Congregation Study! September 8 - October 19**

**Forgiveness.** A fundamental pillar of the teachings of Jesus -- and the gift He gave to the Church to deliver to the wounded and repentant heart. Pick up your book and go through the 40-day study as we go past the "basics" and see Jesus' true hope for His people: wholeness - restoration - a life reflecting the forgiveness shown to us. You can do this on your own, as a couple, or small group. *We're offering three options for everyone to launch each week on Sundays at 10 a.m. between services, taught by elders Andrew Krause (Mrs. Parker's classroom), Dillon Corbin (Mrs. Ball's classroom), as well as Pastor Dinger (Conference Room). The same material, but three different teachers and styles!*

## **Confirmation Class – starts at 9:45**

For students grades 7-10, a year-long class of basic Christian teachings. Taught by Ryan Strehlow in Mrs. Casselman's room in the Middle School wing.

## **Children's Ministry**

Children age 4 through 5th grade are welcome to meet Mrs. Parker in in the high school gym for Kid's Ministry!



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ANNIVERSARY!

**Worship Attendance & Offering  
for the Week of**  
September 8th, 2024

**8:30am Worship** Here at GLC: 115

**11:00am Worship** Here at GLC: 218

**5:00pm Worship** Here at GLC: 35

**Offering:** \$8,670  
Weekly Needed: \$17,500  
Average September Weekly Offering from Last 2 Years:  
\$14,243

**FORGIVEN  
& FREE**

**FORGIVENESS CHALLENGE**

**BOOKS ARE STILL AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP IN THE FOYER!**

**WELCOME TO WEEK 2 OF THE CHALLENGE!**

# FORGIVING CHALLENGE: WEEK TWO!

The **CHOSEN** Season 4, Watch & Discuss with Pastor Dinger  
Wednesdays @ 6:30PM

## FORGIVING CHALLENGE THREE DIFFERENT FORMATS:

Join the Challenge Solo, in a group,  
as a family OR Sundays at 10:00AM,

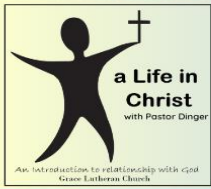
Large Conference Room  
Mrs. Ball's Classroom (MS wing)  
Mrs. Grant's Classroom (MS wing)

Lecture Style- Pastor Dinger  
Discussion Focus - D. Corbin  
Scripture Study - A. Krause



## MORE SUNDAY EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Kid's Min. Meet in the HS Gym 10:00am, Pick-up in the foyer of the church @10:45am  
Confirmation w/ DCE Ryan @9:45AM\* Mrs. Casselman's Room (MS wing)



# Mondays @ 6:30PM

Childcare available

An introduction to a relationship with God, the church, and what we believe.



## Women's Retreat

at Camp Perkins with speaker Patty Bolinger

Women of Grace! You're invited to retreat in the Sawtooth mountains for a weekend away to refresh & retreat.



## Cookies Needed!

We are in need of more cookie donations for coffee hour on Sundays! You can bring them by the church office!



## C.A.R.S. MINISTRY

### NO CARS IN SEPTEMBER

## RETREAT REPEAT ALERT

The Lutheran Women of the Yellowstone Zone are hosting a

# Zone Event

## What's a Zone Event?

It is what happens when local Lutheran Women gather for Bible Study, Singing, a Service Project, Lunch & More!

Pastor Kirk Triplett will lead us in a Rejuvenating Bible Study from the LWML retreat at Camp Perkins to refresh the memories of those who were able to attend, and bless those who weren't.



We will be learning about and serving The Village, a safe teen assessment center in Pocatello.

in Pocatello.

IN GATHERING: Camp Perkins Wish List Items

At Faith Lutheran Church | 856 W Eldredge Rd. Pocatello

## SATURDAY

## SEPTEMBER 21

## 9AM-NOON





