

APRIL 6, 2025

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Greeting One Another

International Association for Refugees Update

Andrew Sandeen

2 Timothy 3:16

*All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful
for teaching, rebuking, correcting
and training in righteousness,*

HYMN 16 ~ HOW GREAT THOU ART (1, 3, 4)

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder,
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made;
I see the stars; I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!
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How great Thou art! How great Thou art!**

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in;
That on the cross my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, "My God, how great Thou art!"

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PRAYER

ABOVE ALL

Above all powers, above all kings,
Above all nature and all created things.
Above all wisdom and all the ways of man,
You were here before the world began.

Above all kingdoms, above all thrones,
Above all wonders the world has ever known,
Above all wealth and treasures of the earth,
There's no way to measure
What You're worth.

Crucified, and laid behind the stone,
You lived to die, rejected and alone.
Like a rose, trampled on the ground,
You took the fall, and thought of me,
Above all.

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AS THE DEER

As the deer pants for the water, so my soul longs after You;
You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship You.

***You alone are my strength, my shield,
To You alone may my spirit yield;
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship You.***

I want You more than gold or silver, only You can satisfy;
You alone are the real Joy Giver, and the Apple of my eye.

You're my Friend and You are my Brother,
Even though You are a King;
I love You more than any other,
So much more than anything.

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HYMN 485 ~ GOD WILL TAKE CARE OF YOU (1, 3)

Be not dismayed whate'er betide, God will take care of you;
Beneath His wings of love abide, God will take care of you.

***God will take care of you. Thro' every day, o'er all the way;
He will take care of you, God will take care of you.***

All you may need He will provide, God will take care of you;
Nothing you ask will be denied, God will take care of you.

***God will take care of you. Thro' every day, o'er all the way;
He will take care of you, God will take care of you.***

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He will take care of you, God will take care of you.***

Offering

HYMN 17 ~ GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

Great is Thy faithfulness, O 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.

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.***

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.

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!

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Prayer

LIVING ON THE ROCK

Matthew 7:24-29

I. THE INTEGRITY OF THE FOUNDATION (7:24-27)

A. Building on the Rock (24-25)

1. The Conclusion (24a)

2. The Contemplation (24b)

3. The Conduct (24c)

4. The Confidence (25)

B. Building on Sand (26-27)

1. Indifference (26)

2. Insecurity (27)

II. THE IMPACT ON THE FOLLOWERS (7:28-29)

A. Amazement (28)

B. Authority (29)

HYMN 73 ~ PRAISE HIM! PRAISE HIM! (1, 3)
Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus our blessed Redeemer!
Sing, O earth, His wonderful love proclaim,
Hail Him! Hail Him! Highest archangels in glory,
Strength and honor give to His holy name.
Like a shepherd Jesus will guard His children,
In His arms He carries them All day long.

Praise Him! Praise Him!
Tell of His excellent greatness,
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Ever in joyful song.

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus our blessed Redeemer.
Heavenly portals, loud with hosannas ring,
Jesus, Savior, reigneth forever and ever,
Crown Him! Crown Him! Prophet and Priest and King.
Christ is coming over the world victorious;
Power and glory unto the Lord belong.

Announcements

Easter Cantata Rehearsal: *April 6, 11:00 am*

Following this morning's Worship Service there will be a rehearsal for an Easter Cantata. Anyone is welcome to join and sing. We will also rehearse on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

Bennett Diaper Shower: *April 6*

Tucker and Abigail are expecting a new arrival in April. We want to help celebrate with a Diaper Shower. The diapers they use are Pampers Swaddlers or Pure and Pampers Pure Baby Wipes. Please bring diapers to the church by April 6 or contact Heidi if you want to contribute financially.

Men's Fellowship: *April 9, 7:00 am*

Men's Fellowship meets on Wednesday mornings in the Fellowship Hall. We meet at 7:00 a.m. and are continuing a study of the life of David in 1 Samuel 18:17.

Praise Team Rehearsal: *April 9, 7:00 pm*

The Praise Team will rehearse this Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Youth Servant Sunday: *April 13, 11:00 am*

The Youth of the church will be leading our Worship Service next Sunday. There are sign-up sheets on the Hospitality Board in the foyer with ways to be involved. See Heidi if you have questions.

Willow Women's Bible Study: *April 14, 4:30 pm*

We are studying Max Lucado's "Experiencing the Heart of Jesus" and meet on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at Willow Coffee and Bake Shop in Brush. Contact Heidi or Arlene if you have questions.

Board Meeting: *April 14, 7:00 pm*

The Church Board plans to meet on Monday evening, April 14, at 7:00 p.m. with Allan Windsheimer giving the devotions.

Home Bible Study: *April 15, 5:30 pm*

The Home Bible Study meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month. We meet in the home of Dallas and Brooke McCombs and are continuing our study of the book of Philippians.

Heavenly Heartbeats: *April 16, 5:30 pm*

The women's Bible study will meet on April 16 at 5:30 p.m. We will be continuing a study on 1 and 2 Peter. Contact Arlene Weimer for more information.

Maundy Thursday Service: *April 17, 7:00 pm*

On Thursday evening, April 17, we will reflect upon our Lord's suffering as He approached the cross. We will celebrate Communion together as part of this service. If you have a special piece of music or a song, then please let Pastor Tolson, Larry Kleiber, Cindy Lind, or Linda Jackson know.

Offerings

Thank you very much for your faithful giving. Offerings can be mailed to the church or given online at www.iechurch.org.