Walker Baptist Church

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Order of Service:

Prelude - Theresa Rogers: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Welcome and Announcements - Wally Whidby Prayer and Call to Worship - Jonathan Wells (Psalm 37:16-19) Worship Through Song - Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery Worship Through Song - Living Hope Worship Through Song - His Mercy is More Scripture and Prayer - Andy Wolverton Special Music - Sanctuary Choir: The Majesty and Glory of Your Name Sermon - Chuck McElhannon: "A Season of Fruitfulness: Kindness" Song of Response - The Love of God Benediction - Jonathan Wells (Ephesians 2:4-5)

Song Lyrics & Scripture Passages

Prelude: Leaning on the Everlasting Arms Music by Anthony J. Showalter

Psalm 37:16-19 (CSB)

The little that the righteous person has is better than the abundance of many wicked people. For the arms of the wicked will be broken, but the Lord supports the righteous.

The Lord watches over the blameless all their days, and their inheritance will last forever. They will not be disgraced in times of adversity; they will be satisfied in days of hunger.

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Words and Music by Matt Papa, Matt Boswell, and Michael Bleeker

Come behold the wondrous mystery, in the dawning of the King He the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humanity In our longing, in our darkness, now the light of life has come Look to Christ, who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, he the perfect Son of Man In his living, in his suffering, never trace nor stain of sin See the true and better Adam, come to save the hell-bound man Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law, in him we stand.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, Christ the Lord upon the tree In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold Bringing many sons to glory, grace unmeasured, love untold Come behold the wondrous mystery, slain by death the God of life But no grave could e'er restrain him, praise the Lord, He is alive What a foretaste of deliverance, how unwavering our hope Christ in power resurrected, as will we be when he comes.

Living Hope

Words and Music by Brian Johnson and Phil Wickham

How great the chasm that lay between us How high the mountain I could not climb In desperation, I turned to heaven And spoke Your name into the night

Then through the darkness, Your loving-kindness Tore through the shadows of my soul The work is finished, the end is written Jesus Christ, my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy? What heart could fathom such boundless grace? The God of ages stepped down from glory To wear my sin and bear my shame

The cross has spoken, I am forgiven The King of kings calls me His own Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever Jesus Christ, my living hope

Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me You have broken every chain There's salvation in Your name Jesus Christ, my living hope Then came the morning that sealed the promise Your buried body began to breathe Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion Declared the grave has no claim on me

Then came the morning that sealed the promise Your buried body began to breathe Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion Declared the grave has no claim on me Jesus, Yours is the victory!

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Jesus Christ, my living hope Oh Jesus Christ, my living hope

His Mercy is More

Words and Music by Matt Papa and Matt Boswell

What love could remember no wrongs we have done Omniscient, all knowing, He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore Our sins they are many, His mercy is more What patience would wait as we constantly roam What Father, so tender, is calling us home He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord, His mercy is more Stronger than darkness, new every morn Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What riches of kindness He lavished on us His blood was the payment, His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord, His mercy is more Stronger than darkness, new every morn Our sins they are many, His mercy is more (Repeat)

Special Music: Sanctuary Choir "The Majesty and Glory of Your Name"

Words by Linda Johnson (From Psalm 8), Music by Tom Fettke

The Love of God Words and Music

The love of God is greater far Than tongue or pen can ever tell It goes beyond the highest star And reaches to the lowest hell

The guilty pair, bowed down with care God gave His Son to win His erring child He reconciled And pardoned from his sin O love of God, how rich and pure! How measureless and strong! It shall forevermore endure The saints' and angels' song

Could we with ink the ocean fill And were the skies of parchment made Were every stalk on earth a quill And every man a scribe by trade

To write the love of God above Would drain the ocean dry Nor could the scroll contain the whole Though stretched from sky to sky

O love of God, how rich and pure! How measureless and strong! It shall forevermore endure The saints' and angels' song

Ephesians 2:4-5 (CSB)

But God, who is rich in mercy, because of his great love that he had for us, made us alive with Christ even though we were dead in trespasses. You are saved by grace!