

# June 26, 2022

Prelude

To a Wild Rose – E. McDowell

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Words of Welcome

Responsive Call to Worship: Psalm 93

Pastor: The Lord reigns and is robed in majesty'  
The Lord is robed and is girded with strength

**People: The Lord has established the world; it shall never be moved.**

Pastor: Your throne has been established from of old;  
You are from everlasting!

**People: The floods have lifted up, O Lord  
The floods have lifted up their voice  
The flood lift up their roaring.**

Pastor: Mightier than the thunders of many waters,  
Mightier than the waves of the sea,  
The Lord on high is mighty!

**People: Your decrees are very sure;  
Holiness befits you house,  
O Lord, for evermore.**

Unison Opening Prayer

Father God, we gather here today under your care and protection. Thank you for your lovingkindness that never fails us. We thank you for those with us, that you would guide our thoughts and actions to bring you glory. Strengthen us and fill us with your peace. May we love and serve each other as Jesus has shown us. Fill us with the Holy Spirit to do your good work on earth. Amen.

\*Hymn:

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

No. 66

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heaven, to the throne thy tribute bring;  
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, evermore God's praises sing.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.

2. Praise the Lord for grace and favor to all people in distress;  
praise God, still the same as ever, slow to chide, and swift to bless.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Glorious now God's faithfulness.

3. Father-like, God tends and spares us; well our feeble frame God knows;  
mother-like, God gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Widely yet God's mercy flows.

4. Angels in the heights, adoring, you behold God face to face;  
saints triumphant, now adoring, gathered in from every race.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

First Reading: Psalm 100

Children's Time in Worship

**\*Blessing the Gifts that we bring      "Glory Be to the Father"      No. 71**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen

**Sharing of Our Joys and Concerns with God  
The Lord's Prayer**

*Our Father who are 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 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 glory forever. Amen*

**\*Hymn      Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessings      No. 400**

1. Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of thy redeeming love.
2. Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by thy help I'm come;  
and I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;  
he, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.
3. O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee.  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;  
here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.

**Words for Today      The Scripture Lesson: Philippians 3:4-14**  
*Take It or Leave It*

**\*Hymn      Soldiers of Christ, Arise      No. 513**

Soldiers of Christ arise, and put your armor on,  
strong in the strength which God supplies  
thru his eternal Son; strong in the Lord of Hosts,  
and in his mighty power,  
who in the strength of Jesus trusts is more than conqueror.

Stand then in his great might, with all his strength endued,  
but take to arm you for the fight  
the panoply of God; that having all things done,  
and all your conflicts passed,  
ye may o'ercome thru Christ alone and stand entire at last.

Pray without ceasing, pray, (your Captain gives the word)  
his summons cheerfully obey and call upon the Lord;

to God your every want in instant prayer display,  
pray always, pray and never faint,  
pray, without ceasing pray.

From strength to strength go on, wrestle and fight and pray,  
tread all the powers of darkness down and win the well-fought day.  
Still let the Spirit cry in all his soldiers, "Come!"  
till Christ the Lord, descends from high  
and takes the conquerors home.

**Benediction**  
**Postlude**

**Universal Praise - I. Watts**

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