# Order of Worship

10:30 AM Lord's Day Worship, November 26, 2023

#### Prelude & Welcome

#### Call to Worship

(Liturgist) Give thanks to the Lord who is good

#### (Congregation) God's love is everlasting

(Liturgist) Come, let us praise God joyfully

#### (Congregation) Let us come to God with thanksgiving

(Liturgist) For the good world; for things great and small, beautiful and awesome; for seen and unseen splendors

#### (Congregation) We thank you, Lord God

(Liturgist) For your Holy Spirit, who guides our steps and brings us gifts into faith and love; who prays in us and prompts our grateful worship

#### (Congregation) We praise you, Lord God

(Liturgist) For Your Son, Jesus Christ, who lived and died and lives again for our salvation; for our hope in Him; and for the joy of serving Him

# (Congregation) We thank and praise you, Eternal God, for all your goodness to us

(Liturgist) Give thanks to the Lord, who is good

#### (Congregation) God's love is everlasting

From "The Book of Common Worship"

#### **Opening Prayer**

\*Sharing of God's Peace

\*Opening Songs of Praise: PH #431 All Creatures of our God and King

PH #432 For the Beauty of the Earth

#### Thanksgiving Reflection, Prayer, and Testimony

#### LUYH #358 Give Thanks

PH #454 Now Thank We All Our God

Message: "Lavish Gratitude" (Spiritual DNA Series) Luke 7:36-38 \*Hymn of Application: <u>PH #556 Great Is Thy Faithfulness</u>

#### Offering & Offertory

Online Giving available via Zelle (<u>admin@cccei.org</u>) & Venmo (@ccceastislip) November Special Offering: Young Life - Long Island

#### \*Doxology: YB #50 My Friends May You Grow In Grace

- \*Benediction
- \*Postlude
- \*Please stand in body or in spirit

#### Today's Scripture | Luke 7:36-38

36 One of the Pharisees asked him to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee's house and reclined at table. 37 And behold, a woman of the city, who was a sinner, when she learned that he was reclining at table in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster flask of ointment, 38 and standing behind him at his feet, weeping, she began to wet his feet with her tears and wiped them with the hair of her head and kissed his feet and anointed them with the ointment.

#### Sermon Notes

#### Announcements

1. [Happy Sunday!] Thanks for joining us in worship! If you're visiting, please fill out a Connection Card so we can welcome you. Please join us for fellowship at our Coffee Hour after worship. (Life Group 4) 2. [Poinsettias] Today is the last day to purchase poinsettias. They are \$6 each & goes to support West Sayville Christian School. If you are interested, please see Gina S. 3. [Advent Decorations] We will be decorating our sanctuary for Advent after worship TODAY. 3. [This Week at CCCEI] 11/26: Coffee Hour Fellowship - Host: Life Group 4 12/2: December Council Meeting 12/3: Coffee Hour Fellowship - Host: Life Group 1 4. [Dates to Remember] 12/10: Communion Sunday & Congregational Meeting 12/12: Ladies' Bible Study Luncheon 12 PM 12/14: Last Thursday Night Prayer for the year

12/16: Men's Bible Study Breakfast 7 AM

12/17: Church Christmas Party & Gift Exchange 12/24: Christmas Eve Worship Service 10:30 AM

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"Lavish Gratitude" (Spiritual DNA Series)

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# My Friends May You Grow In Grace Yellow Book #50, CCLI #3140875

Verse My frion

My friends, may you grow in grace, And in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior. My friends, may you grow in grace, And in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior.

To God be the glory, now and forever. Now and forever, Amen. To God be the glory, now and forever. Now and forever, Amen. **Repeat** 

# Now Thank We All Our God Psalter Hymnal #454, CCLI #3140875 Verse 1

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices, Who wondrous things has done, in whom his world rejoices; Who from our mothers' arms has blessed us on our way With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

#### Verse 2

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us, With ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us, To keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed, And free us from all ills of this world in the next.

#### Verse 3

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given, The Son and Spirit blest, who reign in highest heaven The one eternal God, whom heaven and earth adore; For thus it was, is now, and shall be ever more.

# **Great Is Thy Faithfulness** Psalter Hymanl #556, CCLI #3140875 Verse 1

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.

### Refrain

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!

## Verse 2

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. *Refrain* 

# Verse 3

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow – blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain* 

# Give Thanks LUYH #358, CCLI #3140875 Chorus

Give thanks with a grateful heart Give thanks to the Holy One Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son **Verse** And now let the weak say I am strong Let the poor say I am rich Because of what the lord has done - For us - Give thanks

# For the Beauty of the Earth Psalter Hymnal #432, CCLI #3140875

# Verse 1

For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies, For the love which from our birth over and around us lies,

# Refrain

Christ, our Lord to you we raise this, our hymn of grateful praise.

# Verse 2

For the wonder of each hour of the day and of the night, Hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light, *Refrain* 

# Verse 3

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child, Friends on earth, and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild, *Refrain* 

# Verse 4

For yourself, best gift divine, to the world so freely given, agent of God's grand design:

peace on earth and joy in heaven. *Refrain* 

# All Creatures of our God and King Psalter Hymnal #431 CCLI #3140875

#### Verse 1

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice with us and sing: alleluia, alleluia! O burning sun with golden beam, and shining moon with silver gleam, O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, Alleluia!

# Verse 2

O rushing wind so wild and strong, white clouds that sail in heaven along, alleluia, alleluia! New rising dawn, in praise rejoice; you lights of evening, find a voice: O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, Alleluia!

# Verse 3

Cool flowing water, pure and clear, Make music for your Lord to hear; alleluia, alleluia! Fierce fire, so masterful and bright, providing us with warmth and light, O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, Alleluia!

# Verse 4

Earth ever fertile, day by day Bring forth your blessings on your way; alleluia, alleluia! All flowers and fruits that in you grow, let them his glory also show; O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

# Verse 5

People and nations, take your part; Sing praise to God with all your heart: alleluia, alleluia! Let all things their Creator bless and worship him in lowliness O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, Alleluia!