Prelude | Consider the Lilies (Joel Hemphill)

Welcome | Rev. Andrew Field

Call to Worship | Psalm 92

Leader: You make me glad by your deeds, O Lord; I sing for joy at the works of your hands.

All: How great are your works, O Lord, how profound your thoughts!

Leader: You, O Lord, are exalted forever.

All: The Lord is upright; he is my Rock, and there is no wickedness in him.

**Song of Praise** | 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 [chorus]

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 [chorus]

Song of Praise | I Could Sing Of Your Love Forever

Over the mountains and the sea Your river runs with love for me And I will open up my heart and let the Healer set me free I'm happy to be in the truth and I will daily lift my hands For I will always sing of when Your love came down

I could sing of Your love forever; I could sing of Your love forever I could sing of Your love forever; I could sing of Your love forever

Bridge: Oh I feel like dancing; It's foolishness I know

But when the world has seen the light they will dance with joy like we're dancing now [chorus]

Prayer of Adoration (concluded by 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. 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.

# **Doxology**

All ye who are of tender heart, forgiving others take your part. O praise him Alleluia Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, praise God and on him cast your care O praise him O praise him Alleluia Alleluia Alleluia

Let all things their creator bless and worship him with humbleness. O praise him, Alleluia Praise praise the Father praise the Son and praise the spirit Three in One O praise him O praise him Alleluia Alleluia Alleluia

#### Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Leader: Merciful Father, we have sinned against you In thought, word, and deed.

Forgive us the sins of our hearts –

All: For hard-heartedness toward you and our neighbors; for pride, self-absorption, and self-pity. Holy Father, give us grace to be transformed into your likeness and to live wholly for your glory.

Leader: Forgive us the sins of our tongues -

All: For deception and untruthfulness; for resentment, coldness, impatience, and tempers out of

control.

Leader: Forgive us for the sins of our eyes —

All: For impurity in our glances and imagination; for pining after more beauty, comfort, status, and

wealth than you have given us.

#### Words of Encouragement | Hebrews 7:26-27

Such a high priest meets our need—one who is holy, blameless, pure, set apart from sinners, exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he does not need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for the sins of the people. He sacrificed for their sins once for all when he offered himself.

#### Song of Praise | In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found He is my light my strength my song This Cornerstone this solid Ground firm through the fiercest drought and storm What heights of love what depths of peace; when fears are stilled when strivings cease My Comforter my All in All; Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone who took on flesh fullness of God in helpless babe This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones He came to save Till on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied For every sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay, light of the world by darkness slain Then bursting forth in glorious Day up from the grave He rose again And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me For I am His and He is mine bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death this is the power of Christ in me From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny No power of hell no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand Till He returns or calls me home here in the power of Christ I'll stand

## **Prayers of the People**

Greeting & Announcement | RSVP for Vision Sunday on Sep 12: westside.redeemer.com/vision

### Scripture Reading | Psalm 99

<sup>1</sup>The Lord reigns,

let the nations tremble:

he sits enthroned between the cherubim,

let the earth shake.

<sup>2</sup> Great is the Lord in Zion;

he is exalted over all the nations.

<sup>3</sup> Let them praise your great and awesome name he is holy

he is holy.

<sup>4</sup> The King is mighty, he loves justice you have established equity;

in Jacob you have done

\_what is just and right.

<sup>5</sup> Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his footstool;

he is holy.

<sup>6</sup> Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel was among those who called on his name;

they called on the Lord

and he answered them.

<sup>7</sup> He spoke to them from the pillar of cloud; they kept his statutes and the decrees he gave them.

<sup>8</sup>Lord our God,

you answered them;

you were to Israel a forgiving God,

though you punished their misdeeds.[a]

<sup>9</sup> Exalt the Lord our God

and worship at his holy mountain, for the Lord our God is holy.

**Sermon** | He Answered Them preached by Rev. Andrew Field

Closing Song | Psalm 23: Surely Goodness Mercy

The Lord is my shepherd I shall not want in green pastures He makes me lie down He restores my soul and leads me on for His name for His great name

Surely goodness surely mercy; Right beside me all my days And I will dwell in Your house forever and bless Your holy name

You prepare a table right before me in the presence of my enemies

Though the arrow flies and the terror of night is at my door I'll trust You Lord [chorus]

And even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil

And even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death You are on my side [chorus]

### **Benediction & Dismissal**

Minister: Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

All: Thanks be to God!

Postlude | I Could Sing of Your Love Forever (Martin Smith)