
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, August 26, 2018, at 9:30AM

Pastor: Rev. Dave Poolman

Ministers: Every Member

GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD

*Gathering Song: "Thrive" Insert
(*Please stand if you are able.)

*God Greet Us - We Greet Each Other

*Call to Worship (based on Exodus 15:26; Isaiah 6:10):

God invites us into His healing presence with these words:
"I am the Lord, who heals you."

**Diseased, depressed, dysfunctional, defeated,
we come hungering for health that only God can provide.**

God calls us to bring open eyes, hearing ears,
and tender hearts turned toward Him, the Great Physician.

We bow before Him in faith and expectancy!

*Songs of Praise: "Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness" Burgundy 293
"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" Insert

HUMBLING OURSELVES IN CONFESSION RECEIVING JOY IN GOD'S PARDON

Prayer of Confession:

For the times we have lied to one another
and the times we have been lied to,

heal us, Jesus, Savior of the world.

For the times we have laughed at another's pain
and the times we have been laughed at,

heal us, Jesus, Savior of the world.

For the times we have spoken when we should have remained silent
and the times we have remained silent when we should have spoken,
heal us, Jesus, Savior of the world.

For the times we have not respected another's freedom
to be different from us,

heal us, Jesus, Savior of the world.

For the times we have betrayed a friend
and the times we have been betrayed,

heal us, Jesus, Savior of the world.

**O God of heaven and earth,
you emptied yourself of your power
and became a helpless baby**

in order that you might heal the sick world.

**Teach us to empty ourselves of the things
that destroy us and keep us alone.**

Empty us of our jealousy,

of our meanness,

of our fear of others.

For Jesus' sake. Amen.

Song: "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" Burgundy 591

Words of Assurance (from Isaiah 53:4-6):

Surely He has borne our infirmities
and carried our diseases;

yet we accounted Him stricken,
struck down by God, and afflicted.

But He was wounded for our transgressions,
crushed for our iniquities;

upon Him was the punishment that made us whole,
and by His bruises we are healed.

All we like sheep have gone astray;
we have all turned to our own way,

and the LORD has laid on Him
the iniquity of us all.

Offering Our Gifts: "More Than Anything"
Avery Street General Fund

HEARING AND RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Understanding

Elder Ed VanderLeest

Children's Message

Pastor Mike Sullivan

(Children ages 4 through 2nd grade are dismissed out the side door to Children's Worship in Room A)

Scriptures:

Psalms 6:2-4

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Jeremiah 3:21-22a

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Exodus 15:26b

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Matthew 4:23

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1 Peter 2:24

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MESSAGE:

"God Is Healer"

Pastor Mike Sullivan

"I Shall Not Want"

Julie Sullivan

*Song of Response:

"Healer"

Verse

You hold my every moment,
You calm my raging seas.
You walk with me through fire
And heal all my disease.
I trust in You; I trust in You.

Bridge

Nothing is impossible for You,
Nothing is impossible.
Nothing is impossible for You.
You hold my world in Your hands.

Chorus

I believe You're my healer.
I believe You are all I need.
I believe You're my portion,
I believe You're more than enough for me.
Jesus, You're all I need.

Ending

More than enough for me,
Jesus, You're all I need.

Praying Together

GOING TO SERVE AS JESUS' OBEDIENT DISCIPLES

*God's Blessing

*Parting Song:

I Believe in Jesus"

Insert

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Accompanist: Praise Team

“Thrive”

Intro
Oh, Oh

Verse 1
Here in this worn and weary land
Where many a dream has died,
Like a tree planted by the water,
We never will run dry.

Pre-Chorus
So living water flowing through,
God we thirst for more of You.
Fill our hearts and flood our souls
With one desire.

Chorus
Just to know You and to make You known
We lift Your name on high.
Shine like the sun,
make darkness run and hide
We know we were made for so much more
Than ordinary lives.
It's time for us to more than just survive;
We were made to thrive.

Intro

Verse 2
Into Your Word we're digging deep
To know our Father's heart.
Into the world we're reaching out
To show them who You are.

Pre-Chorus, Chorus

Bridge
Joy unspeakable
Faith unsinkable
Love unstoppable
Anything is possible
(REPEAT 3X)

Chorus

Ending
Oh oh
Oh oh
We were made to thrive.

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

O for a thousand tongues to sing
My great Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King,
The triumph of His grace!

My gracious Master and my God,
Assist me to proclaim,
To spread through all the earth abroad,
The honors of Thy name.

Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
That bids our sorrows cease;
'Tis music in the sinner's ears;
'Tis life, and health, and peace.

Hear Him, you deaf; you voiceless ones,
your loosened tongues employ;
you blind, behold your Savior come;
and leap, you lame, for joy!

He breaks the power of canceled sin;
He sets the prisoner free.
His blood can make the foulest clean;
His blood avails for me.

Sing your praise to the Lord all the earth.
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Sing your praise to the Lord all the earth.

“I Believe in Jesus”

I believe in Jesus;
I believe He is the Son of God.
I believe He died and rose again;
I believe He paid for us all.

And I believe He's here now,
Standing in our midst
Here with the power to heal now
And the grace to forgive.