

# Hope Chapel Greensboro – February 28, 2010

**CALLED BY GOD**

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## **Welcome & Call to Worship**

Ascribe to the LORD, O mighty ones,  
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

**Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;  
worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness.**

**The voice of the LORD is over the waters;  
the God of glory thunders,  
the LORD thunders over the mighty waters.**

Psalm 29:1-3

## **Songs of Praise**

### **How Great Thou Art**

Oh Lord my God when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made.  
I see the stars. I hear the rolling thunder.  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

*Then sings my soul my Savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art. How great Thou art.  
Then sings my soul my Savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art. How great Thou art.*

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing  
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
To take me home what joy shall fill my heart.  
And I shall bow in humble adoration  
And there proclaim my God how great Thou art.

## How Great Is Our God

The splendor of a King, clothed in majesty,  
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.  
He wraps himself in light, and darkness tries to hide,  
And trembles at his voice, and trembles at his voice.

How great is our God, sing with me,  
How great is our God, and all will see  
How great, How great is our God.

Age to age he stands and time is in His Hands,  
Beginning and the End, beginning and the End.  
The Godhead, Three in one; Father, Spirit, Son,  
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

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### Call to Confession

For to us a child is born,  
to us a son is given,  
and the government will be on his shoulders.  
And he will be called  
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,  
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 9:6

### Corporate Confession of Sin

Wonderful Counselor, we admit we pursue rival wonders  
and replacement counselors.

**Forgive us of our rejection of your good counsel.**

*Silence*

Mighty God, we acknowledge we wrongly view You  
as weak and ourselves as mighty.

**Forgive us of our rejection of your strength.**

*Silence*

Everlasting Father, we confess we act like unwanted  
orphans rather than loved children.

**Forgive us for our rejection of your fatherhood.**

*Silence*

Prince of Peace, we own the fact we are often at war with You,  
ourselves, and others.

**Forgive us of our rejection of your reign of peace.**

*Silence*

## **Assurance of Forgiveness**

"But you, O Israel, my servant,  
Jacob, whom I have chosen,  
you descendants of Abraham my friend,

I took you from the ends of the earth,  
from its farthest corners I called you.  
I said, 'You are my servant';  
I have chosen you and have not rejected you.

So do not fear, for I am with you;  
do not be dismayed, for I am your God.  
I will strengthen you and help you;  
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.

Isaiah 41:8-10

## **CELEBRATING GOD**

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### **Amazing Love**

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken,  
I'm accepted, You were condemned.  
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me  
Because You died and rose again.

*Amazing love, how can it be  
That You my King would die for me.  
Amazing love, I know it's true,  
It's my joy to honor You.  
In all I do I honor You*

You are my King, You are my King,  
Jesus, You are my King,  
Jesus, You are my King.

## **'Tis So Sweet**

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, and to take Him at His Word;  
Just to rest upon His promise, and to know, "Thus says the Lord!"

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him!  
*How I've proved Him o'er and o'er*  
*Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus!*  
*O for grace to trust Him more!*

O how sweet to trust in Jesus, just to trust His cleansing blood;  
And in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood!

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus, just from sin and self to cease;  
Just from Jesus simply taking life and rest, and joy and peace.

## **To You Alone**

Lost and stranded, empty handed,  
Broken down and all alone.  
Your mercy it entered into darkness  
And enfolded us in love.

We give You all we are for the glory of Your Name,  
We give all we are for Your praise.

*Let the earth come to life in the light of heaven's glow,*  
*And the streets sound with joy as the shackles lose their hold.*  
*You laid down Your life for one and all,*  
*So we give all we are to You alone.*

Just a glimmer of Your glory  
And the earth falls to its knees.  
You level the mountains with a whisper  
And You calm the raging seas.

This means freedom for the captive  
And good news for those in need.  
Your message is justice and compassion  
God of love and Prince of Peace.

With one voice we sing hallelujah,  
All the earth cry out hallelujah,  
With the angels sing hallelujah,  
Jesus Christ is King.

## Scripture Reading

<sup>1</sup>When he had finished praying, Jesus left with his disciples and crossed the Kidron Valley. On the other side there was an olive grove, and he and his disciples went into it.

<sup>2</sup>Now Judas, who betrayed him, knew the place, because Jesus had often met there with his disciples. <sup>3</sup>So Judas came to the grove, guiding a detachment of soldiers and some officials from the chief priests and Pharisees. They were carrying torches, lanterns and weapons.

<sup>4</sup>Jesus, knowing all that was going to happen to him, went out and asked them, "Who is it you want?"

<sup>5</sup>"Jesus of Nazareth," they replied.

"I am he," Jesus said. (And Judas the traitor was standing there with them.)  
<sup>6</sup>When Jesus said, "I am he," they drew back and fell to the ground.

<sup>7</sup>Again he asked them, "Who is it you want?"  
And they said, "Jesus of Nazareth."

<sup>8</sup>"I told you that I am he," Jesus answered. "If you are looking for me, then let these men go." <sup>9</sup>This happened so that the words he had spoken would be fulfilled: "I have not lost one of those you gave me."

<sup>10</sup>Then Simon Peter, who had a sword, drew it and struck the high priest's servant, cutting off his right ear. (The servant's name was Malchus.)

<sup>11</sup>Jesus commanded Peter, "Put your sword away! Shall I not drink the cup the Father has given me?"

<sup>12</sup>Then the detachment of soldiers with its commander and the Jewish officials arrested Jesus. They bound him <sup>13</sup>and brought him first to Annas, who was the father-in-law of Caiaphas, the high priest that year. <sup>14</sup>Caiaphas was the one who had advised the Jews that it would be good if one man died for the people.

John 12:12-36

**Sermon-** Todd Jones

The Passion of Christ || The Betrayal

## **Offering**

## **Song of Response**

### **How Deep the Father's Love**

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure,  
That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.

Behold the man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders.  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.  
It was His love that held Him there until it was accomplished.  
His dying breath has brought me life, I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything; no gifts, no power, no wisdom.  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer;  
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.

## Sending Song

### You Never Let Go

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
Your perfect love is casting out fear.  
And even when I'm caught in the middle of the storms of this life,  
I won't turn back, I know You are near.

And I will fear no evil, for my God is with me.  
And if my God is with me, whom then shall I fear?  
Whom then shall I fear?

*Oh no, You never let go,  
Through the calm and through the storm.  
Oh no, You never let go,  
In every high and every low.  
Oh no, You never let go,  
Lord, You never let go of me.*

And I can see a light that is coming for the heart that holds on;  
A glorious light beyond all compare.  
And there will be an end to these troubles,  
But until that day comes,  
We'll live to know You here on the earth.

## Community Life

### Blessing & Sending

**Leader:** May God the Father, who does not despise the broken spirit,  
give you a contrite heart.  
May Christ, who bore our sins in his body on the tree,  
heal you by his wounds.  
May the Holy Spirit, who leads us into all truth,  
speak to you words of pardon and peace.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God!**

## **Leading in Worship Today**

Todd Jones, lead pastor  
Michael Van Patter, director of worship arts  
Ryan Bowles, bass  
Francie Dorich, acoustic guitar, vocals  
Dana Northrup, vocals  
John Preston, drums  
Charlie Swing, electric guitar

### **Song Information**

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How Great Thou Art—Carl Boberg (1885), Swedish folk melody  
How Great Is Our God—Chris Tomlin (2003)  
Amazing Love—Billy Foote (1996)  
'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus—Louisa Stead (1882), William Kirkpatrick (b. 1838)  
To You Alone—Joel Houston, Matt Crocker (2009)  
How Deep the Father's Love For Us—Stuart Townend (1995)  
You Never Let Go—Matt Redman, Beth Redman (2005)