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## **Order of Worship**

2 July 2023 - Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

# We Gather to Worship God

Welcome & Call to Worship

Leader: We gather today as free people who come to worship God.

People: May God continue to call us to be his hands and feet in our world.

Leader: We draw near to our God who rules over all nations.

People: May God continue to bless our country and all the countries in the world.

Leader: We seek to live in peace and love, evidence of our faith in Jesus, who has even overcome death.

People: May God continue to establish peace on earth and help us understand that it begins in our hearts, as we belong to him.

Leader: Come, let us worship the Lord!

All: Come, let us worship the Lord and sing in great praise how he reigns!

Worship in Song

## We Listen to the Word

Prayer Sermon: "Belong"

## We Come to the Table

The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song
Prayer

# We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life/Gossiping the Good Stuff
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

#### God So Loved

#### Verse 1

Come all you weary
Come all you thirsty
Come to the well
That never runs dry
Drink of the water
Come and thirst no more

#### Verse 2

Come all you sinners
Come find His mercy
Come to the table
He will satisfy
Taste of His goodness
Find what you're looking
for

#### Chorus 1

For God so loved
The world that He gave us
His one and only Son
To save us
Whoever believes in Him
Will live forever

#### Verse 3

Bring all your failures
Bring your addictions
Come lay them down at
the foot of the cross
Jesus is waiting there
With open arms

#### Chorus 2

For God so loved the world that He gave us His one and only Son To save us Whoever believes in Him Will live forever The power of hell Forever defeated Now it is well I'm walking in freedom For God so loved God so loved the world

#### **Bridge**

Praise God, praise God From whom all Blessings flow Praise Him, praise Him For the wonders of His love

#### Verse 4

Bring all your failures
Bring your addictions
Come lay them down
At the foot of the cross
Jesus is waiting
God so loved the world

#### In Christ Alone

#### Verse 1

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

#### Verse 2

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 love of God exemplified
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of
Christ I live

#### Verse 3

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

#### Verse 4

No quilt 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

## All Who Are Thirsty

#### Verse

All who are thirsty
All who are weak
Come to the fountain
Dip your heart in
The stream of life
Let the pain and the sorrow
Be washed away
In the waves of His mercy
As deep cries out to deep
(We sing)

#### Chorus 1

Come Lord Jesus come Come Lord Jesus come Come Lord Jesus come Come Lord Jesus come

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Come Lord Jesus come Come Lord Jesus come Come Lord Jesus come Come Lord Jesus come

#### Chorus 2

Holy Spirit come Holy Spirit come Holy Spirit come Holy Spirit come

# **Belong**

### **Pastor Kris Beckert**

# Have you ever been somewhere you felt you didn't belong?

I. The Church's	s Usual Order o	of Belonging:			
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II. Jesus' Orde	r of Belonging	:			
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A. Start with	Belonging				
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13 But go and learn what this means: 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have not

 Jesus invited Matthew, a despised tax collector, to belong

The Order of Belonging:

come to call the

righteous, but sinners."

• The religious leaders opposed Jesus because

#### **B.** Move to Becoming

Luke 9:1-2 When Jesus had called the Twelve together, he gave them power and authority to drive out all demons and to cure diseases, <sup>2</sup> and he sent them out to proclaim the kingdom of God and to heal the sick.

- Jesus challenged the disciples to begin a new way of life
- The disciples began to practice what Jesus did

### C. Then begin Believing

Luke 9:18-20. Once when Jesus was praying in private and his disciples were with him, he asked them, "Who do the crowds say I am?" <sup>19</sup> They

replied, "Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah; and still others, that one of the prophets of long ago has come back to life." <sup>20</sup> "But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" Peter answered, "God's Messiah."

- It wasn't until perhaps years after following Jesus that the disciples [somewhat] believed who he was
- Jesus gives time to wrestle and wonder

Big Idea:				
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## 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 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, the power and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

## **Belong**

#### Verse 1

When grace like a fetter comes flowing down
My faith is wholly bound
Oh Lord, I belong here among the crowd,
Be lost but know I'm found

#### Chorus

At the Table
There is peace and love
At the Table
We lay our burdens down
At the Table we are joined
With the Lord of Hosts
Be Here, Be Loved, Belong

#### Verse 2

We are changed when we See Christ's truth profound We invite the hungry around Humbly sharing With those who have found This sacred place Where love abounds

#### Verse 3

All our sins were forgiven
On Calvary
Our God we humbly bow
Cause your love
Is much greater
Than on earth be found
Your love it knows no bounds

#### Chorus

At the Table
There is peace and love
At the Table
We lay our burdens down
At the Table we are joined
With the Lord of Hosts
So Be Here, Be Loved, belong
Be Here, Be Loved, Belong

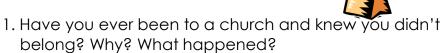
#### **Bridge**

Be here, Be well
Be loved, Belong
Be here, Be well
Be loved, Belong
Be here, Be well,
Be here, Be loved, Belong

## Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise him all creatures here below, Praise him above ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## Doggy Bag-Some questions to chew on:



- 2. Why do you think the order of belonging mattered so much to Jesus? Why do you think it mattered so much to Matthew and others who followed Jesus? Why should it matter to us?
- 3. Why is it important to remember that the disciples' journey with Jesus involved trying out, wrestling with, and stepping into a new way of life? How has Jesus changed your life?
- 4. In your own journey, how did you come to belief in Jesus (or if you don't consider yourself a Christian, what has kept you open)? How have your beliefs changed over time? What has impacted your beliefs?
- 5. How can you be intentional about helping others feel like they belong, especially those different from you? Who has God placed in your life that needs an invitation—to church, to a meal, to a group?



