

Fruitland and Payette United Methodist Churches

September 20, 2020

Prelude: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring"

Welcome and Announcements

Welcoming the Light of Christ – please light a candle

Interlude: "The Angel of the Twilight" Fredric Lacey

Ringing the Church Bell

Call To Worship:

Responsive Reading from Psalm 145:1-3 and 8

Leader: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

People: Every day I will bless you, and praise your name forever and ever.

Leader: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable.

All: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Chorus "Great Is the Lord" TFWS #2022

Refrain

**Great is the Lord, he is holy and just;
by his power we trust in his love.
Great is the Lord, he is faithful and true;
by his mercy he proves his love.**

**Great is the Lord and worthy of glory!
Great is the Lord and worthy of praise.
Great is the Lord; now lift up his voice, now lift up his voice;
Great is the Lord! Great is the Lord!**

Refrain

**Great are you Lord and worthy of glory!
Great are you Lord, and worthy of praise.
Great are you Lord; I lift up my voice, I lift up my voice:
Great are you, Lord!
Great are you Lord!**

Unison Invocation

**Gracious God,
What else can we do but keep coming to you, even when we
feel alone? What else can we do but sing when we feel afraid?
What else can we do but pray when we feel lost?
So, we pray, sing, and come to you in the name of Jesus.
Amen.**

Hymn

“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

UMH #382

**Have thine own way, Lord!
Have thine own way!
Thou art the potter; I am the clay.
Mold me and make me, after thy will,
While I am waiting, yielded and still.**

**Have thine own way Lord!
Have thine own way!
Wounded and weary, help me I pray!
Power, all power, surely is thine!
Touch me and heal me, Savior divine!**

**Have thine own way, Lord!
Have thine own way!
Hold o’er my being absolute sway.
Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see
Christ only, always, living in me!**

Prayers of the People

Message

“That’s Not Fair –It’s Grace”

Matthew 20:1-16

Hymn

“Amazing Grace”

UMH #378

**Amazing grace!
How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found;
Was blind, but now I see.**

**‘Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.**

**Through many dangers, toils and snares, I have already come;
‘tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.**

Stewardship Moment

Benediction

**May the peace of the Lord Jesus go with you
wherever he may send you.
May he guide you through the wilderness,
protect you through the storm.
May he bring you home rejoicing
at the wonders he has shown you.
May he bring you home rejoicing once again into our doors**

Postlude

“Postlude”

Carl Kern

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