



Opening Song

This is Amazing

Grace

1. Who breaks the power of sin and darkness, whose love is mighty and so much stronger?
The King of glory, the King above all kings.
2. Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder and leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?
The King of glory, the King above all kings.

Chorus

*This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love, that You would take my place,
That You would bear my cross. You laid down Your life that I would be set free.
Oh, Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me.*

3. Who brings our chaos back into order, who makes the orphan a son and daughter?
The King of glory, the King of glory.
4. Who rules the nations with truth and justice, shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?
The King of glory, the King above all kings.

Bridge (4x)

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain! Worthy is the King who conquered the grave!

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Welcome and Announcements

- **Welcome Visitors!** Please fill out the visitors' card from the pew rack in front of you and place it in an offering plate near the exits of the sanctuary.
- **Coffee Café:** Join us for refreshments and fellowship in the Friendship Hall after worship today.
- **Nursery Care** is available for children age 3 & under throughout the worship service.
- **Sunday School:** for age 4 – grade 12 begins after Children's Time.
- **GriefShare:** will begin its next 13-week session on Tuesday, March 10th from 6 to 7:30 pm. If you are dealing with the loss of a loved one or know someone who is and would like to attend, you can find the registration link under the Events tab on our website: rppcusa.org.
- **Souper Bowl of Caring:**
 - After worship next Sunday, we will be collecting money for the Souper Bowl of Caring, a nation-wide hunger relief effort. All donations will benefit the Ridley Park Food Pantry.
 - The food pantry is seeking volunteers to collect food from homes in local neighborhoods on Saturday. To volunteer, sign up using the link found on the events page on our website.

- **Youth Group** is meeting twice this month! It will be from 5:30-7:00 in the youth room on February 10th and February 24th."
- **Ukelele Praise:** All children interested in learning to play a praise song on the ukelele for a future worship service, meet in the Nursery between worship services.
- **The Children's Ministry** needs volunteers! If you are interested in helping babies, children, or teens even just once a month, please talk to Hannah.
- **Vacation Bible School Volunteers:** There will be a meeting between services in the youth room TODAY for anyone interested in VBS. If you can't make the meeting, please let Hannah know that you are interested in volunteering.
- **Women's Bible Study** meets Thursdays from 6:30 – 8pm and is studying "The Armor of God" by Priscilla Shirer. Sign up at <https://bit.ly/RPPC-ArmorofGod> where you will also find information on ordering the book. We hope you'll join us -- even if you haven't signed up!
- **Men's Bible Study** meets on Thursdays from 6:30 – 8 pm in the church parlor. They are studying the book of Revelation. All men are invited!
- **Annual Meeting:** RPPC's annual meeting of the congregation and corporation will be held Sunday, February 15 between services. Annual Report booklets will be emailed this week with hard copies available next Sunday.

Opening Prayer

Song

The Cross

1. You've been trying hard to bear the weight of all your shame,
And if there's a God up there, you're sure He forgot your name.
When your steps are getting heavy and hope looks all but lost, just bring it all to the cross.
2. Who told you grace can't reach the messed up ones like you?
Has the devil made you believe the lies he tells are true?
When you're sure that you're the one who's wandered too far off,
It's not too late; just come home to the cross.

Chorus

*Come and see a Savior's love that would die to make you new.
Nothing you have ever done can change what mercy's done for you.
And if you ever wonder if you're worth so great a cost, look up and see the cross.*

3. Everybody's got a list at least a mile long of every scar and every sin
From everywhere that we've gone wrong. But there's reason for rejoicing,
And the reason is because that list was nailed to the cross. *(Repeat Chorus)*
4. He was wounded for your wounds, pierced for all your sin. By His stripes you are healed;
Died so you could rise again. He let the blood and water flow
And did it all to let you know, you're the one that He went to the cross.
Oh, He's calling you to run home to the cross. *(Repeat Chorus)*

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Song

This Changes Everything

1. The God of creation took our place; the God of redemption opened the way.
The day You gave Your life a failure in our eyes;
But the stone it rolled away, as you walked out of that grave.

Chorus

*Let this place erupt with praise. Why do you look for the living
Among the graves? Jesus lives! All the earth sing out.*

The power of death has been broken and this changes everything.

2. The God of perfection became sin; the God of salvation changed everything.
The day You gave Your life seemed a failure in our eyes;
But the stone, rolled away, as You walked out of that grave.

Chorus

*Let this place erupt with praise. Why do you look for the living
Among the graves? Jesus lives! All the earth sing out.*

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Bridge

Because You live our hope begins. Because You live our song will never end.

Because You live now we can live. This changes everything, this changes everything.

Repeat Chorus

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Children's Time

Dyana Cannon

Unison Prayer of Confession

Wayside Presbyterian (adapted)

Our Father, forgive our sins. Forgive the sins that we remember, and the sins we have forgotten. Forgive our many failures in the face of temptation, and those times when we have been stubborn in the face of correction. Forgive the harsh judgments we have made of others, and the leniency we have shown to ourselves. Forgive the lies we have told to others, and the truths we have avoided. Forgive us the pain we have caused others and the indulgence we have shown ourselves. Lord God, have mercy on us and make us whole. *(Silent Prayers of Confession)*

Assurance of God's Forgiveness

Song

Gratitude

1. All my words fall short; I got nothing new. How could I express all my gratitude?
2. I could sing these songs, as I often do, But every song must end and You never do.

Chorus

So I throw up my hands and praise You again and again,

'Cause all that I have is a hallelujah, hallelujah.

And I know it's not much, but I've nothing else fit for a king

Except for a heart singing, "Hallelujah, hallelujah."

3. I've got one response, I've got just one move: With my arms stretched wide I will worship you.

Chorus 2

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is a hallelujah, hallelujah. And I know it's not much,

But I've nothing else fit for a king except for a heart singing, "Hallelujah, hallelujah."

Bridge (3x)

Come on, my soul, oh, don't you get shy on me. Lift up your song,

'Cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs. Get up and praise the Lord.

Repeat Chorus

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Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Mark 13:31-35, 44-46

³¹ He told them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed, which a man took and planted in his field. ³² Though it is the smallest of all seeds, yet when it grows, it is the largest of garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds come and perch in its branches."

³³ He told them still another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed into about sixty pounds of flour until it worked all through the dough."

³⁴ Jesus spoke all these things to the crowd in parables; he did not say anything to them without using a parable. ³⁵ So was fulfilled what was spoken through the prophet:

"I will open my mouth in parables,

I will utter things hidden since the creation of the world."

⁴⁴ "The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field.

⁴⁵ "Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant looking for fine pearls. ⁴⁶ When he found one of great value, he went away and sold everything he had and bought it.

Sermon: What's it Worth to You?

Pastor Jim

Communion Prayer

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Song During Communion (solo)

Hold On To Me

1. When the best of me is barely breathin', when I'm not somebody I believe in, hold on to me.
When I miss the light the night has stolen, when I'm slammin' all the doors You've opened,
Hold on to me.

Chorus

*Hold on to me when it's too dark to see You, when I am sure I have reached the end.
Hold on to me when I forget I need You. When I let go, hold me again.*

2. When I don't feel like I'm worth defending, when I'm tired of all my pretending hold on to me.
When I start to break in desperation, underneath the weight of expectation
Hold on to me. Hold on to me.

Repeat Chorus

Ending

I could rest here in Your arms forever, 'cause I know nobody loves me better.
Hold on to me. Hold on to me.

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Benediction

Closing Chorus

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