



🎵Prelude

🎵**Invocation:** In the name of the Father, Son and the Holy Spirit, we worship together on this Sunday Morning.

For Chinese Pinyin lyrics, please scan:



† 耶穌我君王 **Jesus, You Are My King**

♪ *Jesus, You're my King.

You give me Your strength
I will come before You daily
and draw strength from You* x2

♪ Jesus my Lord, I lift up my hands
and give You praise
With my whole heart bow down before You
I raise my voice proclaiming Your name
I will worship You, adore You all my days

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The Lord has Done Great Things for us

♪ (Come rejoice for the Lord has done great things for us)

He gave us clouds as covering
and fire to give us light ()
In the desert He has made a river flow
We will celebrate and declare of His works
For He is our help; we can do mighty things

♪ We will sing and praise, shout with joy
To tell of His great works
For He is our help; we can do mighty things

♪ () He calmed the storm to whisper
and stilled the raging sea ()
He has satisfied our hearts with His good things

♪ He brings out His people with songs of Joy
He will take us into His promise lands*2

† 我的力量我的山寨 **My Strength, My Fortress**

♪ [Jehovah my Lord, my strength (I love You)x2] *2

♪ You are my rock, oh Lord. And my fortress
You are the rock for me. And are my shield

♪ Jehovah my Lord, my strength (I love You)x2

🎵Responsive Reading: **Psalm 146:5-10**

5 Blessed are those whose help is the God of Jacob,
whose hope is in the Lord their God.

6 He is the Maker of heaven and earth, the sea, and
everything in them—he remains faithful forever.

7 He upholds the cause of the oppressed and gives
food to the hungry. The Lord sets prisoners free,

8 the Lord gives sight to the blind, the Lord lifts up
those who are bowed down, the Lord loves the
righteous.

9 The Lord watches over the foreigner and sustains
the fatherless and the widow, but he frustrates the
ways of the wicked.

10 The Lord reigns forever, your God, O Zion, for all
generations. Praise the Lord.

🎵Praise

† 祢真偉大 **How Great Thou Art**

♪ O 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.) *2

♪ When through the woods,
and forest glades I wander,
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees.
When I look down, from lofty mountain grandeur
And see the brook, and feel the gentle breeze.

♪ (Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art, How great Thou art.) *2

♪ 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.

♪ (Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art, How great Thou art.) *2

♪ When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.

Then I shall bow, in humble adoration,
And then proclaim: "My God, how great Thou art!"

♪ (Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art, How great Thou art.) *2

🎵Special Music

† 詩篇 23 篇 **The 23rd Psalm**

♪ The Lord is my shepherd
I shall not want, I shall not want.

He maketh me, He maketh me
to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside the still waters,
He restoreth my soul; He restoreth my soul;
He leadeth me in the paths righteousness
for His name's sake.

♪ (Yea, tho' I walk thru' the valley,) *3
of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil for Thou art with me;
(Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me,)*2
they comfort me.

♪ Thou preparest a table before me
in the presence of my enemies;
Thou anoinest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
(all the days of my life,) *2
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord
for evermore.

🔊Scripture Reading: Matthew 8:23-34

23 Then he got into the boat and his disciples followed him.

24 Suddenly a furious storm came up on the lake, so that the waves swept over the boat. But Jesus was sleeping.

25 The disciples went and woke him, saying, “Lord, save us! We’re going to drown!”

26 He replied, “You of little faith, why are you so afraid?” Then he got up and rebuked the winds and the waves, and it was completely calm.

27 The men were amazed and asked, “What kind of man is this? Even the winds and the waves obey him!”

28 When he arrived at the other side in the region of the Gadarenes, two demon-possessed men coming from the tombs met him. They were so violent that no one could pass that way.

29 “What do you want with us, Son of God?” they shouted. “Have you come here to torture us before the appointed time?”

30 Some distance from them a large herd of pigs was feeding.

31 The demons begged Jesus, “If you drive us out, send us into the herd of pigs.”

32 He said to them, “Go!” So they came out and went into the pigs, and the whole herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and died in the water.

33 Those tending the pigs ran off, went into the town and reported all this, including what had happened to the demon-possessed men.

34 Then the whole town went out to meet Jesus. And when they saw him, they pleaded with him to leave their region.

🔊Sermon: “The Voice”

--- Pastor Dong

I. Introduction

The sound of the wind makes people afraid.
The sound of people crying out makes others unsettled.
The voice of rebuke surprises us.
The sound of pleading makes people worried.

II. How to think about God

1. The Roar of the Storm

- 1) *Sudden* — it came when no one expected it.
- 2) *Overwhelming* — it was too strong to control.

2. The Cry of the Disciples

- 1) *Calling out* — asking the Lord for help.
- 2) *Crying out* — complaining to the Lord.

3. The Strong Voice of Jesus

- 1) *Correction* — He told the disciples their faith was too small.
- 2) *Command* — He spoke, and the wind and waves became calm.

4. The Pitiful Pleading

- 1) *Wrong request* — the demons begged without knowing their place.
- 2) *Foolish request* — the people begged Jesus to leave their land.

III. Conclusion

The voice of our heart is the echo of life in everyday living.

Even more, it is our spiritual response when we go through trials.

🔊Responsive Hymn

† 倚靠永遠的聖手

Leaning on Everlasting Arms

- ♪ What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
what a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain:

- ♪ Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.
- ♪ O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
leaning on the everlasting arms. (Refrain)
- ♪ What have I to dread, what have I to fear,
leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
leaning on the everlasting arms. (Refrain)

🔊Announcement



🔊The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed by Your name,
Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

🔊Doxology

🔊Benediction

*Today's worship concludes here for now.
Brothers and sisters, please feel free to communicate with one another before dismissing.
Emmanuel, may God bless you all.*