



“God loves human beings. God loves the world.
Not an ideal human, but human beings as they are;
not an ideal world, but the real world.
What we find repulsive in their opposition to God,
what we shrink back from with pain and hostility,
namely, real human beings, the real world,
this is for God the ground of unfathomable love.”

— Dietrich Bonhoeffer

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*Welcome to Cross Sound Church. This page includes some
of the elements of today's worship. It's designed to give you
scriptures, prayers, and thoughts for further reflection
during your week.*

Gathering

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

O soul, are you weary and troubled?
No light in the darkness you see?
There's light for a look at the Savior,
And life more abundant and free!

His Word shall not fail you - He promised;
Believe Him, and all will be well:
Then go to a world that is dying,
His perfect salvation to tell!

CHORUS

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.

Call to Worship

Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be
afraid. The LORD, the LORD, is my strength and my
song; he has become my salvation." With joy you
will draw water from the wells of salvation.

In that day you will say: "Give thanks to the LORD,
call on his name; make known among the nations
what he has done, and proclaim that his name is
exalted. Sing to the LORD, for he has done glorious
things; let this be known to all the world. Shout
aloud and sing for joy, people of Zion, for great is the
Holy One of Israel among you."

— Isaiah 12:2-6

Renewing

Confession of Sin

Abba Father,
I am overwhelmed by the mystery of grace:
That while I am most often unmindful of you,
you are always mindful of me.
That while I am forgetful of Jesus' work on my behalf,
you always remember.
That while I am constantly reminded of my
brokenness and sins,
you, the all-seeing, all-knowing God,
are able to forget them.
I believe, help my unbelief. Amen

Words of Comfort and Assurance of Pardon

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting.
May the God of mercy forgive us all our sins
And by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal
life.

^{All} Amen

Before The Throne of God Above

Before the throne of God above,
I have a strong, a perfect plea,
A great High Priest whose name is "Love,"
Who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands,
My name is written on His heart;
I know that while in heav'n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart.
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair
And tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look and see Him there
Who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died,
My sinful soul is counted free;
For God, the Just, is satisfied
To look on Him and pardon me.
To look on Him and pardon me.

Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise the One, risen Son of God!

Behold Him there! the risen Lamb,
My perfect, spotless Righteousness,
The great unchangeable I AM,
The Kind of glory and of grace!
One with Himself I cannot die,
My soul is purchased by His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high,
With Christ my Savior and my God
With Christ my Savior and my God.

Arise O God And Shine

Arise, O God, and shine in all Thy saving might,
And prosper each design to spread Thy glorious light;
Let healing streams of mercy flow
that all the earth Thy truth may know.

Bring distant nations near to sing Thy glorious praise;
Let every people hear and learn Thy holy ways.
Reign, mighty God, assert Thy cause,
and govern by Thy righteous laws.

Put forth Thy glorious power, that everyone may see
And earth present her store in converts born to Thee.
God, our own God, His Church will bless
and fill the world with righteousness.

To God, the only Wise, the one immortal King,
Let hallelujahs rise from every living thing;
Let all that breathe on every coast praise Father, Son
and Holy Ghost.

Revelation Song

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Holy, holy is He.
Sing a new song to Him who sits on
Heaven's Mercy Seat.

CHORUS:
Holy, Holy, Holy is The Lord, God Almighty.
Who was and is and is to come.
With all creation I sing, "Praise to The King of Kings,
You are my everything. And I will adore You".

Clothed in rainbows, of living color.
Flashes of lightening, rolls of thunder.
Blessing and honor, strength and glory and power be,
To You, the only wise King.

CHORUS

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder,
At the mention of Your Name.
Jesus, Your Name is power, breath and living water.
Such a marvelous mystery.

CHORUS

Hosanna (Praise is Rising)

Praise is rising, eyes are turning to You
We turn to You
Hope is stirring, hearts are yearning for You
We long for You

'Cause when we see You,
We find strength to face the day
And in Your presence
All our fears are washed away, washed away.

Hosanna! Hosanna
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Hosanna! Hosanna!
Come have Your way among us.
We welcome You here, Lord Jesus!

Hear the sound of hearts returning to You
We turn to You
In Your kingdom broken lives are made new
You make all things new

Giving Thanks

Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that
cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship
God acceptably with reverence and awe, for our
"God is a consuming fire."

Series: Room for Everyone**Title: The Changing World****Text: Acts 18:1-4:24-28**

After this, Paul left Athens and went to Corinth. ² There he met a Jew named Aquila, a native of Pontus, who had recently come from Italy with his wife Priscilla, because Claudius had ordered all the Jews to leave Rome. Paul went to see them, ³ and because he was a tentmaker as they were, he stayed and worked with them. ⁴ Every Sabbath he reasoned in the synagogue, trying to persuade Jews and Greeks.

Meanwhile a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was a learned man, with a thorough knowledge of the Scriptures. ²⁵ He had been instructed in the way of the Lord, and he spoke with great fervor and taught about Jesus accurately, though he knew only the baptism of John. ²⁶ He began to speak boldly in the synagogue. When Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they invited him to their home and explained to him the way of God more adequately.

When Apollos wanted to go to Achaia, the brothers encouraged him and wrote to the disciples there to welcome him. On arriving, he was a great help to those who by grace had believed. ²⁸ For he vigorously refuted the Jews in public debate, proving from the Scriptures that Jesus was the Christ

Quotes:

“Sitting down, Jesus called the Twelve and said, “If anyone wants to be first, he must be the very last, and the servant of all.” — Mark 9:35

“God became man to turn creatures into sons: not simply to produce better men of the old kind but to produce a new kind of man.” — C.S. Lewis

“Will not the very moment of great disillusionment with my brother or sister be incomparably wholesome for me because it so thoroughly teaches me that both of us can never live by our own words and deeds, but only by that one Word and deed that really binds us together, the forgiveness of sins in Jesus Christ? The bright day of Christian community dawns wherever the early morning mists of dreamy visions are lifting”

— Dietrich Bonhoeffer

Prayers of the People

Generous God, we thank you for the power of your Holy Spirit. We ask that we may walk according to his ways.

Lord, come to bless us

^{A1} **and fill us with your Spirit.**

We thank you for the wisdom of your Holy Spirit.

We ask you to make us wise to understand your will.

Lord, come to bless us

^{A1} **and fill us with your Spirit.**

We thank you for the life and peace of your Holy Spirit.

We ask you to set our minds upon him wherever you call us.

Lord, come to bless us

^{A1} **and fill us with your Spirit.**

We thank you for the healing of your Holy Spirit.

We ask you to bring reconciliation and wholeness where there is division, sickness, and sorrow.

Lord, come to bless us

^{A1} **and fill us with your Spirit.**

And for what else should we pray?

Please add your own prayers at this time, ending with,

“For this, O Lord, we pray” and all responding,

“Lord, hear our prayer.”

Communion

You, my brothers, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the sinful nature; rather, serve one another in love.

—Galatians 5:13

Communion, also called the Lord’s Supper, is the family meal of Christians. We invite all followers of Jesus Christ to participate. If you are not a follower of Jesus or are not prepared to share in the meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer. We hope this time is helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with his people, the church.

I Will Change Your Name

I will change your name.
You shall no longer be called
Wounded, Out - cast, Lonely or Afraid

I will change your name.
Your new name shall be
Confidence, Joyfulness, Overcoming One...

Faithfulness, Friend of God,
One who seeks my face.

Lead Me to the Cross

Savior, I come, quiet my soul, remember
Redemption's hill
Where Your blood was spilled for my ransom

Everything I once held dear
I count it all as loss

Lead me to the cross
Where Your love poured out
Bring me to my knees
Lord, I lay me down
Rid me of myself, I belong to You
Oh, lead me,
Lead me to the cross

You were as I, tempted and tried, human
The Word became flesh, bore my sin and death
Now You're risen

Jesus, I Come

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night,
Jesus, I come; Jesus I come.
Into Thy freedom, gladness and light,
Jesus, I come to Thee.
Out of my sickness into Thy health,
Out of my wanting and into Thy wealth,
Out of my sin and into Thyself,
Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss,
Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross,
Jesus, I come to Thee.
Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm,
Out of life's storms and into Thy calm,
Out of distress into jubilant psalm,
Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride,
Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.
Into Thy blessed will to abide,
Jesus, I come to Thee.
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love,
Out of despair into raptures above,
Upward forever on wings like a dove,
Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb,
Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.
Into the joy and light of Thy home,
Jesus, I come to Thee.
Out of the depths of ruin untold,
Into the peace of Thy sheltering fold,
Ever Thy glorious face to behold,
Jesus, I come to Thee.

Offering

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that
though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor,
so that you through his poverty might become rich.
—2 Corinthians 8:9

The heart of the gospel is the overwhelming generosity of God to us
in Christ. We are "blessed to be a blessing." If you, or anyone you are
aware of, is in need of assistance with housing, rent, utilities, medical
bills, etc. We as a church would love to try to help.
Contact any one of the deacons, pastors or staff listed in the bulletin.

GUIDE TO WORSHIP

Continue To Love Me

Continue to love me, with that same love
Righteous and unchanging
Continue to love me, with that same love
Priceless and unfailing

Your love, it reaches to the sky
Your righteousness, a mountain high
How priceless, Your unending love
Both high and low among men
Take cover under Your wings
How priceless, Your unending love

How priceless, Your unending love
How priceless, Your unending love

Benediction

Then the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, “Speak to Aaron and to his sons, saying, ‘Thus you shall bless the sons of Israel. You shall say to them:

The LORD bless you, and keep you;

The LORD make His face shine on you,
And be gracious to you;

The LORD lift up His countenance on you,
And give you peace.’

—Numbers 6:24-26

PRAYER NEEDS

Lisa Miller-Rhees (Health)
The Mader Family (Sherri Danielson’s dad passed away)
Rachel Perry (Prayers for healing)
Ethan Via (Prayers for upcoming treatment)
Hannah Hunt (Brain Cancer)
Dick Myers (pancreatic cancer)
Anna Schuler - in Kenya
Chile
Haiti
China
Dean Goodwin
Penny Daniels (healing and insight for Drs)
Alice Bundrant
Gene Shawley (Praise for great test results!)
The Blain Family (Peace and Comfort)
Marriages
Our Youth
Missions
Our Military
Our Basque Students

(If you have prayer requests or prayers of thanksgiving that you would like to share on this page please email Penny@crosssound.org
Our Prayer teams will be praying for these things as well.)

PRAYERS FOR REFLECTION

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful that I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sin and receive you as Savior and Lord.
Amen.

Prayer for the Struggling with Sin

Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my needs, and my turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race set before me, looking to you, the pioneer and perfecter of my faith.
Amen.

Prayer of Commitment

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your spirit.
Amen.

Cross Sound Announcements

Sunday June 6 Happenings We will be honoring our graduating seniors as part of the service. In addition, we have the opportunity of hearing from Mike Hogan, the regional director of International Justice Mission. He will be speaking about biblical Justice. In addition, Mary Chind, the director of investigations for IJM at Chennai India will be leading a school of discipleship seminar before the service.

Sunday June 13. Cruz Family Send-off. Victor, Teresa, Fernanda and Hugo are returning to Mexico after two years on Bainbridge Island. They will be launching Redeemer Church in Mexico City. Lunch following the service!

Save the dates:

Foundations Class, 5th - 8th graders

June 21 - June 24th. This will be a highly educational time - but mixed with high adventure, fellowship and fun! Paul Schuler will lead kids through the basic foundations of our faith, tell our Cross Sound Story and invite them to grow in their own personal relationship to Jesus.

Summer B.I. Youth Retreat, 9 - 12 graders

This is our 2nd annual kick off to summer camping extravaganza. Youth will be camping out Monday and Tuesday nights @ Raney's waterfront property on the south end of B.I. and during the day, having bible study, community service, outreach, fun & fellowship, games, exploration and more. Mon. June 21, Tues. June 22, Wed. June 23

Needs: Children's Department is searching for a black, 4-drawer file cabinet to store Sunday School curriculum. Contact Marit@Crosssound.org

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Weekly backyard play group this summer! Please join us for weekly play groups this summer, Wednesday mornings from 9:30-11:30. Bring a small snack to share and a lawn chair or blanket. If the weather is rainy we won't meet. Backyard locations TBA. First meeting THIS Wednesday, May 26th at the Brouwer's. Call Jamie for directions or if you would like to host! 780.6838

Cross Sound Deacon's

The Deacons at Cross Sound Church are a body of servants in mercy ministry to our community and a source of hope for those in need. One way we meet those needs is through financial assistance. The Cross Sound Deacon Fund exists specifically for those within our church and community that have financial needs in areas like housing, food and transportation. If you or someone you know has a need, we encourage you to contact any one of the Cross Sound Church Deacons or email Knox Duncan at knox.duncan@wongdoody.com.

Ethan Via Update: A much more intensive chemo started May 28 and lasts 8 weeks. Thanks for the miles to get the Lihos family here to help the family!

Young Life Summer Camps:

May 27 - 31 - Malibu Discipleship weekend
 June 26 - July 3 Beyond Malibu Backpacking (10th-12th)
 July 18 - 22 - Freshman Houseboats, Lake Roosevelt
 July 25 - 31 - Malibu (10th - 12th graders)
 August 13 - 17 - (6th - 8th graders)
 Formerly known as Wildhorse
 - now called Washington Family Ranch

4th Quarter Financial Challenge

June 30 marks the end of our Church fiscal year. Our goal is to end the year with all of our ministries fully funded. The graph below indicates our progress to date.

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| Current Total | \$110,217.70 |
| Goal | \$200,000 |

Financial Update



Confirmation and Baptisms

