

A Service of Worship

Worthington United Methodist Church

May 13, 2020

A Place for All



Chorus: *Wait for the Lord*

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near.

Wait for the Lord, be strong, take heart!

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Chorus: *Stay with Me*

Stay with me, re - main here with me, watch and

pray, watch and pray.

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Kindly silence all cell phones and pagers. Large Print bulletins are available.

Reading: Acts 17:22-31

Response: Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16

Sung response: *Christ Jesus* (R denotes sung response.)

Chorus: *Christ Jesus, Lord and Savior*



Christ Je - sus, Lord_ and Sav-ior! Christ Je - sus, Lord_ and Sav-ior! Christ

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R

In you, O Lord, I seek refuge; let me never be put to shame; in your righteousness, deliver me! Incline your ear to me, rescue me speedily! Be a rock of refuge for me, a strong fortress to save me! You are indeed my rock and my fortress; for your name's sake lead me and guide me; take me out of the net which is hidden for me, for you are my refuge. Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God. My times are in your hand; deliver me from the hand of my enemies and persecutors. Let your face shine on your servant; save me through your steadfast love! **R**

The Word: John 14:15-21

The Discipline of Silence

The gift that is offered is seven minutes of silence. Speak to God. Let God speak to you.

Interlude: *Take my Life and Let it Be*—Arr. Mark Hayes

Tim Byrer, vocalist

Silent and Spoken Prayers:

(Please feel free to add your spoken petitions.) *A note about praying for others out loud:* Some people are comfortable with having their prayer concerns lifted up in public worship. Others are not. Before you share aloud any prayer concerns, please be sure that you are not breaking confidentiality. If you are unsure, you might word your prayer like this: *"I ask your prayers for a friend of mine who is having problems", or "Lord, You know everything that is on my heart. You know those for whom I am most concerned. Please receive my prayer on their behalf."* Whether or not you say the person's name out loud, God hears and receives the intentions of your heart.

The Lord's Prayer (use words most familiar to you)

Prayer (spoken together):

- Francis of Assisi, 1182-1226

Lord, make us to walk in your way: 'Where there is love and wisdom, there is neither fear nor ignorance; where there is patience and humility, there is neither anger nor annoyance; where there is poverty and joy, there is neither greed nor avarice; where there is peace and contemplation, there is neither care nor restlessness; where there is the fear of God to guard the dwelling, there no enemy can enter; where there is mercy and prudence, there is neither excess nor harshness'; this we know through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thanksgiving Over the Oil

A Time of Prayer and Anointing: *Please feel free to come forward to ask for a personal prayer, the prayerful laying on of hands, or to receive a blessing through anointing with oil. Anointing the forehead with oil is a symbol invoking the healing love of God through the action of the Holy Spirit and the presence of Christ. If you have a personal concern, or if there is another for whom you wish to pray, you may also come forward to light a canon..*

Chorus: *Lord Jesus Christ*

Lord Je - sus Christ, your light shines with - in us.
Let not my doubts nor my dark-ness speak to me. Lord Je - sus Christ your
light shines with - in us. Let my heart al - ways wel- come your love.

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Chorus: *In God Alone*

In God a-lone my soul can find rest and peace, in God my peace and joy.
On - ly in God my soul can find its rest., find its rest and peace. In

Chorus: *It Is Good to Trust*

It is good to trust in the Lord our God.
Trust and hope in the Lord our God.

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Chorus: *We Adore You, Lord Jesus Christ*



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We a - dore you, Lord Je - sus Christ.

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Words of Blessing:

- Daphne Fraser

May the God of peace make us holy in every part; and keep us sound in spirit, soul and body, without fault when our Lord Jesus Christ comes. The One who calls us is to be trusted: God will do it. For ecstasy of body, for exchange of mind, and for unity of the spirit in love, praise God. Amen.

Chorus: *Lord of All Goodness*



Lord of all good-ness, Son of the Fa-ther, may your peace sur - round us.

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A word about Taizé Music:

Many of these beautiful melodies are very short. Quiet repetition of them becomes sung prayer and sung meditation. There are often vocal "cantors" and instrumental counter-melodies intertwined with the sung melody. Please feel free to sing when you wish and take a break when you want to listen to the message of the cantor or hear the beauty of the countermelody. Resume singing at your pleasure. When we are ready to end a piece, we will signal that with a broad ritard.

The musicians for this evening's service are Jarod Ogier, Narmina Aliyeva, Tim Bryer and Erin Angel.

Readers are Cyndy Garn and John Girard

.Video/audio: Craig Kramer, Jarod Ogier and Tom Strous

The date of the next Taizé Service is Wednesday, June 10, 2020.