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Community of God

Wednesday, November 15, 2023 † 6:00 pm Worship

*** Opening Song***If We Are The Body*Bill Egan, Worship
Leader**Welcome**Pastor Sara
McManus**A Time of Prayer****The Lord's Prayer**

Our God in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours now and forever. Amen

**Offering/Prayer
of Thanksgiving***** Song**

Holy is The Lord

Bill Egan, Worship
Leader**Announcements****Scripture**

John 1:35-38

Pastor Sara
McManus**Message**

What Are You Looking For?

Pastor Sara
McManus*** Closing Song***Great is the Lord*Bill Egan, Worship
Leader*** Benediction**

Incorporating ancient and contemporary traditions in this service, we are intentional about efforts to name God in a variety of ways that are gender neutral. This allows for your personal expressions as you are led to name the Holy in ways meaningful to you.

If We Are The Body (Casting Crowns)

It's crowded in worship today
As she slips in trying to fade into the faces
The girls teasing laughter is carrying
Farther than the know
Farther than they know

Chorus

But if we are the body
Why aren't His arms reaching?
Why aren't His hands healing?
Why aren't His words teaching?
And if we are the body
Why aren't His feet going?
Why is His love not showing
Them there is a way?
There is a way

A traveler is far away from home
He sheds his coat and quietly sinks int the back row
The weight of their judgmental glances
Tells him that his changes are better
Out on the road

Chorus

But if we are the body
Why aren't His arms reaching?
Why aren't His hands healing?

Why aren't His words teaching?
And if we are the body
Why aren't His feet going?
Why is His love not showing
Them there is a way?
There is a way

Jesus paid too high a price
For us to pick and choose who should come
And we are the body of Christ

Chorus

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Why aren't His hands healing?
Why aren't His words teaching?
And if we are the body
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Chorus

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Why is His love not showing
Them there is a way?
There is a way

Jesus is the way...

Holy is the Lord (Chris Tomlin)

We stand and lift our hands
For the joy of the Lord is our strength
We bow down and worship Him now
How great, how awesome is He

And together we sing, everyone sing

Chorus

Holy is the Lord, God Almighty
The earth is filled with His glory
Holy is the Lord, God Almighty
The earth is filled with His glory
The earth is filled with His glory

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Chorus

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The earth is filled with His glory
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The earth is filled with His glory
The earth is filled with His glory

It's rising up all around

It's the anthem of the Lord's renown (repeat 3 times)

And together we sing, Everyone sing

Chorus

Holy is the Lord, God Almighty

The earth is filled with His glory

Holy is the Lord, God Almighty

The earth is filled with His glory

The earth is filled with His glory

The earth is filled with His glory

John's Disciples Follow Jesus John 1:35-38

³⁵ The next day John was there again with two of his disciples. ³⁶ When he saw Jesus passing by, he said, “Look, the Lamb of God!”

³⁷ When the two disciples heard him say this, they followed Jesus. ³⁸ Turning around, Jesus saw them following and asked, “What do you want?”

They said, “Rabbi” (which means “Teacher”), “where are you staying?”

Great is The Lord (Michael W Smith)

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, He is love

Chorus 1

Great is the Lord, And worthy of glory
Great is the Lord, And worthy of praise
Great is the Lord.

Now lift up you voice, Now lift up you voice
Great is the Lord
Great is the Lord

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, He is love

Chorus 2

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

Chorus 2

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