



WYCKOFF  
REFORMED CHURCH

OUTDOOR WORSHIP  
OCTOBER 11, 2020

Thanks for joining us for this week's worship service. As you gather this morning, take a moment to notice God's creation around you. Give thanks to God for what you see, hear, smell, and feel. Give thanks for the opportunity to gather together again, even in this different way. Notice God's presence and welcome God in.

These resources are also available at [www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides)  
To participate in this service online, join us at [wrclive.org](http://wrclive.org) or on Facebook Live.

While we are all overjoyed to be together, please do not neglect our physical distancing guidelines. Six feet of separation should be maintained between individuals from different households. Masks should be worn while entering or exiting, but may be removed while seated. There are disposable masks and hand sanitizer on the tables at the entrance if you need either.

If you need to use a restroom, they are available through the Nursery School entrance of the Education Building, near the playground. Please wear your mask, use the hand sanitizer inside the entrance, limit the number of people using the restroom at one time, wash your hands properly afterwards, and please do not venture into the rest of the building.

A children's lesson will be offered during the sermon near the columbarium.  
If your child would like to participate, please sign in as you enter worship.

**Bold sections will be read aloud together**

\* Invites you to rise in body or in spirit

## GATHERED BY GOD

### GATHERING SONG

"IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL"  
Bell Choir

### WELCOME

Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth, **Amen**.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ!

### LIGHTING THE CANDLE

One: Jesus Christ

All: is the Light of the World.

One: The Light shines in the darkness,

All: and the darkness did not overcome it.

## INVITATION TO WORSHIP

PSALM 46:1-7

**"God is our refuge and strength,  
a very present help in trouble.**

**Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change,  
though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea;  
though its waters roar and foam,  
though the mountains tremble with its tumult.**

There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,  
the holy habitation of the Most High.

God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be moved;

God will help it when the morning dawns.

The nations are in an uproar, the kingdoms totter;  
he utters his voice, the earth melts.

**The Lord of hosts is with us;  
the God of Jacob is our refuge."**

**\*SONG OF PRAISE "FORTRESS (A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD)"**

A mighty fortress is our God,  
a bulwark never failing;  
our helper he, amid the flood  
of mortal ills prevailing.  
For still our ancient foe  
does seek to work us woe;  
his craft and power are great,  
and armed with cruel hate,  
on earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide,  
our striving would be losing,  
were not the right Man on our side,  
the Man of God's own choosing.  
You ask who that may be?  
Christ Jesus, it is he;  
Lord Sabaoth his name,  
from age to age the same;  
and he must win the battle.

Refrain:

Mighty, Eternal, Victorious One  
On earth there's no equal; Your kingdom has come  
The Power of Darkness, defeated undone  
O Jesus, our savior, Your cross overcomes

And though this world, with devils filled,  
should threaten to undo us,  
we will not fear, for God has willed  
his truth to triumph through us.  
The prince of darkness grim,  
we tremble not for him;  
his rage we can endure,  
for lo! his doom is sure;  
one little word shall fell him.  
*Refrain*

That Word above all earthly powers-  
no thanks to them- abideth;  
the Spirit and the gifts are ours  
through him who with us sideth.  
Let goods and kindred go,  
this mortal life also;  
the body they may kill:  
God's truth abideth still;  
his kingdom is forever!

### **PRAYER FOR RENEWAL**

Lord, devils that fill the world threaten to undo us. You will not let this stand if we find refuge in you. For this, you must undo us. Unravel, unhinge all that we hold too tightly. Dethrone all that we have rebelliously placed in power. Strip us of self-sufficiency and pride. In joy and in peril you alone are our rock and redeemer, our fortress and triumph. Have mercy on us in our forgetting.

By your blood we have victory. May this truth triumph through us and embolden our witness to your kingdom and glory and power, forever. Amen.

### **PROMISE OF GRACE**

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;  
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.  
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path;  
For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

“HE WILL HOLD ME FAST”

*Refrain:*  
He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;  
For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast.

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast;  
Precious in his holy sight, He will hold me fast.

He'll not let my soul be lost; His promises shall last;  
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.  
*Refrain*

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;  
Justice has been satisfied; He will hold me fast.  
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast  
'Till our faith is turned to sight, When He comes at last!  
*Refrain*

## **FAMILY MOMENT**

Sara Christie

## **OFFERING**

We respond to the love and grace of Jesus by giving back our whole lives to God in worship. In this offering, we give our financial gifts as a symbol that all we have comes from God and is to be used for God's glory. Please continue to support us! To give your gift online visit [www.wyckoffreformed.org/give](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/give), feel free to mail your offering, or leave it in the offering box near the entrance.

## **DOXOLOGY**

May be said or sung  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below  
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## **LISTENING TO GOD**

### **SCRIPTURE**

REVELATION 12:1-17

### **SERMON**

"THE BOOK OF REVELATION"  
Rev. Andy Kadzban

## **RESPONDING TO GOD**

### **\*SONG OF RESPONSE**

"OVERCOME"

Seated above enthroned in the Father's love  
Destined to die poured out for all mankind  
God's only Son perfect and spotless One  
He never sinned but suffered as if He did

Refrain:

All authority, every victory is Yours  
All authority, every victory is Yours  
Savior worthy of honor and glory  
Worthy of all our praise  
For You overcame  
Jesus awesome in power forever  
Awesome and great is Your Name  
For You overcame

Power in hand speaking the Father's plan  
You're sending us out light in this broken land  
*Refrain*

We will overcome  
By the blood of the Lamb  
And the word of our testimony  
Everyone overcome

### **\*APOSTLES' CREED**

We join our voices together with Christians throughout the ages and across the world to proclaim these words:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

#### **LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**\*SENT WITH GOD'S BLESSING**

NUMBERS 6:24-26

May the Lord bless you and keep you.

May the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you.

May the Lord lift up his presence to you and give you his peace,

Now and always, Amen.

**POSTLUDE**

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