

OPENING SONG **YET NOT I BUT THROUGH CHRIST IN ME**

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer, there is no more for heaven now to give, He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom, My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus, for my life is wholly bound to his, oh how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken, for by my side, the Savior He will stay, I labor on in weakness and rejoicing, for in my need, His power is displayed

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me, through the deepest valley He will lead, Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven, the future sure, the price it has been paid, for Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon, and He was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated, Jesus now and ever is my plea, Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus, for He has said that He will bring me home, and day by day I know He will renew me, until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus, all the glory evermore to Him, When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat: Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

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CONFESSION OF SIN **JAMES 1:23-24**

²³For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. ²⁴For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like.

ASSURANCE **JAMES 4:7-10**

⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let

your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

CONFESSION OF FAITH **NCC Q&A 15** **Q: Since no one can keep the law, what is its purpose?**

A: That we may know the holy nature and will of God, and the sinful nature and disobedience of our hearts; and thus, our need of a Savior. The law also teaches and exhorts us to live a life worthy of our Savior.

OFFERTORY SONG **THE HEART OF WORSHIP**

When the music fades, all is stripped away, and I simply come, longing just to bring, something that's of worth, that will bless your heart

Pre-Chorus
I'll bring you more than a song, for a song in itself
Is not what you have required, you search much deeper within
Through the way things appear, you're looking into my heart

Chorus
I'm coming back to the heart of worship, and it's all about you,
It's all about you, Jesus, I'm sorry, Lord, for the things I've made it,
it's all about you, it's all about you, Jesus

King of endless worth, no one could express, how much you deserve, though I'm weak and poor, all I have is yours, every single breath

Pre-Chorus
Chorus (x2)

DOXOLOGY
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

PRAYER FOR OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

SERMON **JAMES 4:1-10**

CLOSING SONG **HOW GREAT THOU ART**

O Lord my God, When I in awesome wonder, consider all the works thy Hands hath made; I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Chorus

Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee,
How great Thou art, How great Thou art.
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How great Thou art, How great Thou art!

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 hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze.

Chorus

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.

Chorus

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!"

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNITY GROUPS

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

NOVEMBER 4TH

EXHALE – TRIVIA NIGHT

YOUR PIE – MUST RSVP

Church Family

October 17th

Family Meal – Octoberfest

Potluck– German Food

NOVEMBER 5TH

CHURCH FAMILY GAME NIGHT

6-10 P.M.

Bring your favorite game or learn a new one!

Come and go as you please

Youth Group

Today

5:30 p.m. - Church

SERMON NOTES:

Welcome to GracePointe!

We are excited that you joined us this week. We are a congregation that loves the Lord and his word. We pray that worship this morning will help you to encounter God and his beautiful gospel. The truth that we are saved by grace through faith in Christ is truly the greatest news that we can ever receive. If you have any questions about this gospel or God in general, please feel free to ask any of our leaders or Pastor James after the service. We also want to give you a gift if this is your first time here. After the service, someone will be at the coffee bar where you can pick up this gift. Thank you again for joining us and may God be glorified in the service!

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Upcoming Week

Today:

9:00 a.m. – Adult Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Worship
5:30 p.m. – Youth
5:30 p.m. – Bible Study

Tuesday:

7:00 p.m. – Leadership Meeting

Wednesday:

10:00 a.m. - Men's Bible study

Thursday:

10:00 a.m.- Women's Bible Study

Sunday:

9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School
10:00 am. Worship
5:30 p.m. Youth
5:30 p.m.- Bible Study



Sunday, October 10, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship Service

PRELUDE

INSTRUMENTAL

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

JAMES 2:19

¹⁹You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe—and shudder!

INVOCATION

OPENING SONG

COME THOU FOUNT

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above
Praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love

Here I raise my Ebenezer, here there by Thy great help I've come
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood

Oh, to grace how great a debtor, daily I'm constrained to be
Let that goodness like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee,
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart, oh Lord, take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts above

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As of August 2021

YTD Income Tithes and Offering: \$192, 661.92

YTD Expenses: \$175,758.04

Pastors Campaign: \$59,411 of \$80,588 committed