

Waupun United Methodist Church, Waupun, WI  
Worship Music and Bible Reading – 11/20/2022

**Come, Ye Thankful People, Come**

**Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home;  
all is safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin.**

**God our Maker doth provide for our wants to be supplied;  
come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.**

**All the world is God's own field, fruit as praise to God we yield;  
wheat and tares together sown are to joy or sorrow grown;  
first the blade and then the ear, then the full corn shall appear;  
Lord of harvest, grant that we wholesome grain and pure may be.**

**For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take the harvest home;  
from the field shall in that day all offenses purge away,  
giving angels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast;  
but the fruitful ears to store in the garner evermore.**

**Even so, Lord, quickly come, bring thy final harvest home;  
gather thou thy people in, free from sorrow, free from sin,  
there, forever purified, in thy presence to abide;  
come, with all thine angels, come, raise the glorious harvest home.**

Bible Reading

John 6:25-35

<sup>25</sup> They found him on the other side of the lake and asked, "Rabbi, when did you get here?"

<sup>26</sup> Jesus replied, "I tell you the truth, you want to be with me because I fed you, not because you understood the miraculous signs. <sup>27</sup> But don't be so concerned about perishable things like food. Spend your energy seeking the eternal life that the Son of Man can give you. For God the Father has given me the seal of his approval."

<sup>28</sup> They replied, "We want to perform God's works, too. What should we do?"

<sup>29</sup> Jesus told them, "This is the only work God wants from you: Believe in the one he has sent."

<sup>30</sup> They answered, "Show us a miraculous sign if you want us to believe in you. What can you do? <sup>31</sup> After all, our ancestors ate manna while they journeyed through the wilderness! The Scriptures say, 'Moses gave them bread from heaven to eat.'"

<sup>32</sup> Jesus said, "I tell you the truth, Moses didn't give you bread from heaven. My Father did. And now he offers you the true bread from heaven. <sup>33</sup> The true bread of God is the one who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

<sup>34</sup> "Sir," they said, "give us that bread every day."

<sup>35</sup> Jesus replied, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry again.

Whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

New Living Translation (NLT)

**Blessed Be Your Name**

**Blessed be your name in the land that is plentiful,  
where your streams of abundance flow, blessed be your name.  
Blessed be your name when I'm found in the desert place,  
though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be your name.**

**Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise.  
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say,  
"Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your name.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your glorious name!"**

**Blessed be your name when the sun's shining down on me,  
when the world's all as it should be, blessed be your name.  
Blessed be your name on the road marked with suffering,  
though there's pain in the offering, blessed be your name.**

**Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise.  
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say,  
"Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your name.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your glorious name!"**

**You give and take away, you give and take away;  
my heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be your name."**

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my heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be your name."**

**"Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your name.  
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**26** “When you enter the land the LORD your God is giving you as a special possession and you have conquered it and settled there, <sup>2</sup> put some of the first produce from each crop you harvest into a basket and bring it to the designated place of worship—the place the LORD your God chooses for his name to be honored. <sup>3</sup> Go to the priest in charge at that time and say to him, ‘With this gift I acknowledge to the LORD your God that I have entered the land he swore to our ancestors he would give us.’ <sup>4</sup> The priest will then take the basket from your hand and set it before the altar of the LORD your God.

<sup>5</sup> “You must then say in the presence of the LORD your God, ‘My ancestor Jacob was a wandering Aramean who went to live as a foreigner in Egypt. His family arrived few in number, but in Egypt they became a large and mighty nation. <sup>6</sup> When the Egyptians oppressed and humiliated us by making us their slaves, <sup>7</sup> we cried out to the LORD, the God of our ancestors. He heard our cries and saw our hardship, toil, and oppression. <sup>8</sup> So the LORD brought us out of Egypt with a strong hand and powerful arm, with overwhelming terror, and with miraculous signs and wonders. <sup>9</sup> He brought us to this place and gave us this land flowing with milk and honey! <sup>10</sup> And now, O LORD, I have brought you the first portion of the harvest you have given me from the ground.’ Then place the produce before the LORD your God, and bow to the ground in worship before him. <sup>11</sup> Afterward you may go and celebrate because of all the good things the LORD your God has given to you and your household. Remember to include the Levites and the foreigners living among you in the celebration. (NLT)

### Let All Things Now Living

**Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving  
to God the Creator triumphantly raise,  
who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,  
who guides us and leads to the end of our day.  
God’s banners fly o’er us; God’s light goes before us,  
a pillar of fire shining forth in the night,  
till shadows have vanished and darkness is banished,  
as forward we travel from light into light.**

**The law God enforces, the stars in their courses and sun in its orbit obediently shine;  
the hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,  
the deeps of the ocean proclaim the Divine.  
We, too, should be voicing our love and rejoicing;  
with glad adoration a song let us raise,  
till all things now living unite in thanksgiving;  
To God in highest hosanna and praise!**