

Waupun United Methodist Church, Waupun, WI
Worship Music and Bible Reading – 10/8/2023

I Will Call Upon the Lord (2x)

**I will call upon the LORD who is worthy to be praised.
So shall I be saved from my enemies. I will call upon the LORD.**

**The LORD liveth, and blessed be the Rock;
and let the God of my salvation be exalted.
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Our God is an Awesome God

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Bible Reading

Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20

20 Then God gave the people all these instructions:

2 "I am the LORD your God, who rescued you from the land of Egypt, the place of your slavery.

3 "You must not have any other god but me.

4 "You must not make for yourself an idol of any kind or an image of anything in the heavens or on the earth or in the sea.

7 "You must not misuse the name of the LORD your God. The LORD will not let you go unpunished if you misuse his name.

8 "Remember to observe the Sabbath day by keeping it holy. **9** You have six days each week for your ordinary work,

12 "Honor your father and mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the LORD your God is giving you.

13 "You must not murder.

14 "You must not commit adultery.

15 "You must not steal.

16 "You must not testify falsely against your neighbor.

17 "You must not covet your neighbor's house. You must not covet your neighbor's wife, male or female servant, ox or donkey, or anything else that belongs to your neighbor."

¹⁸ When the people heard the thunder and the loud blast of the ram's horn, and when they saw the flashes of lightning and the smoke billowing from the mountain, they stood at a distance, trembling with fear.

¹⁹ And they said to Moses, "You speak to us, and we will listen. But don't let God speak directly to us, or we will die!"

²⁰ "Don't be afraid," Moses answered them, "for God has come in this way to test you, and so that your fear of him will keep you from sinning!" New Living Translation (NLT)

Sanctuary

2x

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.**

He Who Began a Good Work in You

2x

**He who began a good work in you, he who began a good work in you
will be faithful to complete it, will be faithful to complete it.
He who started the work will be faithful to complete it in you.**

Bible Reading

Philippians 3:4b-14

Indeed, if others have reason for confidence in their own efforts, I have even more!

⁵ I was circumcised when I was eight days old. I am a pure-blooded citizen of Israel and a member of the tribe of Benjamin—a real Hebrew if there ever was one! I was a member of the Pharisees, who demand the strictest obedience to the Jewish law. ⁶ I was so zealous that I harshly persecuted the church. And as for righteousness, I obeyed the law without fault.

⁷ I once thought these things were valuable, but now I consider them worthless because of what Christ has done. ⁸ Yes, everything else is worthless when compared with the infinite value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have discarded everything else, counting it all as garbage, so that I could gain Christ ⁹ and become one with him. I no longer count on my own righteousness through obeying the law; rather, I become righteous through faith in Christ. For God's way of making us right with himself depends on faith. ¹⁰ I want to know Christ and experience the mighty power that raised him from the dead. I want to suffer with him, sharing in his death, ¹¹ so that one way or another I will experience the resurrection from the dead!

¹² I don't mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me. ¹³ No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴ I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us. New Living Translation (NLT)

We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise

2x

**We bring the sacrifice of praise into the house of the LORD.
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 And we offer up to you the sacrifices of thanksgiving;
 and we offer up to you the sacrifices of joy.**

How Great Thou Art

**1 O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder
 consider all the worlds thy hands have made;
 I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
 thy power throughout, the universe displayed.**

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!
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**2 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;**

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!
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**3 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;**

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!
 Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!**

**4 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 there proclaim,
 my God, how great thou art!**

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!
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