



Worship Service | May 12, 2024

Song of Ascent: "Jesus, Strong and Kind"

Nate Ong

Call to Worship

Sammy Zheng

People: Come all you children and infants, praise your God.

Leader: Praise God for the Son of David.

People: The Son of David is the King.

Leader: Praise God for Jesus the King.

From Matthew 21

Song of Praise

Nate Ong

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Confession of Sin

Sammy Zheng

My God I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. When I choose to do wrong, I sin against you, my great Maker and Father. Please forgive me. Wash me and make me clean. Thank you that Jesus died on the cross for my sins. Help me, Holy Spirit, to do good. Help me, Holy Spirit, to listen and obey. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: From 1 John 2:1, 12

Sammy Zheng

Little children, if anyone sins, Jesus is our big brother who has paid for sins with his death on the cross. Your sins are forgiven by his powerful name.

Song of Praise

Nate Ong

God Is So Good

Affirmation of Faith: Heidelberg Catechism

Q1: *What is your only comfort in life and in death?*

A: I am not my own, but my body and soul and my life and death belong to my Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood. He has set me free from being a slave to the devil. He watches over me in such a way so that not one hair can fall from my head without my heavenly Father knowing and deciding it; All things must work together for my salvation.

Admission of Eric, Kim, Elsie, and Sophie Jung

Baptism of Jake Liam Jung (son of Eric & Kim Jung)

Congregational Vow: *Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility to love and Support these children of God, and to live out God's call to spur one another on to good works?*

People: We do.

Song of Praise

Nate Ong

I Love You, Lord

Promotion and Presentation: Fifth Graders

Prayer of Blessing: *Meredith Tsang*

Song of Praise

Reign Above It All

Nate Ong

Scripture: Matt 19:13-15; 21:14-16 (NIV)

¹³ Then people brought little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them and pray for them. But the disciples rebuked them. ¹⁴ Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." ¹⁵ When he had placed his hands on them, he went on from there.

^{21:14} The blind and the lame came to him at the temple, and he healed them. ¹⁵ But when the chief priests and the teachers of the law saw the wonderful things he did and the children shouting in the temple courts, "Hosanna to the Son of David," they were indignant.

¹⁶ "Do you hear what these children are saying?" they asked him.

"Yes," replied Jesus, "have you never read,

"From the lips of children and infants
you, Lord, have called forth your praise'?"

Leader: This is what God has to say.

People: **We will listen and obey.**

Sermon Series: The Pattern of Heaven

Pastor Jesse

"Let the Little Children Come to Me"

The Lord's Supper

Song of Response

Jesus, Strong and Kind

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Benediction

Pastor Jesse

Announcements

1. **Children's Worship Services.** Starting next Sunday, May 19, 4 to 7 year-olds will be excused from the adult service during the sermon to attend a worship service appropriate for their age.
2. **DIGs.** Two Discipleship Intensive Groups (DIGs) are available this summer: Pastor Jesse's group on anger and Pastor Wade's group on cultural apologetics. Click [here](#) to read more details and to sign up.
3. **Stated Session.** Members are invited to a stated session meeting on Tuesday, June 4 at 8:00pm at Pastor Jesse's house in CV. Contact Tracy Ong (tracy@indeliblegracechurch.org) for the address.
4. **Men's Firepit.** All the men are welcome to an evening around the fire pit at the Stevko home in Castro Valley on Friday, June 7 at 8:00pm. Contact TJ Stevko (t.j.stevko@gmail.com) if you would like to attend.

Songs of Praise

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

[Chorus]

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul

Worship His holy Name

Sing like never before, O my soul

I'll worship Your holy Name

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before
me

Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love, and You're slow to anger
Your Name is great, and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness, I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near, and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore!

God Is So Good

God is so good
God is so good
God is so good
He's so good to me

God answers prayer
God answers prayer
God answers prayer
He's so good to me

He loves me so
He loves me so
He loves me so
He's so good to me

I Love You, Lord

I love You, Lord
And I lift my voice
To worship You
Oh, my soul rejoice

Take joy my King
In what You hear
May it be a sweet, sweet sound
In Your ear

Reign Above It All

The reign of darkness now has ended
In the kingdom of light
In the kingdom of light
Forever under Your dominion
You're the King of my life
You're the King of my life

[Chorus 1]

*You reign above it all
You reign above it all
Over the universe
And over every heart
There is no higher name
Jesus, You reign above it all*

On the cross, the work was finished
God, You poured out Your life
Just to give us new life
Now from the lips of the forgiven
Hear an anthem arise
'Cause Jesus, You're alive

[Chorus 2]

*Let all of heaven
And the earth erupt in song
Sing hallelujah to the Everlasting One
There is no higher name
Jesus, You reign above it all*

[Bridge]

*You sent the darkness running
Out of an empty grave
Now seated alone in glory
Enthroned on the highest praise*

Song of Response

Jesus, Strong and Kind

Jesus said that if I thirst
I should come to Him
No one else can satisfy
I should come to Him

Jesus said if I am weak
I should come to Him
No one else can be my strength
I should come to Him

[Chorus]

*For the Lord is good and faithful
He will keep us day and night
We can always run to Jesus
Jesus, strong and kind*

Jesus said that if I fear
I should come to Him
No one else can be my shield
I should come to Him

Jesus said if I am lost
He will come to me
And he showed me on that cross
He will come to me