**GATHERED FOR WORSHIP**

**PRELUDE, OPENING PRAYER, WELCOME, & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WORSHIP IN SONG**

**SONG: *“****The King of Love”*

Verse 1

***The King of Love my Shepherd is***

***Whose goodness faileth never***

***I nothing lack if I am His***

***And He is mine forever***

***And He is mine forever***

Verse 2

***Where streams of living water flow***

***My ransomed soul He leadeth***

***And where the verdant pastures grow***

***With food celestial feedeth***

Chorus

***Never failing Ruler of my heart***

***Everlasting Lover of my soul***

***On the mountain high or in the valley low***

***The King of Love my Shepherd is***

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Verse 3

***Lost and foolish off I strayed***

***But yet in love He sought me***

***And on His shoulder gently laid***

***And home rejoicing brought me***

Verse 4

***In death's dark veil I fear no ill***

***With Thee dear Lord beside me***

***Thy rod and staff my comfort still***

***Thy cross before to guide me***

Bridge

***Oh Hallelujah Hallelujah***

***Oh Hallelujah Hallelujah***

Verse 5

***And so through all the length of days***

***Thy goodness faileth never***

***Good Shepherd may I sing Your praise***

***Within Your house forever***

***Within Your house forever***

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**SONG: *“****Let it Be,” The Beatles*

When I find myself in times of trouble, Mother Mary comes to me

Speaking words of wisdom, let it be

And in my hour of darkness she is standing right in front of me

Speaking words of wisdom, let it be, Let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be

Whisper words of wisdom, let it be

And when the broken hearted people living in the world agree

There will be an answer, let it be

For though they may be parted, there is still a chance that they will see

There will be an answer, let it be, Let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be

There will be an answer, let it be, Let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be

Whisper words of wisdom, let it be, Let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be

Whisper words of wisdom, let it be, be

And when the night is cloudy there is still a light that shines on me

Shinin' until tomorrow, let it be

I wake up to the sound of music, Mother Mary comes to me

Speaking words of wisdom, let it be, And let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be

Whisper words of wisdom, let it be, And let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be

Whisper words of wisdom, let it be

**\*HYMN:** *“Lord of the Dance”*

***I danced in the morning when the world was begun, and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun, and I came down from heaven and I danced on earth. At Bethlehem I had my birth.***

**[Refrain] *Dance, then, wherever you may be; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he. And I’ll lead you all wherever you may be, and I’ll lead you all in the dance, said he.***

***I danced on the sabbath when I cured the lame, the holy people said it was a shame; they whipped and they stripped and they hung me high; and they left me there on the cross to die.* [Refrain]**

***They cut me down and I leapt up high, I am the life that’ll never, never die; I’ll live in you if you’ll live in me; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.* [Refrain]**

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION:**

**Holy God, help us to hear the Good News of your love beyond the limits of our expectations. Open us to your grace so that we might joyfully recognize your voice calling us into life with you. Gather us into your flock and shield us from those inclinations and forces that would draw us away. For we confess that our faith is often fleeting and our priorities are inconsistent. Be our Good Shepherd, for we ask this in Christ’s name. Amen**

**\*WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND THE PASSING OF PEACE**

**HEARING THE WORD OF GOD**

**CHILDREN’S SERMON**

**ACTS 9:36-43** Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. 37At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. 38Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, “Please come to us without delay.” 39So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. 40Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, “Tabitha, get up.” Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. 41He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. 42This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. 43Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

**JOHN 10:22-30** At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, 23and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. 24So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.” 25Jesus answered, “I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father’s name testify to me; 26but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. 27My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. 28I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. 29What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father’s hand. 30The Father and I are one.”

**SERMON**

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD**

**\*HYMN: #248** *“Such Perfect Love My Shepherd Shows”*

**JOYS & CONCERNS, PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH, LORD’S PRAYER**

Lord, in your mercy… **Hear our prayers.**

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**SENT TO SERVE**

**SONG:** *“Your Grace Is Enough”*

Verse 1

***Great is Your faithfulness O God***

***You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart***

***You lead us by still waters into mercy***

***And nothing can keep us apart***

Pre-Chorus

***(So) remember Your people***

***Remember Your children***

***Remember Your promise O God***

Chorus 1

***Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough***

***Your grace is enough for me***

Verse 2

***Great is Your love and justice God of Jacob***

***You use the weak to lead the strong***

***You lead us in the song of Your salvation***

***And all Your people sing along***

Chorus 2

***Yeah Your grace is enough, Heaven reaches out to us***

***Your grace is enough for me, God I sing Your grace is enough***

***I'm covered in Your love, Your grace is enough for me for me***

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**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

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***LET US PRAY…..***

*To add to our prayer list please email Pastor Tim with a brief description of your prayer. Please indicate if you would like the prayer to be listed on an ongoing basis.* [tim.hare@trumbullcc.org](mailto:tim.hare@trumbullcc.org).

~Rose Heiser, Angela Hare’s mother, struggling with health concerns

~Stephanie Marko, Jo Ann Hunt’s friend, who lost her son (48 years old) to heart failure

~Karolina Szabo’s sister, Irma, experiencing health concerns.

~Charlotte Coe and family, Jo Ann Hunt's friend with dementia and cancer

~The parents of Paul Nestro, experiencing health concerns

~Maria Coffin, prayers for healing and peace as she goes through chemotherapy

~Ian and Jacqueline Sugrue-Tait and Griffin, their youngest, who struggles with significant health

issues. Prayers also for Jacqueline’s father, experiencing health concerns

~Rev. John Russell, former TCC Pastor, experiencing health concerns

~Marlene, Amy Ronge’s friend, healing prayers as she recovers from cancer treatment

~The Consolati family, grieving the death of Michelle’s mother, Gail Winick

~Eric Farrell, prayers for healing

~ Ruth Knecht, receiving treatment for cancer

~ Michelle Monlar, experiencing health concerns

~ The family of Joan Trefz as they grieve her recent death

~ The family of Nancy Szwejkowski mourning her recent death

~ The Cappello family grieving the death of their son & brother, Josh

~ Barbara DeAngelo’s brother-in-law Richie DeAngelo experiencing health concerns

~ Maria Massaro, as she recovers from her kidney transplant

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**\*JUNE 1st - MARK YOUR CALENDARS! We will be honoring and celebrating Pastor Tim and Angela during a Farewell Celebration after the service. Please sign-up after church today in the Round Room to help make this a special event!**

***\*COFFEE HOUR:* Please join us after worship this morning in the Round Room for a time of fellowship!**

***\*SUNDAY BRUNCH?:* Bring your TCC bulletin to Antonio’s Italian Kitchen and Bar (the old Parker location) for a 10% discount. This offer is ongoing! Say thanks to Peter, the manager.**

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