

## Prayer of Confession

*Congregation prays out loud the parts in **bold**.*

O Christ of God,

We sing our words as both declaration and prayer.

You set before us your way;

you light up our path;

you illuminate our darkness.

**Yet your way, at times, is hard;**

**your light can be piercing;**

**and the darkness can feel like a safe place to hide.**

Where we fail to trust you for a difficult choice in front of us,

where we resist the truth about ourselves that you unveil before us,

where we take refuge in the secrecy of our sin,

**forgive us, and give us a renewed confidence in your transforming work.**

**When we do not feel your healing touch,**

**when we remain stuck in negative attitudes,**

**unhelpful habits, or destructive tendencies,**

**when we languish in brokenness,**

**when we cannot see you working at all,**

**help us to trust that you have not abandoned what feels so unfinished  
in us.**

Give the faith to believe that we can hope for a future with your plans  
for our welfare.\*

*Time of silent, personal reflection and confession*

In your name, Lord Jesus, we pray. **Amen**

\*Jeremiah 29:11- "For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD,  
plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a  
hope."

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A FEW REMINDERS...

-**Restrooms** in Butler Hall and Narthex can be accessed through the breezeway.

-**Offering plate** is on the entry table. Tithes can also be mailed to the church or given  
online at [tempetonpres.org/giving](http://tempetonpres.org/giving).

-**Help yourself to chairs** as needed. Please replace in rack after service.

-**Extra help** cleaning up is always appreciated. Many hands make light work!

## TEMPLETON PRESBYTERIAN ORDER OF WORSHIP

Church Parking Lot & Online

February 7, 2021

### Gathering for Worship

### Welcome and Announcements

### Call to Worship

### Songs of Praise and Prayer

*God of Wonders*

*Way Maker*

### Prayer of Confession (see back of bulletin)

### Assurance of Pardon

Song *How Great Thou Art*

### CHILDREN & YOUTH DISMISSED

### Prayer of Intercession & Offering

Scripture *Luke 20:20-25*

Sermon *"Resident Aliens"*

### Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

Hymn *How Deep the Father's Love for Us*

### Benediction

*Luke 20:20-25 (ESV)*

<sup>20</sup> So they watched him and sent spies, who pretended to be sincere, that they might catch him in something he said, so as to deliver him up to the authority and jurisdiction of the governor. <sup>21</sup> So they asked him, "Teacher, we know that you speak and teach rightly, and show no partiality, but truly teach the way of God. <sup>22</sup> Is it lawful for us to give tribute to Caesar, or not?" <sup>23</sup> But he perceived their craftiness, and said to them, <sup>24</sup> "Show me a denarius. Whose likeness and inscription does it have?" They said, "Caesar's." <sup>25</sup> He said to them, "Then render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's."

## **GOD OF WONDERS**

Chorus 1

God of wonders beyond our galaxy / You are holy holy  
The universe declares Your majesty / You are holy holy  
Lord of heaven and earth / Lord of heaven and earth  
Lord of heaven and earth

Lord of all creation / Of water earth and sky  
The heavens are Your tabernacle / Glory to the Lord on high

Early in the morning / I will celebrate the light  
When I stumble in the darkness / I will call Your name by night

Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth  
Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth  
Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth

Chorus 2

God of wonders beyond our galaxy / You are holy holy  
Precious Lord reveal Your heart to me / Father hold me hold me  
The universe declares Your majesty / You are holy holy

## **WAY MAKER**

You are here moving in our midst / I worship You I worship You  
You are here working in this place / I worship You I worship You

Chorus

(You are) Way Maker Miracle Worker Promise Keeper  
Light in the darkness my God that is who You are

You are here touching ev'ry heart / I worship You I worship You  
You are here healing ev'ry heart / I worship You I worship You

You are here turning lives around / I worship You I worship You  
You are here mending ev'ry heart / I worship You yeah I worship You Lord

That is who You are / That is who You are  
That is who You are / That is who You are

(Bridge)

Even when I don't see it You're working  
Even when I don't feel it You're working  
You never stop You never stop working  
You never stop You never stop working

## **HOW GREAT THOU ART**

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 pow'r thru'out / The universe displayed

Chorus

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

When thru 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

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

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

## **HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US**

How deep the Father's love for us / How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son / To make a wretch His treasure  
How great the pain of searing loss / The Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One / Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross / My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice / Call out among the scoffers  
It was my sin that held Him there / Until it was accomplished  
His dying breath has brought me life / I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything / No gifts no pow'r no wisdom  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ / His death and resurrection  
Why should I gain from His reward / I cannot give an answer  
But this I know with all my heart / His wounds have paid my ransom