

**Soul 2021 08 15**

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Sunday, August 15, 2021

**SUNDAY SERVICE DETAILS**

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**HYMNS: 505, 543, 374**

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**Hymn #505**

I will bless the Lord and give Him glory.

O I will bless His name and give Him glory.

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The Lord is gracious and merciful,

Great in kindness and good to all.

The Lord is righteous in all His ways;

Bless the Lord and give Him praise.

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**Scriptural Selection**

1. I Sam 23:21 Blessed (to ;)

21 Blessed *be* ye of the LORD;

2. Ps 112:1, 2

1 PRAISE ye the LORD. Blessed *is* the man *that* feareth the LORD, *that* delighteth greatly in his commandments.

2 His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the upright shall be blessed.

3. Lev. 26:2-6 I am

2 I *am* the LORD.

3 ¶ If ye walk in my statutes, and keep my commandments, and do them;

4 Then I will give you rain in due season, and the land shall yield her increase, and the trees of the field shall yield their fruit.

5 And your threshing shall reach unto the vintage, and the vintage shall reach unto the sowing time: and ye shall eat your bread to the full, and dwell in your land safely.

6 And I will give peace in the land, and ye shall lie down, and none shall make *you* afraid: and I will rid evil beasts out of the land, neither shall the sword go through your land.

4. Deut. 28:1-7 it (to :), 8

1 it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe *and* to do all his commandments which I

command thee this day, that the LORD thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth:

- 2 And all these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God.
- 3 Blessed *shalt* thou *be* in the city, and blessed *shalt* thou *be* in the field.
- 4 Blessed *shall be* the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy ground, and the fruit of thy cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep.
- 5 Blessed *shall be* thy basket and thy store.
- 6 Blessed *shalt* thou *be* when thou comest in, and blessed *shalt* thou *be* when thou goest out.
- 7 The LORD shall cause thine enemies that rise up against thee to be smitten before thy face:
- 8 The LORD shall command the blessing upon thee in thy storehouses, and in all that thou settest thine hand unto; and he shall bless thee in the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

#### 5. Mal. 3:10

- 10 Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that *there shall not be room enough to receive it.*

#### Prayer

Silent prayer, followed by the audible repetition of the Lord's Prayer with its spiritual interpretation by Mary Baker Eddy

**Our Father which art in heaven,**

*Our Father-Mother God, all-harmonious,*

**Hallowed be Thy name.**

*Adorable One.*

**Thy kingdom come.**

*Thy kingdom is come; Thou art ever-present.*

**Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.**

*Enable us to know, — as in heaven, so on earth, — God is omnipotent, supreme.*

**Give us this day our daily bread;**

*Give us grace for to-day; feed the famished affections;*

**And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.**

*And Love is reflected in love;*

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;**

*And God leadeth us not into temptation, but delivereth us from sin, disease, and death.*

**For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.**

*For God is infinite, all-power; all Life, Truth, Love, over all, and All.*

#### Hymn #543

O Jesus, our dear Master,  
Your works, now understood,  
Reveal their full effulgence  
Through love and brotherhood.

Today Christ's precious Science  
 Your healing power makes plain:  
 With joy may all obey you  
 And cast out sin and pain.

The Christ, eternal manhood,  
 As God's own Son beloved,  
 A tender ever-presence  
 Within each heart is proved.  
 O God, our Father-Mother,  
 Your name we see expressed  
 By man, who in Your Science  
 Is perfect, holy, blessed.

O Science, God-sent message  
 To tired humanity,  
 You are Love's revelation  
 Of Truth that makes us free.  
 Your kingdom, God, within us  
 Shows forth Love's sweet control.  
 God's idea, man, rejoices;  
 We know the reign of Soul.

### Notices

#### Solo

"The Beatitudes" sung by Josh Henn

### Explanatory Note

#### Golden Text and Responsive Reading

**GOLDEN TEXT** (Ps 104:1)

Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, thou art very great; thou art clothed with honour and majesty.

**RESPONSIVE READING** (Num 6:22-26; Ps 103:19-22; 3:3 thou,4,8)

And the Lord spake unto Moses, saying,

**Speak unto Aaron and unto his sons, saying, On this wise ye shall bless the children of Israel, saying unto them,**  
 The Lord bless thee, and keep thee:

**The Lord make his face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee:**

The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace.

**The Lord hath prepared his throne in the heavens; and his kingdom ruleth over all.**

Bless the Lord, ye his angels, that excel in strength, that do his commandments, hearkening unto the voice of his word.

**Bless ye the Lord, all ye his hosts; ye ministers of his, that do his pleasure.**

Bless the Lord, all his works in all places of his dominion: bless the Lord, O my soul.

**. . . thou, O Lord, art a shield for me; my glory, and the lifter up of mine head.**

cried unto the Lord with my voice, and he heard me out of his holy hill.

**Salvation belongeth unto the Lord: thy blessing is upon thy people.**

#### Bible Lesson-sermon

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**Hymn #374**

We thank Thee and we bless Thee,  
O Father of us all,  
That e'en before we ask Thee  
Thou hear'st Thy children's call.  
We praise Thee for Thy goodness  
And tender, constant care,  
We thank Thee, Father-Mother,  
That Thou hast heard our prayer.

We thank Thee and we bless Thee,  
O Lord of all above,  
That now Thy children know Thee  
As everlasting Love.  
And Love is not the author  
Of discord, pain and fear;  
O Love divine, we thank Thee  
That good alone is here.

We thank Thee, Father-Mother,  
For blessings, light and grace  
Which bid mankind to waken  
And see Thee face to face.  
We thank Thee, when in anguish  
We turn from sense to Soul,  
That we may hear Thee calling:  
Rejoice, for thou art whole.

**Scientific Statement of Being**

SH 468:9 There

- 9 There is no life, truth, intelligence, nor sub-  
stance in matter. All is infinite Mind and its infinite  
manifestation, for God is All-in-all. Spirit is immortal
- 12 Truth; matter is mortal error. Spirit is the real and  
eternal; matter is the unreal and temporal. Spirit is  
God, and man is His image and likeness. Therefore
- 15 man is not material; he is spiritual.

**Correlative Scripture**

I John 3:1-3

- 1 BEHOLD, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God: therefore the world knoweth us not, because it knew him not.
- 2 Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.

- 3 And every man that hath this hope in him purifieth himself, even as he is pure.

**Benediction**

May the God of peace himself make you entirely pure and devoted to God; and may your spirit and soul and body be kept strong and blameless And may rich blessings from our Lord Jesus Christ be with you,...

I Ths 3:25, 28 The Living Bible

AMEN.

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