

**God 2022 01 02**

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Sunday, January 2, 2022

**SUNDAY SERVICE DETAILS**

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**HYMNS: 437, 160, 72**

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**Hymn #**

All my hope on God is founded;  
 Day by day my trust is new.  
 Through the trials of life He guides me,  
 Only good and only true.  
 God alone, dearly known,  
 Calls my heart to be His own.

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Earthly treasures, pride and glory,  
 Human power and worldly trust,  
 Though with care and toil are builded,  
 In the end will fall to dust.  
 But God's power, hour by hour,  
 Is my temple and my tower.

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Daily does th'almighty Giver  
 Bounteous gifts on us bestow.  
 Love's desire our soul delighteth,  
 Joy attends us where we go.  
 Blessings stand at God's hand,  
 Healing flows at Love's command.

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Now from man to God eternal  
 Endless thanks and praise be sung.  
 Hearts made new are anthems raising  
 Through the love of Christ, His Son.  
 Hear God's call, one and all,  
 We who follow shall not fall.

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**Scriptural Selection**

1. Ps 93:1, 2, 4, 5

- 1 THE LORD reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the LORD is clothed with strength, *wherewith* he hath girded himself: the world also is stablished, that it cannot be moved.
- 2 Thy throne *is* established of old: thou *art* from everlasting.
- 4 The LORD on high *is* mightier than the noise of many waters, *yea, than* the mighty waves of the sea.
- 5 Thy testimonies are very sure: holiness becometh thine house, O LORD, for ever.

## 2. Ps 86:9, 10, 12, 13 (to :), 15 thou

- 9 All nations whom thou hast made shall come and worship before thee, O Lord; and shall glorify thy name.
- 10 For thou *art* great, and doest wondrous things: thou *art* God alone.
- 12 I will praise thee, O Lord my God, with all my heart: and I will glorify thy name for evermore.
- 13 For great *is* thy mercy toward me:
- 15 thou, O Lord, *art* a God full of compassion, and gracious, longsuffering, and plenteous in mercy and truth.

## 3. Ps 118:29

- 29 O give thanks unto the LORD; for *he is* good: for his mercy *endureth* for ever.

## 4. Ps 27:1

- 1 THE LORD *is* my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the LORD *is* the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

## 5. Ps 29:1-4, 11

- 1 GIVE unto the LORD, O ye mighty, give unto the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Give unto the LORD the glory due unto his name; worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the LORD *is* upon the waters: the God of glory thundereth: the LORD *is* upon many waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD *is* powerful; the voice of the LORD *is* full of majesty.
- 11 The LORD will give strength unto his people; the LORD will bless his people with peace.

## 6. Ps 46:10

- 10 Be still, and know that I *am* God: I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth.

## 7. Ps 72:8

- 8 He shall have dominion also from sea to sea, and from the river unto the ends of the earth.

## 8. Ps 22:27

- 27 All the ends of the world shall remember and turn unto the LORD: and all the kindreds of the nations shall worship before thee.

## 9. Ps 9:1

- 1 I WILL praise *thee*, O LORD, with my whole heart; I will shew forth all thy marvellous works.

### **Prayer**

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

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**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.*

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### **Hymn #160**

It matters not what be thy lot,

So Love doth guide;

For storm or shine, pure peace is thine,

Whate'er betide.

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And of these stones, or tyrants' thrones,

God able is

To raise up seed—in thought and deed—

To faithful His.

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Aye, darkling sense, arise, go hence!

Our God is good.

False fears are foes—truth tatters those,

When understood.

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Love looseth thee, and lifteth me,

Ayont hate's thrall:

There Life is light, and wisdom might,

And God is All.

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The centuries break, the earth-bound wake,  
God's glorified!

Who doth His will—His likeness still—

Is satisfied.

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**Notices**

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**A Rule for Motives and Acts**

The Church Manual by Mary Baker Eddy, page 40

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"Neither animosity nor mere personal attachment should impel the motives or acts of the members of The Mother Church. In Science, divine Love alone governs man; and a Christian Scientist reflects the sweet amenities of Love, in rebuking sin, in true brotherliness, charitableness, and forgiveness. The members of this Church should daily watch and pray to be delivered from all evil, from prophesying, judging, condemning, counseling, influencing or being influenced erroneously."

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**Solo**

O Lord Most Holy, Josh Henn

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**Explanatory Note**

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**Golden Text and Responsive Reading**

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**GOLDEN TEXT: ISAIAH**

Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else.

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**RESPONSIVE READING: PSALMS and PROVERBS**

Praise ye the Lord: for it is good to sing praises unto our God; for it is pleasant; and praise is comely.

**He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds.**

He telleth the number of the stars; he calleth them all by their names.

**Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite.**

Sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving; sing praise upon the harp unto our God:

**Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.**

In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

**In thee, O Lord, do I put my trust: let me never be put to confusion.**

Deliver me in thy righteousness, and cause me to escape: incline thine ear unto me, and save me.

**For thou art my hope, O Lord God:**

. . . thou art my strong refuge.

**. . . I will hope continually, and will yet praise thee more and more.**

I will go in the strength of the Lord God: I will make mention of thy righteousness, even of thine only.

**Thou shalt increase my greatness, and comfort me on every side.**

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**Bible Lesson-sermon**

From the Christian Science Quarterly

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**Hymn #71**

Glory be to God on high,  
 God whose glory fills the sky;  
 Peace on earth to man is given,  
 Man, the well-beloved of heaven.  
 Gracious Father, in Thy love,  
 Send Thy blessings from above;

Let Thy light, Thy truth, Thy peace  
Bid all strife and tumult cease.

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Mark the wonders of His hand:  
Power no empire can withstand;  
Wisdom, angels' glorious theme;  
Goodness one eternal stream.  
All ye people, raise the song,  
Endless thanks to God belong;  
Hearts o'erflowing with His praise,  
Join the hymns your voices raise.

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### **Scientific Statement of Being**

SH 468:9 There

- 9 There is no life, truth, intelligence, nor substance 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**

Zeph 3:17

- 17 The LORD thy God in the midst of thee *is* mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing.