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Sunday, February 19, 2023

SUNDAY SERVICE DETAILS

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Hymns

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Hymn Lyrics

Hymn 79

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JOHN BOWRING*

(79)

MERTON

WILLIAM H. MONK

God is Love; His mercy brightens
All the path in which we rove;
Bliss He wakes and woe He lightens;
God is wisdom, God is Love.

E'en the hour that darkest seemeth,
Will His changeless goodness prove;
Through the mist His brightness streameth;
God is wisdom, God is Love.

He with earthly cares entwineth
Hope and comfort from above;
Everywhere His glory shineth;
God is wisdom, God is Love.

Hymn 32

Hymn 30–32, 434, 435

LOVE

MARY BAKER EDDY

(30)

LOVE

WALTER E. YOUNG

(31)

VITA

EATON FANING

Music by permission of the executor
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GOTTLOB

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH, ALT.

Brood o'er us with Thy shelt'ring wing,
 'Neath which our spirits blend
 Like brother birds, that soar and sing,
 And on the same branch bend.
 The arrow that doth wound the dove
 Darts not from those who watch and love.

If thou the bending reed wouldst break
 By thought or word unkind,
 Pray that his spirit you partake,
 Who loved and healed mankind:
 Seek holy thoughts and heavenly strain,
 That make men one in love remain.

Learn, too, that wisdom's rod is given
 For faith to kiss, and know;
 That greetings glorious from high heaven,
 Whence joys supernal flow,
 Come from that Love, divinely near,
 Which chastens pride and earth-born fear,
 Through God, who gave that word of might
 Which swelled creation's lay:
 "Let there be light, and there was light."
 What chased the clouds away?
 'Twas Love whose finger traced aloud
 A bow of promise on the cloud.

Thou to whose power our hope we give,
 Free us from human strife.
 Fed by Thy love divine we live,
 For Love alone is Life;
 And life most sweet, as heart to heart
 Speaks kindly when we meet and part.

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Father, we Your loving children
 Lift our hearts in joy today,
 Knowing well that You wilt keep us
 Ever in Your blessed way.
 You are Love and You are wisdom,
 You are Life and You are All;
 In Your Spirit living, moving,
 We shall neither faint nor fall.

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 Come we daily then, dear Father,
 Open hearts and willing hands,
 Eager ears, expectant, joyful,
 Ready for Your right commands.
 We would hear no other voices,
 We would heed no other call;
 You alone art good and gracious,

You our Mind and You our All.

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In Your house securely dwelling,
Where Your children live to bless,
Seeing only Your creation,
We can share Your happiness,
Share Your joy and spend it freely.
Loyal hearts can feel no fear;
We Your children know You, Father,
Love and Life forever near.

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Father, we Your loving children
Lift our hearts in joy today,
Knowing well that You will keep us
Ever in Your blessed way.

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Scriptural Selection

1. Prov. 3:1, 4, 13-18

- 1 MY son, forget not my law; but let thine heart keep my commandments;
- 4 So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man.
- 13 ¶ Happy *is* the man *that* findeth wisdom, and the man *that* getteth understanding.
- 14 For the merchandise of it *is* better than the merchandise of silver, and the gain thereof than fine gold.
- 15 She *is* more precious than rubies: and all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared unto her.
- 16 Length of days *is* in her right hand; *and* in her left hand riches and honour.
- 17 Her ways *are* ways of pleasantness, and all her paths *are* peace.
- 18 She *is* a tree of life to them that lay hold upon her: and happy *is every one* that retaineth her.

2. I Cor 1:1, 3, 17-24

- 1 PAUL, called *to be* an apostle of Jesus Christ through the will of God, and Sosthenes *our* brother,
- 3 Grace *be* unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and *from* the Lord Jesus Christ.
- 17 For Christ sent me not to baptize, but to preach the gospel: not with wisdom of words, lest the cross of Christ should be made of none effect.
- 18 For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God.
- 19 For it is written, I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and will bring to nothing the understanding of the prudent.

- 20 Where *is* the wise? where *is* the scribe? where *is* the disputer of this world? hath not God made foolish the wisdom of this world?
- 21 For after that in the wisdom of God the world by wisdom knew not God, it pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe.
- 22 For the Jews require a sign, and the Greeks seek after wisdom:
- 23 But we preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness;
- 24 But unto them which are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God.
3. I Cor 2:1-5, 12
- 1 AND I, brethren, when I came to you, came not with excellency of speech or of wisdom, declaring unto you the testimony of God.
- 2 For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified.
- 3 And I was with you in weakness, and in fear, and in much trembling.
- 4 And my speech and my preaching *was* not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power:
- 5 That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God.
- 12 Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.

Solo

Give me O Lord

The Solo Committee

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Benediction

Col 1:9

- 9 For this cause we also, since the day we heard *it*, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding;