

The Vine Fellowship
Liturgy
August 23, 2020

Welcome/Announcements

Song: *King of My Heart*
Verse 1: Let the King of my heart; Be the mountain where I run
The fountain I drink from; Oh He is my song
Let the King of my heart; Be the shadow where I hide
The ransom for my life; Oh He is my song
Chorus:: You are good good oh; You are good good oh
You are good good oh; You are good good oh
Verse 2: Let the King of my heart; Be the wind inside my sails
The anchor in the waves; Oh He is my song
Let the King of my heart; Be the fire inside my veins
The echo of my days; Oh He is my song
Bridge: You're never gonna let; Never gonna let me down
You're never gonna let; Never gonna let me down
You're never gonna let; Never gonna let me down
You're never gonna let; Never gonna let me down
Ending: When the night is holding on to me; God is holding on
When the night is holding on to me; God is holding on

Confession: New City Catechism Question 2/Scripture: Psalm 86:8–10, 15
(Leader) What is God?

(People) God is the creator and sustainer of everyone and everything. He is eternal, infinite, and unchangeable in his power and perfection, goodness and glory, wisdom, justice, and truth. Nothing happens except through him and by his will.

Song: *How Deep The Father's Love for Us*
Verse 1: 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
Verse 2: 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
Verse 3: 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

Sermon: **Philippians 1:3-11, "Thanksgiving and Intercession"**

Song: *Graves Into Gardens*

Verse 1: I searched the world but it couldn't fill me
Man's empty praise and treasures that fade
Are never enough

Then You came along and put me back together
And every desire is now satisfied here in Your love

Chorus: Oh there's nothing better than You; There's nothing better than You
Lord there's nothing; Nothing is better than You

Verse 2: I'm not afraid to show You my weakness

My failures and flaws

Lord You've seen them all

And You still call me friend

'Cause the God of the mountain

Is the God of the valley

And there's not a place

Your mercy and grace won't find me again

Bridge: You turn mourning to dancing; You give beauty for ashes

You turn shame into glory; You're the only one who can

You turn graves into gardens; You turn bones into armies

You turn seas into highways; You're the only one who can

Song: *In Christ Alone*

Verse 1: In Christ alone my hope is found; He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid Ground; Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace; When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All; Here in the love of Christ I stand

Verse 2: In Christ alone who took on flesh; Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness; Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died; The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid; Here in the death of Christ I live

Verse 3: There in the ground His body lay; Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day; Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory; Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine; Bought with the precious blood of Christ

Verse 4: No guilt in life no fear in death; This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath; Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man; Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home; Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Benediction:

Numbers 6:24–26

**The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. (ESV)**