

HOLY IS THE LORD

TOMLIN / GIGLIO

We stand and lift up our hands
For the joy of the Lord is our strength
We bow down and worship Him now
How great, how awesome is He
And together we sing

Chorus
Holy is the Lord God Almighty
The earth is filled with His glory
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The earth is filled with His glory *(Back to Verse)*

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It is rising up all around
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CONFESSING OUR SINS

LEADER: Lord God Almighty, forgive us Your children. Restore us, bring us to true repentance; teach us to accept the sacrifice of Christ. Break us where we are proud, make us strong where we are weak through Jesus Christ.

CHURCH: Merciful God, You made us in Your image, with a mind to know You and a will to serve You. Our knowledge is imperfect, our love is inconsistent, our obedience incomplete. Day by day, we fail to grow into Your likeness. In Your tender love, forgive us, make our lives faithful and our talk blameless that we may live in Your presence forever; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please pause for a time of silent confession, as you confess to the Lord what he already knows about you, yet what he wants you to acknowledge, confess and repent of.

LEADER: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. May the God of mercy, who forgives us all our sins, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. Amen.

SHINE ON US

SMITH / SMITH

Lord, let Your light, light of Your face shine on us.
Lord, let Your light, light of Your face shine on us
That we may be saved, that we may have life;
To find our way in the darkest night,
Let Your light shine on us.

Lord, let Your grace, grace from Your hand fall on us.
Lord, let Your grace, grace from Your hand fall on us.
That we may be saved, that we may have life;
To find our way in the darkest night,
Let Your grace fall on us.

Lord, let Your love, love with no end come over us.
Lord, let Your love, love with no end come over us
That we may be saved, that we may have life;
To find our way in the darkest night,
Let Your love come over us.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

(B 138)

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
Who wert and art and evermore shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
Though the eye of sinfulness Thy glory may not see;
Only Thou art holy, there is none beside Thee,
Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
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SHARING OF THE PEACE

LEADER: The Peace of the Lord be with you.
CHURCH: And also with you.
LEADER: Please share the peace of the Lord with one another.

CHILDRENS MESSAGE

Children are welcome to come forward to hear the message. After the message, children up to age 6 can be dismissed to the Nursery.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY INTERMEZZO *Mascagni*

THE WORD

MESSAGE WORK – CULTIVATING THE GARDEN
SCRIPTURE Colossians 3:23-24; Genesis 2:15
SERIES Gospel In Life

LAVISH LOVE, ABUNDANT BEAUTY

(W 61)

Lavish love, abundant beauty, gracious gifts for heart and hand,
Life that fills the soul and senses, all burst forth at Your command.
Lord, our Lord, Eternal Father, Great Creator, God and Friend,
Boundless pow’r gave full expression, to Your love which knows no end.

Who am I that You should love me, Meet my every need from birth?
Why invest Yourself so fully, in a creature made of earth?
In Your loving heart You planned me, fashioned me with greatest care;
Through my soul You breathed Your Spirit, planted Your own image there.

I am Yours, Eternal Father, all my body, mind and heart.
Take and use me to Your glory, form Yourself in every part.
Lord, Your love brings joy and gladness, flowing forth within my soul.
May my very breath and being, rise to You, their source and goal.

SENDING OUT

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE SHEEP MAY SAFELY GRAZE *Bach*

WELCOME TO ESCALON PRESBYTERIAN

This Morning Office Hours Contact Info Please sign the Attendance Booklet at the end of each pew
Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Closed on Mondays
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E-mail - escalonpres@gmail.com / Web - escalonpres.org

TODAY

Sunday School Morning Worship Fellowship College Age Class Adult SS – 9:00 am / Youth SS - 9:15
10:30 am
Following Worship / *Faith Center*
6:30 pm / Nickerson’s Home

THIS WEEK

Monday Women’s Circle 1:30 pm / *Fireside Room*
S.I.S. 6:30 pm / *Faith Center*
Wednesday Youth Group 6:30 pm / *Youth Room*
Choir Practice 7:00 pm / *Choir Room*

COMING UP

Feb 20 March Newsletter Deadline
Feb 22 Combined Session & Deacon Meeting 7:00 pm / *Fireside Rm*
Feb 25 Father Daughter Dance 6:30 pm / *Faith Center*
Feb 27 Sandoval Baby Shower 1:00 pm / *Faith Center*
C.A.R.E. Sunday / Focus Food – *Dry Beans*



SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 13, 2011

WORK – CULTIVATING THE GARDEN

REFLECTION

"Christianity is not a sedentary profession or employment. Sitting still will lose you heaven, as well as if you run from it."

"Be laborious and diligent in your callings [work] . . . ; and if you cheerfully serve [God] in the labour of your hands, with a heavenly and obedient mind, it will be as acceptable to him as if you had spent all that time in more spiritual exercises"

~ Richard Baxter

PREPARATION

PRELUDE TRAUMEREI *Schumann*

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: O LORD, our LORD, You alone call the day into being.

CHURCH: You are the joy and the beauty of each new day!

LEADER: We offer to You the deep thanksgiving of our hearts.

CHURCH: We praise Your Holy Name for the gift of Your salvation.

PRAYER REQUESTS

David Jolliff Pray for David as he is back in the hospital
Tom Love Pray for continued recovery & for cancer treatment
Zola Prithcard Pray for her as she mourns the loss of her brother
Nicole Demott Pray for God’s intervention & direction
Fahey Family Pray for them as they await their adoption placement
Joanne Nobili Pray for continued recovery & continued chemo
Adam Hall Pray for healing
Joyce Noble Prayer for Joyce’s recovery from a stroke and shingles
Dan Durham Prayer for recovery from kidney surgery due to cancer