

POLITE

Things we don't talk
about at dinner parties



THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sanctuary

November 18, 2018 ❖ 9:00 a.m



VAYZATA COMMUNITY CHURCH
inspire the world

Worship Order

November 18, 2018 ❖ 9:00 a.m.

Bible Presentation Sunday

+ Indicates an invitation to rise in body or spirit.

GATHERING MUSIC

Song In My Soul
Celebration Singers, Kris Sterling Soloist

Phil Wickham

*All of Your goodness is like a well running over. Oh my soul it sings for You.
For all of Your goodness I will love You forever. All my songs I sing for You.*

GENEROSITY 2019 - Open Hearts, Open Hands, Open Minds, Open Doors

+ SONGS OF PRAISE

Standing On The Promises Of God

Traditional

Standing on the promises of Christ my King, through eternal ages let His praises ring.
Glory in the highest, I will shout and sing, standing on the promises of God.

(Chorus) Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior.
Standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,
when the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,
By the living Word of God I shall prevail, standing on the promises of God. (Chorus)

Standing on the promises I cannot fall, listening every moment to the Spirit's call,
Resting in my Savior as my all in all, standing on the promises of God. (Chorus)

Word Of God Speak

Bart Millard

I'm finding myself at a loss for words, and the funny thing is it's okay.
The last thing I need is to be heard, but to hear what You would say.

(Chorus) Word of God speak, would You pour down like rain,
Washing my eyes to see, Your majesty.
To be still and know, that You're in this place,
Please let me stay and rest, in Your holiness, (Repeat)
Word of God speak.

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COMMUNITY MOMENTS

Rustin Comer

PRESENTATION OF BIBLES

Clergy

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Rustin Comer

Leader: Would the congregation please join me as we pledge our support to these children?

All: God calls us to inspire the world with the inclusive love of Jesus. We read the Bible to learn about that brilliant love. We pledge to support these children and their parents, as we all learn the Way of Jesus. And we ask God to empower us as we live His Way into the world.

Leader: Let us pray together.

All: Loving God, we thank You for the Bible. It helps us know the way You love the world. Help us to listen well to these words. Transform us by Your grace. Do Your work in the world through our learning and our living, in Jesus. Amen.

MILESTONE BLESSING

John Ross

SPECIAL MUSIC

Enough

Chris Tomlin

K-5th Children's Ministry Singers

Soloists, Campbell Jones, Evi Kreger, Avery Good, Emily Abood, Zoe Ryan

All of You is more than enough for all of me, for every thirst and every need.

You satisfy me with Your love, and all I have in You is more than enough.

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 20:17-28

Rustin Comer

Leader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Polite Conversations: POLITICS

John Ross

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

If We're Honest

Molly Reed

Tapestry

When we argue and we don't get anywhere, and hostility is in the air.

There is freedom found when we lay our difference down at the cross.

So bring your brokenness and I'll bring mine, love can heal what hurt divides,

Mercy's waiting on the other side. If we're honest.

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Rustin Comer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come.

Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

+ SENDING SONG

All The People Say Amen

Matt Maher

You are not alone, if you are lonely, when you feel afraid, you're not the only,
We are all the same, in need of mercy, to be forgiven and be free.
It's all you got to lean on but thank God it's all you need.

(Chorus) And all the people said Amen,
Oh, and all the people said Amen.
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends.
And all the people said Amen.

If you're rich or poor, well it don't matter. Weak or strong, we know love is what we're after.
We're all broken but we're all in this together. God knows we stumble and fall,
And God so loved the world He sent His Son to love us all. (Chorus)

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+ BENEDICTION

John Ross

Leader: For what does the Lord require of us?

All: To do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with our God. (Micah 6:8)

SENDING MUSIC

Tapestry Band

...The End of Worship, the Beginning of Service...

All who wish are invited forward after worship to explore our amazing Saint John's Bible.
Docents will be on hand to assist.

FOLLOWING WORSHIP...

You are invited to remain in the Sanctuary as long as you wish
or, you may proceed to the Colonnade for fellowship and coffee.

If you have joys or concerns to share with us, one of our clergy
will be near the Prayer Room at the back of the Sanctuary.

New to Wayzata Community Church?

We would love to meet you. Join one of our clergy for a Quick Hello
immediately following the service at the *Hello Spot* in Founders Hall.

We are glad you are here!



WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher	Rev. Dr. John F. Ross
Liturgist	Rev. Rustin Comer
Music	Tapestry, Celebration Singers, K-5 Singers
Deacon	Andy Jacobson
Chancel Guild	Jeanne MacLeod
Head Usher	Jim Cada & Steve Beachler
Ushers	The Brad Alexander Team