



## APPROACH TO WORSHIP



Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord our God,

**People: The Maker of Heaven and earth,**

**Leader: Who comes to our aid in times of need**

Leader:: Who gives us the courage to do what we know is right

**People: Like Moses' mother and Pharaoh's daughter**

Leader:: who invite us to turn away from the influences of the world around us

**People: and confess Him alone as Saviour and Lord.**

**ALL: This is our God**

**Let's worship together.**

### Praise Chorus

- No Longer A Slave To Fear
- I've Got My Mind Made Up (Medley)

### Gathering Hymn

*Joyful, Joyful,  
We Adore You*

1 **J**oyful, joyful, we adore You,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before You,  
Op'ning to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;  
Drive the dark of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness,  
Fill us with the light of day!

2 All Your works with joy surround You,  
Earth and heav'n reflect Your rays,  
Stars and angels sing around You,  
Center of unbroken praise;  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,  
Chanting bird and flowing fountain  
Praising You eternally!

3 Always giving and forgiving,  
Ever blessing, ever blest,  
Well-spring of the joy of living,  
Ocean-depth of happy rest!  
Loving Father, Christ our Brother,  
Let Your light upon us shine;

4 Mortals, join the mighty chorus,  
Which the morning stars began;  
God's own love is reigning o'er us,  
Joining people hand in hand.  
Ever singing, march we onward,  
Victors in the midst of strife;  
Joyful music leads us sunward  
In the triumph song of life.

**Prayer Chorus:** Sweet Hour of Prayer

### PRAYER OF ADORATION & CONFESSION

#### The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
Holy, holy, holy, be Thy name  
Thy kingdom come on earth, Thy will be done, on earth  
Thy kingdom come on the earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread. ( Rept. x3 )  
And forgive us our trespasses, (Repeat)  
As we forgive those who trespass against us, forgive us our trespasses.  
Do not lead us into temptation, (Repeat)  
But, deliver us from all evil, (Repeat)  
Amen, Amen, Amen! Amen, Amen, Amen!  
(Arr. Fr. Richard Ho Lung)**

#### Responsive Reading

**Psalm 1 and 1 John 5 :  
9-12  
NRSV**

Leader: Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked  
**People: or take the path that sinners tread or sit in the seat of scoffers,**

Leader: but their delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law they meditate day and night.

**People: They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither.**

Leader: In all that they do, they prosper

**People: Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous**

Leader: for the LORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

#### 1John 5:9-12

Leader: We receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son.

**People: Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts.**

Leader: Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son.

**People: And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.**

Leader: And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.

**People: Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.**

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

### WORSHIP THROUGH CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP

#### Brief Welcome, Greetings &

#### Notices

- Offertory Commitment & Blessing of Offering
- Receiving of Tithes & Offering
- Doxology
- Sunday School Minute
- **Special Item Celebrating Mothers**
- Prayer with the Children
- Prayer of Intercession & Thanksgiving

### WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

#### Scripture

#### Reading

**Isaiah 66:5-13**

#### Hymn of

Faith of Our Mothers

#### Preparation

1 **F**aith of our mothers, living still  
In cradle song and bedtime prayer;  
In nursery lore and fireside love,  
Thy presence still pervades the air.  
Faith of our mothers, living faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

2 Faith of our mothers, loving faith,  
Fount of our childhood's trust and grace,  
Oh, may thy consecration prove  
Source of a finer, nobler race;  
Faith of our mothers, loving faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

3 Faith of our mothers, guiding faith,  
For youthful longing, youthful doubt,  
How blurred our vision, blind our way,  
Thy providential care without.  
Faith of our mothers, guiding faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

4 Faith of our mothers, Christian faith,  
In truth beyond our stumbling creeds,  
Still serve the home and save the Church,  
And breathe thy spirit through our deeds;  
Faith of our mothers, Christian faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

#### PREPARATION CHORUS

*Bless Thy word unto our hearts  
And glorify Thy name (rept.)  
Glorify Thy name (rept.)  
Bless Thy word unto our hearts  
And glorify Thy name*

Message



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