

# Midweek Worship Bulletin

## July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### Call to Worship

*Cheryl Clarenbach*

Jesus said: The Spirit of the Lord has anointed me to bring good news to the poor and release to the captives. Happy are those who hear the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bear fruit with endurance.

### **Song: Glory to God Hymnal #319** “Men of Faith Rise Up and Sing” (Shout to the North)

Men of faith rise up and sing  
Of the great and glorious King  
You are strong when you feel weak  
In your brokenness complete

#### *Chorus*

Shout to the north and the south  
Sing to the east and the west  
Jesus is Savior to all  
Lord of heaven and earth

Rise up women of the truth  
Stand and sing to broken hearts  
Who can know the healing pow'r  
Of our awesome King of love (*chorus*)

#### *Bridge*

We've been through fire  
We've been through rain  
We've been refined  
By the pow'r of His name  
We've fallen deeper  
In love with You  
You've burned  
The truth on our lips (*chorus*)

Rise up church with broken wings  
Fill this place with songs again  
Of our God who reigns on high  
By His grace again we'll fly (*chorus*)

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## Prayer of Adoration

**Scriptures:** Psalm 142

- <sup>1</sup> With my voice I cry to the Lord;  
with my voice I make supplication to the Lord.  
<sup>2</sup> I pour out my complaint before him;  
I tell my trouble before him.  
<sup>3</sup> When my spirit is faint,  
you know my way.

In the path where I walk  
they have hidden a trap for me.  
<sup>4</sup> Look on my right hand and see—  
there is no one who takes notice of me;  
no refuge remains to me;  
no one cares for me.

- <sup>5</sup> I cry to you, O Lord;  
I say, 'You are my refuge,  
my portion in the land of the living.'  
<sup>6</sup> Give heed to my cry,  
for I am brought very low.

Save me from my persecutors,  
for they are too strong for me.  
<sup>7</sup> Bring me out of prison,  
so that I may give thanks to your name.  
The righteous will surround me,  
for you will deal bountifully with me.

**Vocal Solo:** "People Need the Lord"

*Carol Wetzel*

Ev'ryday they pass me by  
I can see it in their eyes  
Empty people filled with care  
Headed who knows where  
On they go through private pain  
Living fear to fear  
Laughter hides the silent cries  
Only Jesus hears

*Chorus*

People need the Lord  
People need the Lord  
At the end of broken dreams  
He's the open door  
People need the Lord

People need the Lord  
When will we realize  
People need the Lord

We are called to take His light  
To a world where wrong seems right  
What could be too great a cost  
For sharing life with one who's lost  
Through His love our hearts can feel  
All the grief they bear  
They must hear the words of life  
Only we can share (*chorus*)

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#### Matthew 13:10-17

10 Then the disciples came and asked him, 'Why do you speak to them in parables?' <sup>11</sup>He answered, 'To you it has been given to know the secrets of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given. <sup>12</sup>For to those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. <sup>13</sup>The reason I speak to them in parables is that "seeing they do not perceive, and hearing they do not listen, nor do they understand." <sup>14</sup>With them indeed is fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah that says:

"You will indeed listen, but never understand,  
and you will indeed look, but never perceive.

<sup>15</sup> For this people's heart has grown dull,  
and their ears are hard of hearing,  
and they have shut their eyes;  
so that they might not look with their eyes,  
and listen with their ears,  
and understand with their heart and turn—  
and I would heal them."

<sup>16</sup>But blessed are your eyes, for they see, and your ears, for they hear. <sup>17</sup>Truly I tell you, many prophets and righteous people longed to see what you see, but did not see it, and to hear what you hear, but did not hear it.

**Message:** "Worth Working For"

**Song: Glory to God Hymnal #452** "Open the Eyes of My Heart Lord"

Open the eyes of my heart Lord  
Open the eyes of my heart

I want to see You  
I want to see You

Open the eyes of my heart Lord  
Open the eyes of my heart  
I want to see You  
I want to see You

To see You high and lifted up  
Shining in the light of Your glory  
Pour out Your power and love  
As we sing holy holy holy

Holy holy holy  
Holy holy holy  
Holy holy holy  
I want to see You

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## **Benediction**