

# SUBSTANCE

EST. CHURCH 2013

## ***CALL TO WORSHIP***

### **Psalm 104 (Adapted)**

Bless the Lord, O my soul! O Lord my God, you are very great! You are clothed with splendor and majesty. You set the earth on its foundations, so that it should never be moved. May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works.

*Only a Holy God*

*Great Are You Lord*

## ***CONFESSION OF SIN***

*All the Poor and Powerless*

## ***ASSURANCE OF GRACE***

### **Ephesians 2:4-5**

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ -by grace you have been saved.

*Scandal of Grace*

## ***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING***

Pastor Zach Watson

## ***PREACHING OF GOD'S WORD***

Luke 16:19-31

**The Truth About Eternity**

Pastor Jeff Powell

## ***PROFESSION OF FAITH***

**Romans 5:8-11**

## ***SONG OF RESPONSE***

*Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery*

## ***BENEDICTION***

Pastor Zach Watson

# Only a Holy God

## VERSE 1

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven  
Who else could make every king bow down  
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles  
Only a Holy God

## VERSE 2

What other beauty demands such praises  
What other splendour outshines the sun  
What other majesty rules with justice  
Only a Holy God

## CHORUS

Come and behold Him, the One and the Only  
Cry out, sing holy, forever a Holy God  
Come and worship the Holy God

## VERSE 3

What other glory consumes like fire  
What other power can raise the dead  
What other name remains undefeated  
Only a Holy God

## VERSE 4

Who else could rescue me from my failing  
Who else would offer His only Son  
Who else invites me to call Him Father  
Only a Holy God  
Only my Holy God

# Great Are You Lord

## VERSE 1

You give life, You are love  
You bring light to the darkness  
You give hope, You restore  
Every heart that is broken  
Great are You, Lord

## CHORUS

It's Your breath in our lungs  
So we pour out our praise  
We pour out our praise  
It's Your breath in our lungs  
So we pour out our praise to You only

## VERSE 2

You give life, You are love  
You bring light to the darkness  
You give hope, You restore  
Every heart that is broken  
Great are You, Lord

## BRIDGE

And all the earth will shout Your praise  
Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing  
Great are You, Lord  
(Repeat 2x)

# Confession of Sin

(Join us as we come before God and repent of our sin)

# All the Poor and Powerless

## VERSE 1

All the poor and powerless,  
And all the lost and lonely,  
All the thieves will come confess,  
And know that You are holy,  
Will know that You are holy

## CHORUS

And all will sing out, Hallelujah!  
And we will cry out, Hallelujah!

## VERSE 2

And all the hearts that are content,  
And all who feel unworthy,  
And all who hurt with nothing left,  
Will know that You are holy

## BRIDGE

Shout it, go on and scream it from the mountains,  
Go on and tell it to the masses, that He is God!

## ASSURANCE OF GRACE

(Join us as we read a passage of assurance together)

### **Ephesians 2:4-5**

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ -by grace you have been saved.

# Scandal of Grace

## VERSE 1

Grace, what have You done?  
Murdered for me on that cross  
Accused in absence of wrong  
My sin washed away in Your blood

## PRE-CHORUS

Too much to make sense of it all  
I know that Your love breaks my fall  
The scandal of grace; you died in my place  
So my soul will live

## CHORUS

Oh to be like You  
Give all I have just to know You  
Jesus there's no-one beside You  
Forever the hope in my heart

## VERSE 2

Death, where is your sting?  
Your power is as dead as my sin  
The cross has taught me to live  
And mercy my heart now to sing

## PRE-CHORUS

The day and its troubles shall come  
I know that Your strength is enough  
The scandal of grace; you died in my place  
So my soul will live

## BRIDGE

And it's all because of You Jesus  
It's all because of You Jesus  
It's all because of Your love  
That my soul will live

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

(Join us as we praise God for His abundant blessings)

# Luke 16:19-31

**19** "There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. **20** And at his gate was laid a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, **21** who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table. Moreover, even the dogs came and licked his sores. **22** The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's side. The rich man also died and was buried, **23** and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. **24** And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame.' **25** But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner bad things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. **26** And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' **27** And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house— **28** for I have five brothers—so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' **29** But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the Prophets; let them hear them.' **30** And he said, 'No, father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' **31** He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.'"

## PROFESSION OF FAITH

(Join us in reading a passage aloud together that affirms the word we have just heard preached)

### **Romans 5:8-11 (Congregation)**

God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

# Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

## VERSE 1

Come behold the wondrous mystery in the dawning of the King  
He the theme of heaven's praises robed in frail humanity  
In our longing, in our darkness now the light of life has come  
Look to Christ, who condescended took on flesh to ransom us

## VERSE 2

Come behold the wondrous mystery; He the perfect Son of Man  
In His living, in His suffering never trace nor stain of sin  
See the true and better Adam come to save the hell-bound man  
Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law; in Him we stand

## VERSE 3

Come behold the wondrous mystery; Christ the Lord upon the tree  
In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory  
See the price of our redemption; see the Father's plan unfold  
Bringing many sons to glory grace unmeasured, love untold

## VERSE 4

Come behold the wondrous mystery; slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain Him; praise the Lord; He is alive!  
What a foretaste of deliverance; how unwavering our hope  
Christ in power resurrected as we will be when he comes

## BENEDICTION

(May we go rejoicing in the peace and promises of God)