



June 1, 2025 – 9:30am 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter Pastor James Gomez

# Welcome, Introduction & Invocation

Opening Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy"

[Children may bring their offerings up at this time.]

# **Confession & Promise of Forgiveness**

Leader: This is the message we have heard from Jesus Christ and proclaim to you, **People: that God is light, and in Him is no darkness at all.** [1 John 1:5]

Leader: If we say we have fellowship with Him while we walk in darkness,

**People: we lie and do not practice the truth.** [1 John 1:6]

Leader: But, if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another,

**People: and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.** [1 John 1:7]

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us,

People: If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. [1 John 1:8-9]

Welcome!!

Sunday, June 8, 2025 Shavuoth/Pentecost Scripture Readings:

Parking Lot Worship: Tune in to FM 107.7

Joshua 24:1-33; John 14:23-31

Jim Kellow, our Treasurer).

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Leader: Your sins are forgiven for His name's sake. [1 John 2:12]

People: Amen!

### Responsive Reading (based on Psalm 133):

Leader: Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity!

People: It is like the precious oil on the head, and running down your face.

Leader: It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion!

People: For there the LORD has commanded the blessing, life forevermore.

Scripture Readings: Joshua 21-23 (Summary), Rev. 22:12-21, John 17:20-26

Hymn: "God of Wonders"

Message: "To Be With You" - Rev. 22:12-21

A Prayer for the Graduating Class of 2025

Special Music: "Remember Me" - solo

**Prayers & Lord's Prayer** 

Communion – Words of Institution & Covenant Meal: Instrumental and "How Great Is Our God w/How Great Thou Art" Lyrics on screen

**Announcements & Blessing** 

Closing: "I Saw the Light"

Holy, Holy, Holy

CCLI Song # 1156

Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, Early in the morning, Our song shall rise to Thee Holy, holy, Merciful and mighty, God in three persons, Blessed Trinity \*\*\* Gluten-free wafers are available, along with white grape juice (center rings) in case of allergies or preference to avoid



Bible App:

(continued on back)

Holy, holy, All the saints adore Thee, (continued from front)

Casting down their golden crowns, Around the glassy sea,

Cherubim and seraphim, Falling down before Thee.

Which wert and art and evermore shalt be

Holy, holy, Tho' the darkness hide Thee,

Tho' the eye of sinful man, Thy glory may not see.

Only Thou art holy - There is none beside Thee,

Perfect in pow'r, in love, in purity.

Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!

All Thy works shall praise Thy name, In earth and sky and sea.

Holy, holy, Merciful and mighty!

God in three persons, Blessed Trinity!

#### **God of Wonders**

CCLI Song # 3118757

Lord of all creation, of water, earth, and sky; The heavens are Your tabernacle. Glory to the Lord on high!

God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy. The universe declares Your majesty, You are holy, holy. Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth.

Early in the morning, I will celebrate the light.

When I stumble in the darkness, I will call Your name by night.

Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) [Sing 3 times]

God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy. Precious Lord, reveal Your heart to me. Father, hold me, hold me. The universe declares Your majesty, You are holy, holy, holy!

### I Saw the Light

I wandered so aimless life filled with sin, I wouldn't let my dear Savior in Then Jesus came like a stranger in the night, Praise the Lord I saw the light

I saw the light I saw the light, No more in darkness no more in night (And) now I'm so happy no sorrow in sight. Praise the Lord I saw the light

Just like a blind man I wandered along, Worries and fears I claimed for my own Then like the blind man that God gave back his sight, Praise the Lord I saw the light

I was a fool to wander and stray, Straight is the gate and narrow the way Now I have traded the wrong for the right, Praise the Lord I saw the light

# The Book of Joshua, Chapters 21-23:

### **Chapter 21 – Cities for the Levites:**

God had told His people to give special cities to the Levites, the priests who led the tribes in the worship God. So, the Israelites shared their land and gave 48 cities to the Levites. This showed that they were obeying God and working together.

### **Chapter 22 - A Special Altar:**

Some of the tribes had helped win the battles in the Promised Land, and now it was time for them to go home. Before they left, they built a big altar by the river. The other Israelites thought they were disobeying God, but it was actually to remind everyone to keep worshiping the Lord. Once they talked it out, they understood and were happy there was no trouble.

#### **Chapter 23 – Joshua's Goodbye Message:**

Joshua was getting old, so he gave a speech to remind the people to love God and obey His commandments. He told them to be strong, keep trusting God, and not to copy the ways of people who didn't follow the Lord. Joshua reminded them that God had kept all His promises—and He would always take care of them if they stayed faithful.