- 3. Let us then be true and faithful, trusting, serving every day; just one glimpse of him in glory will the toils of life repay.[Refrain]
- 4. Onward to the prize before us! Soon his beauty we'll behold; soon the pearly gates will open; we shall tread the streets of gold. [Refrain]

SCRIPTURE READING HEBREWS 5: 1-10

SERMON "ACCORDING TO THE ORDER OF MELCHIZEDEK"

ANTHEM HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN?

*Hymn of Invitation He Touched Me

- #367
 WORDS & MUSIC BY WILLIAM J. GAITHER
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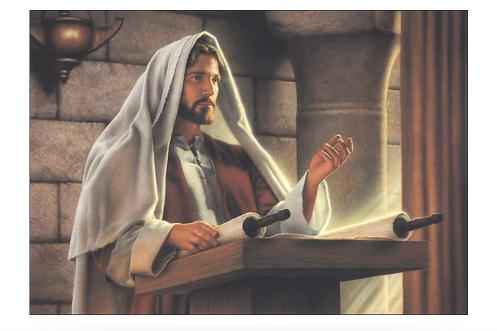
 1. Shackled by a heavy burden, neath a load of guilt and shame, then the hand of Jesus touched me, and now I am no longer the same. Refrain: He touched me, O he touched me, and O the joy that floods my soul! Something happened, and now I know, he touched me and made me whole.
- 2. Since I met this blessed Savior, since he cleansed and made me whole, I will never cease to praise him; I'll shout it while eternity rolls. [Refrain]

*BENEDICTION

*SENDING FORTH
PRAISE THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY
#139, v. 2 & 4
WORDS BY JOACHIM NEANDER
MUSIC FROM ERNEUERTEN GESANGBUCH
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- 2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigning bears thee on eagle's wings, e'er in his keeping maintaining. God's care enfolds all, whose true good he upholds. Hast thou not known his sustaining?
- 4. Praise to the Lord, who doth nourish thy life and restore thee, fitting thee well for the tasks that are ever before thee. Then to thy need God as a mother doth speed, spreading the wings of grace o'er thee.

POSTLUDE
LET THERE BE GLORY, HONOR, AND PRAISES
JAMES & ELIZABETH GREENELSH



"According to the Order of Melchizedek"

Hebrews 5: 1-10

October 24, 2021 Sunday Worship in the Sanctuary & Online 10:00 AM

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE
GLORIOUS THINGS OF THEE ARE SPOKEN
FRANZ JOSEPH HAYDN

WELCOME HOME!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

GREAT IS THE LORD MICHAEL W. SMITH & DEBORAH D. SMITH

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing praises to God, O you saints, and give thanks to God's holy name! We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life! We may cry through the night, but your joy comes with the morning. You hear us, O God, and you are gracious in our distress. You turn our mourning into dancing!

Our souls cannot be silent! O God, our Savior, we give thanks to you for ever!

*HYMN OF PRAISE

PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

#139, v. 1, 3, & 5

WORDS BY JOACHIM MEANDER

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- 1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation! All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near; join me in glad adoration!
- 3. Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee; surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee. Ponder anew what the Almighty can do, who with his love doth befriend thee.
- 5. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him! All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him! Let the amen sound from his people again; gladly forever adore him.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good. We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death. We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need.

We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.

SHARING OF OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER

BLESSED JESUS, AT THY WORD

#596, V. 1 & 3

WORDS BY TOBIAS CLAUSNITZER

MUSIC BY JOHANN R. AHLE

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1. Blessed Jesus, at thy word we are gathered all to hear thee; let our hearts and souls be stirred now to seek and love and fear thee, by thy teachings sweet and holy, drawn from earth to love thee solely.

3. Glorious Lord, thyself impart! Light of light, from God proceeding, open thou our ears and heart; help us by thy spirit's pleading; hear the cry thy people raises; hear, and bless our prayers and praises.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING PRAYER & RETURN OF GOD'S TITHES & GIFTS

*Doxology

PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

#94

Words by Thomas Ken

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Arr. By Ralph Vaughan Williams
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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN FOR CHILDREN'S CHURCH

HYMN OF FAITH WHEN WE ALL GET TO HEAVEN #701 WORDS BY ELIZA E. HEWITT MUSIC BY EMILY D. WILSON USED BY PERMISSION. CCLI LICENSE #1203752

1. Sing the wondrous love of Jesus; sing his mercy and his grace. In the mansions bright and blessed he'll prepare for us a place. <u>Refrain</u>: When we all get to heaven, what a day of rejoicing that will be! When we all see Jesus, we'll sing and shout the victory! 2. While we walk the pilgrim pathway, clouds will overspread the

sky; but when traveling days are over, not a shadow, not a sigh. [Refrain]