

## **Giving Thanks in Everything Order of Worship 6:00 Service**

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come  
Welcome

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### **Come, Ye Thankful People, Come**

#### *VERSE 1*

Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home!  
All is safely gathered in ere the winter storms begin.  
God, our Maker, doth provide for our wants to be supplied.  
Come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.

#### *VERSE 2*

All the world is God's own field, fruit unto His praise to yield;  
Wheat and tares together sown, unto joy or sorrow grown.  
First the blade, and then the ear, then the full corn shall appear;  
Lord of harvest, grant that we wholesome grain and pure may be.

#### *VERSE 3*

For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take His harvest home;  
From His field shall in that day all offenses purge away,  
Give His angels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast;  
But the fruitful ears to store in His garner evermore.

#### *VERSE 4*

Even so, Lord, quickly come, to Thy final harvest home;  
Gather Thou Thy people in, free from sorrow, free from sin.  
There, forever purified, in Thy presence to abide;  
Come, with all Thine angels, come, raise the glorious harvest home.

#### *ENDING*

Come, thankful people, come...  
Come, thankful people, come...  
Come, thankful people, come!

## Forever

### VERSE 1

Give thanks to the Lord, our God and King;  
His love endures forever.  
For He is good, He is above all things;  
His love endures forever.  
Sing praise, sing praise.

### VERSE 2

With a mighty hand and outstretched arm,  
His love endures forever.  
For the life that's been reborn,  
His love endures forever.  
Sing praise, sing praise, sing praise, sing praise.

### CHORUS

Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong;  
Forever God is with us, forever.  
Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong;  
Forever God is with us, forever.

### VERSE 3

From the rising to the setting sun,  
His love endures forever.  
And by the grace of God, we will carry on;  
His love endures forever.  
Sing praise, sing praise, sing praise, sing praise.

### BRIDGE

His love endures forever, His love endures forever,  
His love endures forever, forever.

Words and Music: CHRIS TOMLIN

## For the Beauty of the Earth

### VERSE 1

For the beauty of the earth,  
For the glory of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth  
Over and around us lies:  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise  
This our hymn of grateful praise.

### VERSE 2

For the wonder of each hour  
Of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale and tree and flow'r,  
Sun and moon and stars of light:  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise  
This our hymn of grateful praise.

### VERSE 4

For Thy church that evermore  
Lifteth holy hands above,  
Off'ring up on ev'ry shore  
Her pure sacrifice of love:  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise  
This our hymn of grateful praise.

### VERSE 5

For Thyself, best Gift Divine!  
To the world so freely giv'n;  
For that great, great love of Thine,  
Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise  
This our hymn of grateful praise...  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise  
This our hymn of grateful praise!

Words: FOLLIOTT S. PIERPOINT  
Music: CONRAD KOCHER

## Great Is Thy Faithfulness

### VERSE 1

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father;  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee.  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;  
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

### CHORUS

Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided  
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

### VERSE 2

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

### VERSE 3

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside!

Words: THOMAS O. CHISHOLM

Music: WILLIAM M. RUNYAN

## Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn)

### VERSE 1

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away, slain for us—and we remember,  
The promise made that all who come in faith find forgiveness at the cross.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of peace around the table of the King.

### VERSE 2

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ, torn for you—eat and remember;  
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life paid the price to make us one.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of love around the table of the King.

### VERSE 3

The blood that cleanses ev'ry stain of sin, shed for you—drink and remember;  
He drained death's cup that all may enter in to receive the life of God.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of grace around the table of the King.

### VERSE 4

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise to respond—and to remember,  
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ as His body here on earth.  
As we share in His suffering we proclaim Christ will come again,  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven, around the table of the King...  
Around the table of the King.

Words and Music by: KEITH GETTY and STUART TOWNEND

## We Give Thee but Thine Own

### VERSE 1

We give Thee but Thine own,  
Whate'er the gift may be;  
All that we have is Thine alone,  
A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

### VERSE 3

The captive to release,  
To God the lost to bring,  
To teach the way of life and peace,  
It is a Christlike thing.

### VERSE 4

And we believe Thy Word,  
Though dim our faith may be;  
Whate'er for Thine we do,  
O Lord, we do it unto Thee.

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Whate'er for Thine we do, O Lord,  
We do it unto Thee, we do it unto Thee.

Words: WILLIAM HOW Music: JOSEPH BARNBY