

**GOLETA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**MAY 17, 2020**

**PRELUDE:** "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Dale Wood

**WELCOME:** Rev. Jim Pazan

**HYMN OF PRAISE:** "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

**Verse 1**

Immortal invisible God only wise  
In light inaccessible Hid from our eyes  
Most blessed most glorious the Ancient of Days  
Almighty victorious Thy great name we praise

**Verse 2**

Unresting unhasting and silent as light  
Nor wanting nor wasting Thou rulest in might  
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above  
Thy clouds which are fountains  
Of goodness and love

**Verse 3**

To all life thou givest, to both great and small  
In all life thou livest, the true life of all  
We blossom and flourish, as leaves on the tree  
And wither and perish, but naught changeth thee

**Verse 4**

Thou reign-est in glory, Thou rulest in light  
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight  
All praise we would render, o help us to see  
'Tis only the splendor, of light hideth thee

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:** Katie & Everett Pazan

**SPECIAL MUSIC:** "How Great Thou Art" Art Aldritt

O Lord my God! when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed;  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!  
When through the woods and forest glades I wander  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur  
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze,  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

**SCRIPTURE: John 14:15-21**

<sup>15</sup>“If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup>And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. <sup>17</sup>This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

<sup>18</sup>“I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. <sup>19</sup>In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. <sup>20</sup>On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. <sup>21</sup>They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.”

**MESSAGE:** “A True Friend” Rev. Jim Pazan

**HYMN OF RESPONSE:** “To God Be the Glory”

**Verse 1**

To God be the glory great things He has done  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin  
And opened the life gate that all may go in

**Chorus**

Praise the Lord praise the Lord

Let the earth hear His voice

Praise the Lord praise the Lord

Let the people rejoice

O come to the Father through Jesus the Son

And give Him the glory great things He has done

**Verse 2**

Great things He has taught us

Great things He has done

And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son

But purer and higher and greater will be

Our wonder our transport when Jesus we see

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Jeannie Cavender

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.*

*And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.*

*Amen.*

**BLESSING AND BENEDICTION:**

Rev. Jim Pazan

**POSTLUDE:** “Toccata in F”

Dietrich Buxtehude

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