



## **SUNDAY OCTOBER 10, 2021**

### **WELCOME**

You can join us online for worship in a few places. Visit [fbcofjackson.org/online/](https://fbcofjackson.org/online/) for links to our Facebook and YouTube streams. Livestreams will be active by 9:55am with a countdown to our service at 10am. If either site has technical difficulties, the other stream should still be active.

Follow along in this packet to help sing along to our songs and find links to resources.

### **SONG: 10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)**

#### **Verse 1**

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul  
Worship His holy name  
Sing like never before O my soul  
I'll worship Your holy name

#### **Verse 1**

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning  
It's time to sing Your song again  
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me  
Let me be singing when the evening comes

#### **Verse 2**

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger  
Your name is great and Your heart is kind  
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing  
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

#### **Verse 3**

And on that day when my strength is failing  
The end draws near and my time has come  
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending  
Ten thousand years and then forevermore

#### **Ending**

Worship Your holy name  
Lord I'll worship Your holy name

## **SONG: KING OF MY HEART**

### **Verse 1**

Let the King of my heart  
Be the mountain where I run  
The fountain I drink from  
Oh He is my song  
Let the King of my heart  
Be the shadow where I hide  
The ransom for my life  
Oh He is my song

### **Chorus 1**

You are good, good oh  
(repeat)

### **Verse 2**

Let the King of my heart  
Be the wind inside my sails  
The anchor in the waves  
Oh He is my song  
Let the King of my heart  
Be the fire inside my veins  
The echo of my days  
Oh He is my song

### **Bridge**

You're never gonna let  
Never gonna let me down  
(repeat)

### **Ending**

When the night is holding on to me  
God is holding on  
When the night is holding on to me  
God is holding on

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

If there's anything you would like prayer for, you can submit your prayer request online at <https://forms.gle/3PuRWRkrBJYpXaAi9>.

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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.

## **SONG: BROKEN VESSELS (AMAZING GRACE)**

### **Verse 1**

All these pieces  
Broken and scattered  
In mercy gathered  
Mended and whole  
Empty handed  
But not forsaken  
I've been set free  
I've been set free

### **Chorus**

Amazing grace  
How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
Oh I once was lost  
But now I am found  
Was blind but now I see  
Oh I can see You now  
Oh I can see the love in Your eyes  
Laying Yourself down  
Raising up the broken to life

### **Verse 2**

You take our failure  
You take our weakness  
You set Your treasure  
In jars of clay  
So take this heart Lord  
I'll be Your vessel  
The world to see Your life in me

### **Repeat Chorus**

## **SCRIPTURE: LUKE 15:11-32**

Then Jesus said, "There was a man who had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me.' So he divided his property between them. A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and traveled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands."' So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. Then the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his slaves, 'Quickly, bring out a robe—the best one—and put it on him; put a ring on his

finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!’ And they began to celebrate.

“Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. He replied, ‘Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and sound.’ Then he became angry and refused to go in. His father came out and began to plead with him. But he answered his father, ‘Listen! For all these years I have been working like a slave for you, and I have never disobeyed your command; yet you have never given me even a young goat so that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came back, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fatted calf for him!’ Then the father said to him, ‘Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found.’”

## **SERMON: THE TABLE: FEAST OR FAMINE**

### **SONG: HUNGER**

#### **Verse 1**

This world could never satisfy  
The longing in my soul  
When all is lost and hope is dry  
When all I feel is cold  
I’m coming back to Your presence  
I’m coming back to Your presence

#### **Chorus 1**

(‘Cause) there’s a hunger and a thirst  
I am desp’rate immerse me  
I’m not waiting not anymore  
I need You Lord I need You Lord

#### **Verse 2**

I feel it burning like a fire  
Stronger than before  
You are the One that I desire  
I couldn’t ask for more  
I’m coming back to Your presence  
I’m coming back to Your presence

#### **Bridge**

Sweep me away  
Sweep me away with You  
I need you Lord  
I need you Lord

## **INVITATION TO THE TABLE**

Please take with us during worship if you are able and willing. For those in person, you can find pre-packaged communion elements by the entrance to the sanctuary. For those worshipping with us online, please take with us as you are able. The Lord multiplied bread and fish to feed the multitudes, we pray that eating and drinking from whatever supply you might have might be taken in the right spirit before God.

## **THE LORD'S SUPPER-Taking of the elements**

### **SONG: WHO YOU SAY I AM**

#### **Verse 1**

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me  
I was lost but He brought me in oh His love for me  
Oh His love for me

#### **Chorus 1**

Who the Son sets free oh is free indeed  
I'm a child of God, yes I am

#### **Verse 2**

Free at last He has ransomed me His grace runs deep  
While I was a slave to sin Jesus died for me  
Yes He died for me

#### **Chorus 2**

Who the Son sets free oh is free indeed  
I'm a child of God yes I am  
In my Father's house there's a place for me  
I'm a child of God, yes I am

#### **Verse 3**

I am chosen not forsaken  
I am who You say I am  
You are for me not against me  
I am who You say I am

#### **Tag**

Oh I am who You say I am  
Yes I am who You say I am

#### **Verse 2A**

In my Father's house there's a place for me  
I'm a child of God yes I am

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Information

Find out everything happening at FBCJXN on our [website](#). Consider signing up for our [weekly emails](#) so you can receive every announcement straight in your inbox every week.

### Giving

You can give to support our church in multiple ways. If you are used to dropping your tithe in the collection plate, you can still mail your checks to us at 201 S. Jackson St., Jackson, MI 49201. You can also donate [online](#); it's an easy way to continue to support us from afar.

## PASTORAL BENEDICTION

### Benediction (adapted from 1 Thess 3:8-13)

In this time of confusion, LIVE, by standing firm in the Lord.

In this time of uncertainty, PRAY, night and day for each other.

In this time of distancing, LOVE one another, and even more love everyone, just as we love you.

Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you.

And may God strengthen your hearts to become more like Christ,

so that you may be blameless before God at the return of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.