

## **THE LORD'S DAY**

July 16, 2023

“For where two or three are gathered together in my name,  
**there am I** in the midst of them.” Matthew 18:20

**PRELUDE** – The prelude is a time for heart preparation. It is important that we use this time for preparing ourselves for the privilege of entering the presence of the King.

Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for Worship and Chorus 221

**HYMN** “Near The Cross” 137

**HYMN** “O Worship The King” 9

**Worship by Giving**

**Prayer for our Missionaries**

**HYMN** “Lead Me To Calvary” 111

**Scripture** **Matthew 8:8-13**

**Prayer**

**CHORUS** “He Is Lord” 672

**Special Music**

**Message** “The Desire to Know Him”

**HYMN** “The Lord Is Good” 200

**Benediction and Postlude**

*“That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;”*  
*Philippians 3:10*

## **When I Think of Thee**

**When I think of just myself and my little cares,  
Looming large and crowding close, hindering my  
prayers,**

**Of my weakness and my sins, I am sore depressed;  
Weary, weary grows my thought; I can find no rest.**

**When I think upon the world and its many woes -  
Hunger, misery and crime - how the long list grows!  
Greed and hatred and unrest, strifes that never cease,  
Weary, weary grows my thought; I can find no peace.**

**When I meditate on Thee and Thy works, O Lord,  
On Thy strength and majesty, on Thy changeless  
word;**

**On Thy Steadfast faithfulness, reaching to the sky;  
On Thy patient, watchful care over such as I;  
On Thine everlasting love, high and strong and deep;  
On Thy wisdom and Thy truth and Thy power to  
keep;**

**When I think of what Thou art and what Thy power  
has done;**

**When I number all the gifts given in Thy Son --  
I forget the things that pass in the things that bide,  
And my soul can rest in peace, fed and satisfied.**

**Annie Johnson Flint**