



1 TIMOTHY

MAY 3RD, 2020

Use this guide as a script. If possible, ask for a volunteer, roommate, or virtual participant to read the parts aloud. There are links to the songs to play and sing along with or sing them a cappella. We want this to be a helpful guide for you and your community to participate together, worshipping the Lord.

We invite you to stand as you sing, to help position yourself to be engaged and focused as you participate in the gathering of God's people.

Links to "Sunday Worship Guide Playlist"
- [Spotify playlist](#) & [YouTube playlist](#) of songs for today

CALL TO WORSHIP

Have someone read this scripture aloud to begin:

Psalm 103:1-5

*Praise the Lord, my soul;
all my inmost being, praise his holy name.
Praise the Lord, my soul,
and forget not all his benefits—
who forgives all your sins
and heals all your diseases,
who redeems your life from the pit
and crowns you with love and compassion,
who satisfies your desires with good things
so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.*

SONGS

Let us sing this morning remembering God's grace and goodness.

Amazing Grace

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now I'm found
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers toils and snares
I have already come
This grace hath brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home

My chains are gone
I've been set free
My God my savior has ransomed me
My chains are gone
I've been set free
My God my savior has ransomed me
And like a flood, his mercy reigns
Unending love, amazing grace
Unending love, amazing grace

When we've been there 10,000 years
Bright shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun

Mediator

He takes our place and stands in front of
God on high
He speaks on our behalf since we don't
have the right
He pleads before the God who judges
hearts of men
Our Mediator served the sentence for our
sin

There is only one God
There is only one Mediator
Standing between God and man
He's the only way to salvation

He found the captives
Broke the bondage of our chains
We have redemption through the price
that He has paid
He gave his life to purchase freedom from
the fall
Our mediator was the ransom for us all

There is only one God
There is only one Mediator
Standing between God and man
He's the only way to salvation
The man Jesus Christ
Who gave us His life
The man Jesus Christ

The last sacrifice
The eternal Son
He was, He is, He is to come
Messiah has come
He was, He is, He is to come

There is only one God
There is only one Mediator
Standing between God and man
He's the only, the only way
There is only one God
There is only one Mediator
Standing between God and man
He's the only way to salvation

PRACTICE

Encourage one another. Read this aloud:

Hebrews 3:12-13

Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart, leading you to fall away from the living God. But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called "today," that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin.

Take 30 seconds to pray for a way you can encourage someone. How have you seen Jesus working in someone's life recently? Now, take some time to text them, and tell them why you're thankful for them. If you have others in the room with you (physically or virtually), pray for specific ways you can encourage them.

Afterward, have someone pray, or read this aloud:

Father God, you have spoken to us through your Son. Let your written Word now be spoken and heard by each of us. Give us ears to hear and hearts to understand. Amen.

SERMON



Be Thou My Vision

Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art
Thou my best Thought by day or by night
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance, now and always
Thou and Thou only are first in my heart
High King of Heaven, my treasure Thou art

Great God of Heaven, my victory won
May I reach Heaven's joys, O bright Heaven
Sun
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all

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BENEDICTION

Read this aloud:

Father God, help us to remember that You are alive today and active wherever we find ourselves. Remind us of the good news and reality of the Gospel. Amen.

