

ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR 6-7-2020

- **Call to Worship and Greeting** – LUYH #539
- **Song of praise – Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty¹**
 - Verse 1
Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty,
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!
 - Verse 3
Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in power, in love, and purity.
 - Verse 4
Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea;
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty,
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!
- **Confession of our faith:** *The Apostle's Creed*
- **Confession of our sins**
- **Words of assurance and response** – 1 Peter 2:9-12
- **Pastoral Prayer**
- **Recite Psalm 119:9-16**
- **Sermon**
Sermon Text: Esther 1
Sermon Title: "She's A Beauty!"
Sermon Series: *Who's In Charge?*
- **Song of Response – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God²**
 - A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;
our helper he, amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing.
For still our ancient foe does seek to work us woe;
his craft and power are great, and armed with cruel hate, on earth is not his equal.

¹ LUYH #538 v. 1,3,4 – Words by Reginald Heber; Public Domain.

² LUYH #776 v. 1-2 – Words by Martin Luther; trans., Frederick H. Hedge; Public Domain.

Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing,
were not the right Man on our side, the Man of God's own choosing.
You ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is he; Lord Sabbaoth his name,
from age to age the same; and he must win the battle.

- **Benediction**
- **Doxology – *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing***³

To God all glory, praise and love
be now and ever given
by saints below and saints above,
the church in earth and heaven.

³ LUYH #590 – v. 8 words by Charles Wesley, Public Domain.