

Sunday Worship Music

August 13, 2023

Introit

God Welcomes All

John Bell

*God welcomes all, strangers and friends;
God's love is strong and it never ends.*

Hymn 463

How Firm a Foundation

American folk hymn

*How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,
is laid for your faith in God's excellent Word!
What more can be said than to you God hath said,
to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?*

*"Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed,
for I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,
upheld my my righteous, omnipotent hand.*

*"When through the deep waters I call thee to go,
the rivers of sorrow shall not overflow;
for I will be near thee, thy troubles to bless,
and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.*

*"When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie,
my grace, all sufficient, shall be thy supply;
the flame shall not hurt thee; I only design
thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.*

*"The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no, never, no never forsake."*

Anthem

Lord, Make Us More Holy

Spiritual
arr. Dale Grotenhuis

*Lord, make us more holy, until we meet again.
Lord, make us more loving, until we meet again.
Lord, make us more patient, until we meet again.
Lord, make us more faithful, until we meet again.
Lord, make us more holy, until we meet again.*

Hymn 353

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

text by Edward More, 1834
music by William Bradbury, 1863

*My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.*

*(Refrain) On Christ the solid Rock I stand;
all other ground is sinking sand; all other ground is sinking sand.*

*When darkness seems to hide his face, I rest on his unchanging grace;
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil. (Refrain)*

*His oath, his covenant, his blood support me in the whelming flood;
when all around my soul gives way, he then is all my hope and stay. (Refrain)*

*When he shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in him be found,
dressed in his righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne. (Refrain)*