



## Order of Worship

January 10, 2020

### CALL TO WORSHIP

1 Chronicles 29:11-13

All: *Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power  
and the glory and the victory and the majesty,  
for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is yours.  
Yours is the kingdom, O LORD, and you are exalted as head above all.*

Leader: Both riches and honor come from you, and you rule over all.  
In your hand are power and might,  
and in your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all.

All: *And now we thank you, our God, and praise your glorious name.*

### SONG OF EXPECTATION

Breathe on Us

### CONFESSION & RENEWAL

All: *Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot  
free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not  
loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as  
ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive  
us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in  
your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen*

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON & PRAYER

#### SONG OF RENEWAL

God, I Look to You

#### SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 3:1-10; 4:5-10

#### MESSAGE

Supernatural Power

#### SONG OF SURRENDER

The Same Power

#### SONG OF MISSION

Spirit, Pour Out

#### SONG OF PRAISE

Surrender

### ANNOUNCEMENTS & CLOSING BLESSING

Ephesians 3:20-21

Leader: Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.



## Message Notes: Supernatural Power

### 1. Our Problem.

- a. The subtle danger of self-\_\_\_\_\_.
- b. The serious misconception of \_\_\_\_\_.

### 2. Our Pattern.

- Jesus models this: Humble people walk in the \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_ of God.

### 3. Our Partnership.

- a. You must \_\_\_\_\_ God's power.
- b. You must do God's \_\_\_\_\_.

### 4. Our Practice.

- a. Pay attention to the unspoken object(s) of your \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. Do kingdom things that you \_\_\_\_\_ do.
- c. Look for \_\_\_\_\_.



## Questions for Gospel Reflection & Application

1. Review: Share one way you approached your work/vocation differently this week as a result of last week's message? How did you live as an apprentice to Jesus? How did you act as an ambassador of Jesus?
2. What is the default strength of your life (meaning: if you don't stop and think about it, what power/wisdom/resource will you functionally rely on)?
3. When are you most self-reliant? When are you most God-dependent? Why in those circumstances? What do you observe about yourself?
4. Think about a time when you wanted God to do something sensational to prove his power. What did you want him to do? Why that? Why do you think we associate God's power with the extraordinary > the ordinary?
5. Skim John 14:12-31 and 16:7-15. What are some things Jesus said the Spirit would do when he comes? Which of these do you sense your need for right now – and how would this empower you if the Spirit did this in your life?
6. If the Spirit's power is already present in your life as a believer, what are some ways you would access it? What are some things that might hinder your access to his power?
7. Pick a day this week and choose to pray and ask God for his power many times throughout the day, whether you feel the need for it right that moment or not. After you've done this for at least one day, what did you observe?
8. What kingdom thing are you pursuing right now that is far beyond your own resources and strength? What would happen if God simply didn't show up in this situation? What are some potential outcomes if God's power is manifested?
9. Why do you want God's power? Be honest: is it about using God simply to get or achieve something you want, or is it about making more of Jesus? Think about your motives in asking for God's power and record your thoughts.
10. What one practical thing will you do with this message this week?