Closing Prayer

Please join in praying:

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated unto you; and then use us, we pray, as you will, and always to your glory and the welfare of your people; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Dismissal

Language & Literature Dept. Chapel
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i thank You God for most this amazing day: for the leaping greenly spirits of trees and a blue true dream of sky; and for everything which is natural which is infinite which is yes (i who have died am alive again today, and this is the sun’s birthday; this is the birthday of life and of love and wings: and of the gay great happening illimitably earth) how should tasting touching hearing seeing breathing any—lifted from the no of all nothing—human merely being doubt unimaginable You? (now the ears of my ears awake and now the eyes of my eyes are opened)

—e.e. cummings

from Complete Poems 1904 - 1962

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Welcome & Opening Prayer

*from The Book of Common Prayer*

O heavenly Father, you who have filled the world with beauty: Open our eyes to behold your gracious hand in all your works; that, rejoicing in your whole creation, we may learn to serve you with gladness; for the sake of him through whom all things were made, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Reading

*Psalm 61 (ESV)*

Hear my cry, O God, 
   listen to my prayer;
2 from the end of the earth I call to you 
   when my heart is faint.
Lead me to the rock 
   that is higher than I,
3 for you have been my refuge, 
   a strong tower against the enemy.
4 Let me dwell in your tent forever! 
   Let me take refuge under the shelter of your wings!
5 For you, O God, have heard my vows; 
   you have given me the heritage of those who fear your name.
6 Prolong the life of the king; 
   may his years endure to all generations!
7 May he be enthroned forever before God; 
   appoint steadfast love and faithfulness to watch over him!
8 So will I ever sing praises to your name, 
   as I perform my vows day after day.

Worship through Song

“Lion and the Lamb”
“Great are You, Lord”

Senior Reflections

Jewel
Abigail
Bailey
Kari

Closing Song

“Forever Reign”

(continued on back)
Lion and the Lamb
He's coming on the clouds,
Kings and kingdoms will bow down
And every chain will break, as broken hearts declare His praise
Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Our God is the Lion, the Lion of Judah
He's roaring with power and fighting our battles
And every knee will bow before You
Our God is the Lamb, the Lamb that was slain
For the sin of the world
His blood breaks the chains
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb
Oh, every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb

So open up the gates
Make way before the King of kings
Our God who calls to save, is here to set the captives free
Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Chorus
Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Great Are You Lord
You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore
Every heart that is broken

Great are You, Lord

Forever Reign
You are good
You are good
When there's nothing good in me
You are love
You are love
On display for all to see

You are light
You are light
When the darkness closes in
You are hope
You are hope
You have covered all my sin
You are peace
You are peace
When my fear is crippling
You are true
You are true
Even in my wandering
You are joy
You are joy
You're the reason that I sing
You are life
You are life
In you death has lost its sting

Oh, I'm running to Your arms
I'm running to Your arms
The riches of Your love
Will always be enough
Nothing compares to Your embrace
Light of the world forever reign

You are more
You are more
Than my words will ever say
You are Lord
You are Lord
All creation will proclaim

You are here
You are here
In your presence I'm made whole
You are God
You are God
Of all else I'm letting go

Hallelujah, forever
All the glory, forever
All the praise to You

My heart will sing
No other name
Jesus, Jesus