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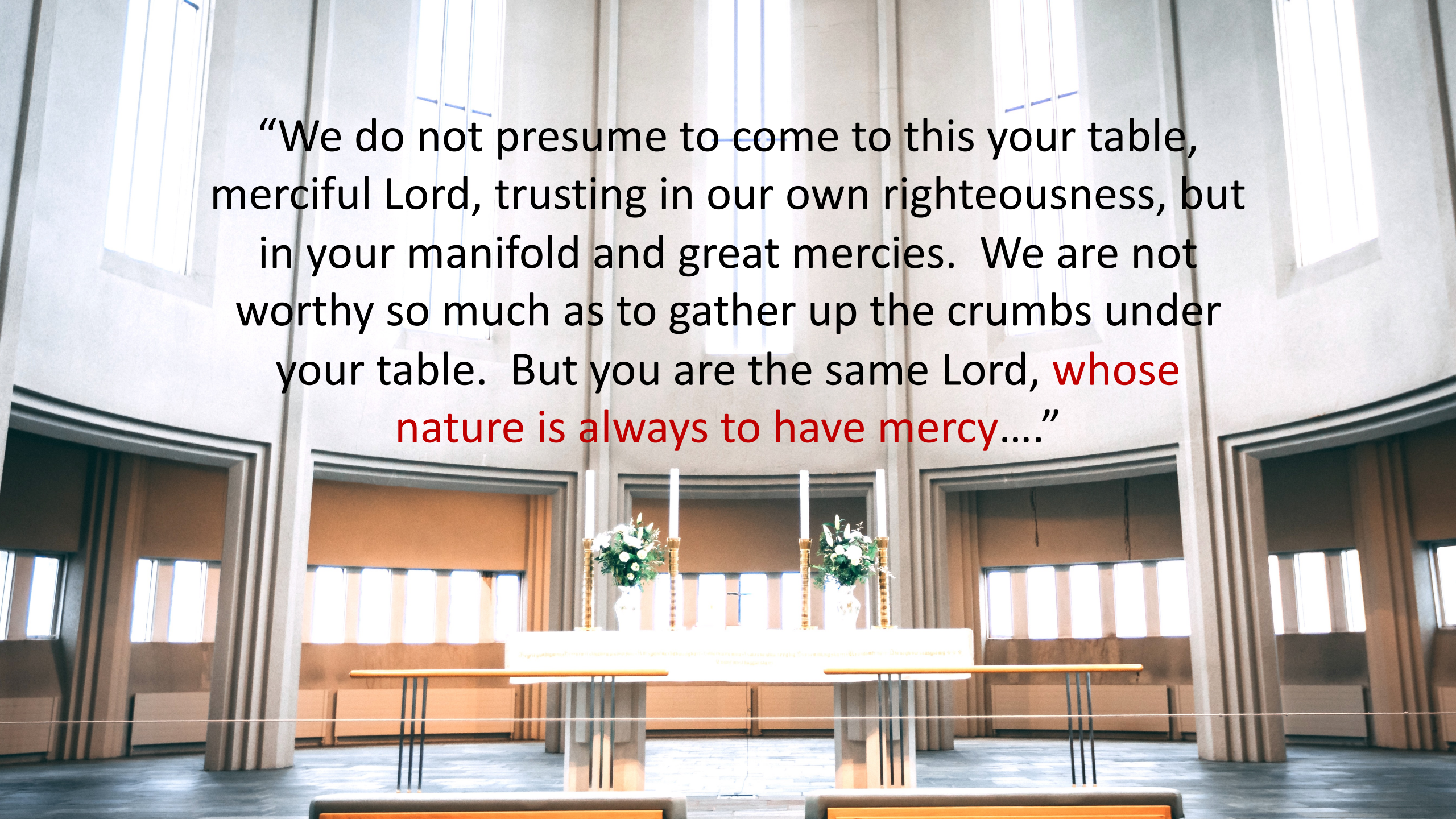
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“We do not presume to come to this your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord, **whose nature is always to have mercy....**”



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A person stands on a rocky shore with their arms raised, looking up at a massive waterfall. A vibrant rainbow is visible in the mist at the base of the waterfall. The scene is set against a backdrop of dark, rugged mountains and a calm sea.

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Psalm 130:4 (ESV)



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## 4. Exhortation (v.7-8)

<sup>7</sup> Israel, put your hope in the LORD,  
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<sup>8</sup> He himself will redeem Israel  
from all their sins.