

2021

"Our Hope is in the Lord, for HE who promised is Faithful"



WELCOME TO WORSHIP
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Please tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to Worship with us today!

Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful. Hebrews 10:23

Call Statement:

"My call is to share my Faith in Christ"

Mission Statement:

"To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior."

PRELUDE

Beth Helwagen

WELCOME AND PRAYER

EASTER LITANY

Leader: Let us sing Alleluias to the King of Glory, Who, having laid down His life for our redemption, is now risen to the life immortal.

All: Come, let us rejoice in God our Savior, Who hath redeemed His people, and is risen triumphant over the powers of hell.

Leader: Praise Our Lord, for He is good: for His mercy endureth forever.

All: Let those speak who have been redeemed by Our Lord: who have been delivered by Him out of the hands of the enemy.

Leader: That sat in darkness and in the shadow of death, straitened with poverty, and bound in irons.

All: And in their tribulation they cried to Our Lord: and He delivered them from all their calamities.

Leader: And He brought them out of darkness, and out of the shadow of death, and broke asunder their chains.

All: Let them praise Our Lord for His wonderful deeds to the sons of men.

Leader: For He hath made the brazen gates fly in pieces, and hath broken the iron bars.

All: My soul, bless Our Lord: O Lord my God, Thou hast made Thy greatness wonderfully to appear.

Leader: Thou hast put on majesty and glory: Thou art clothed with light as with a garment.

All: By the strength of Thy arm Thou hast dispersed Thy enemies: Thy youth is renewed as that of an eagle.

Leader: A voice of joy and of salvation is heard in the tents of the just.

All:; The stone, which the builders rejected, is made the cornerstone.

Leader: This is the work of Our Lord, and it is wonderful in our eyes.

All: This is the day which Our Lord hath made: let us triumph and rejoice therein.

Leader: Make this a day of solemnity; because Our Lord is exalted above His enemies.

All: Sing to Our Lord a new canticle: let His praise be celebrated in the assembly of saints.

Leader: Come, let us rejoice in God our Savior: because He hath redeemed His people:

All: And is risen triumphant over the powers of hell.

Leader: Jesus, Redeemer of mankind,

All: Have mercy on us.

Leader: Jesus, Who hast cleansed us by Thy Blood,

All: Have mercy on us.

Leader: Jesus, the Conqueror of sin and death,

All: Have mercy on us. We sinners beseech Thee, hear us.

SONG I Believe In Jesus

Verse 1

I believe in Jesus. I believe He is the Son of God.
I believe He died and rose again. I believe He paid for us all.

Chorus 1

I believe He is here now, standing in our midst.
Here with the power to heal now, and the grace to forgive.

Verse 2

I believe in You, Lord. I believe You are the Son of God.
I believe You died and rose again. I believe You paid for us all.

Chorus 2

And I believe that You're here now, standing in our midst.
Here with the power to heal now, And the grace to forgive.

Verse 2

Chorus 2

Chorus 2

APOSTOLIC GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: God of All Power,

All: You called from death our Lord Jesus, the Great Shepherd of the sheep. Send us as shepherds to rescue the lost, to heal the injured, and to feed one another with knowledge and understanding through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever. Amen.

LESSON

Psalm 23 KJV

GOSPEL

John 10:11 - 18

THE MESSAGE

Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

FOREVER

HYMN

LBW #456

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Verse 1

The King of love my shepherd is, Whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His and He is mine forever.

Verse 2

Where streams of living water flow, My ransomed soul He leadeth
And where the verdant pastures grow, With food celestial feedeth.

Verse 3

**Perverse and foolish oft I strayed, But yet in love He sought me,
And on His shoulder gently laid, And home, rejoicing brought me.**

Verse 4

**In death's dark vale I fear no ill,
With Thee, dear Lord, beside me,
Thy rod and staff my comfort still; Thy cross before to guide me.**

Verse 5

**Thou spreadst a table in my sight; Thine unction grace bestoweth;
And, oh, what transport of delight From Thy pure chalice floweth!**

Verse 6

**And so, through all the length of days, Thy goodness faileth never.
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise Within Thy house forever.**

APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven
and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under
Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell. On the third day He rose
again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the
right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge
the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the
communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the
resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

**Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the
Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly
Father in prayer..**

Pastor: (After each petition. . .) Lord, in your mercy,

All: hear our prayer.

**Pastor: . . . Into your hands, Father, we commend all for whom
we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus
Christ our Lord.**

All: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

**All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name;
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom,
and the power and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

**All: Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have
compassion on broken and lost people around me.
Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel
of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience.
Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience
Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen.**

THE BENEDICTION

**Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His
face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord
look upon you with favor and give you peace.**

All: Amen.

SONG

Glorious Day

Verse 1

**One day when heaven was filled with His praises,
One day when sin was as black as could be,
Jesus came forth to be born of a virgin,
Dwelt among men my example is He.**

The Word became flesh And the light shined among us.
His glory revealed.

Chorus 1

Living, He loved me, dying He saved me.
Buried, He carried my sins far away.
Rising, He justified freely forever.
One day He's coming, O glorious day, O glorious day.

Verse 2

One day they led Him up Calv'ry's mountain.
One day they nailed Him to die on a tree.
Suffering anguish, despised and rejected,
Bearing our sins my Redeemer is He.
The hand that healed nations Stretched out on a tree
And took the nails from me.

Chorus 1

Verse 3

One day the grave could conceal Him no longer,
One day the stone rolled away from the door.
Then He arose over death He had conquered.
Now is ascended my Lord evermore.
Death could not hold Him, The grave could not keep Him.
from rising again.

Chorus 2

Living, He loved me, dying He saved me.
Buried, He carried my sins far away.
Rising, He justified freely forever.
One day He's coming, O glorious day, O glorious day.
Glorious day.

BRIDGE

One day the trumpet will sound for His coming,
One day the skies with His glories will shine.
Wonderful day my beloved one bringing.
My Savior Jesus is mine.

Chorus 2

Ending
O Glorious Day!

THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: **Thanks be to God!**

Share your Faith in Christ!

Tell another about Jesus this week!

NEXT SUNDAY May 2, 2021

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Acts 8:26-40 Psalm 150 1 John 4:1-11 (12-21)
John 15:1-8

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Celebrate Spring with the 1st Annual
Boy Scout Troop 311 Family Fun Run/Walk
Saturday May 1, 2021

70th Annual National Day of Prayer

Thursday May 6, 2021

LORD pour out Your

LOVE, LIFE, AND

Liberty

2 Corinthians 3:17 *Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.*