# Fourth Sunday of Easter May 8, 2022 10 am

#### **GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD**

**Preservice Music** 

Northside Chapel Praise Band

Prelude

Ave Maria, Op. 52 No 6 ~ Franz Schubert, Arr. Alain Brunet Andy Potts

# Welcome & Community Life Vacation Bible School Sign-Ups Graduation Sunday Woman of the Year Presentation Mother's Day Flowers

Call to Worship (responsively)

Come, let us worship our God of self-giving love! Let us sing praise to the one who left heaven, and, holding nothing back, gave everything for us and for our salvation. Let us confess that he is Lord with praise from our lips and lives of steadfast devotion and love!

# **Opening Hymn**

All Praise to Thee, for Thou, O King Divine

**Worship Leader** 

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UMH# 166

#### (vv. 1**,** 3-5)

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## Verse 1

All praise to thee, for thou, O King divine | Didst yield the glory that of right was thine That in our darkened hearts thy grace might shine | Alleluia! Alleluia!

## Verse 3

Let this mind be in us which was in thee | Who wast a servant, that we might be free Humbling thyself to death on Calvary | Alleluia! Alleluia!

#### Verse 4

Wherefore, by God's eternal purpose, thou | Art high exalted o'er all creatures now And given the name to which all knees shall bow | Alleluia! Alleluia!

#### Verse 5

Let every tongue confess with one accord | In heaven and earth that Jesus Christ is Lord And God the Father be by all adored | Alleluia! Alleluia!

## **Opening Prayer**

Lord Jesus, You gave up Your divine privilege, stepped down into our experience, and gave Yourself completely—even to the point of death. You did all this for us when we had done nothing to deserve it.

In gratitude, we bring our lives to You as an offering of worship, knowing that You are worthy of this and so much more. Help us today to become more like You, so that our lives might reflect Your perfect, self-giving love. Amen.

A Message for Young Disciples

## Anthem

## My God

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# **Proclamation and Response**

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Philippians 2:1-13

# **New Testament Reading**

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, <sup>2</sup> make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. <sup>3</sup> Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. <sup>4</sup> Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. <sup>5</sup> Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

<sup>6</sup> who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited,

<sup>7</sup> but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form,

<sup>8</sup> he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross.
<sup>9</sup> Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name,
<sup>10</sup> so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

<sup>11</sup> and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. <sup>12</sup> Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; <sup>13</sup> for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God!

#### Message

Press On: The Mind of the Messiah

Pastor Jen Eschliman

## Prayers of the People

Cara Norris

Worship Leader

video

**Worship Leader** 

## Joys and Concerns

#### The Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

## Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts to God

Offertory	<i>Let Them See You in Me</i> ~JJ Weeks   Scotty Wilbanks	Northside Chapel Praise Band
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Verse 1		
Take away the melodies   Take away the songs I sing		
Take away all the lights   And all the songs You let me write		
Does the man I am today   Say the words You need to say		
Chorus		
Let them see You in me   Let them hear You when I speak		
Let them feel You when I sing   Let them see You   Let them see You in me		
Verse 2		
Who am I without Your grace   Another smile another face		
Another breath a grain of sand   Passing quickly through Your hand		
I'd give my life I'm not afraid   Take it all take everything		

## Chorus

## Bridge

With every breath I breathe I sing a simple melody But I pray they'll hear more than a song in me, in me

# Chorus (x2)

# Ending

Let them see You in me

# Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow

Praise God all creatures here below | Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God the Source of all our gifts UMH# 94

## Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit | Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

## Offertory Prayer Closing Song

## I Walk By Faith

Chris Falson

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# Chorus

I walk by faith, each step by faith | To live by faith I put my trust in You I walk by faith, each step by faith | To live by faith I put my trust in You I walk by faith, each step by faith | To live by faith I put my trust in You

#### Verse

Ev'ry step I take is a step of faith | No weapon formed against me shall prosper And ev'ry prayer I make is a prayer of faith | If my God is for me who can be against me

#### Chorus

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# Sending Forth

## Benediction

Postlude

*Laudamus* ~George C. Richardson Andy Potts