

First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem
Online Contemporary Service
April 5, 2020



CONGREGATIONAL SONGS OF PRAISE

Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King

Wyeth/Robinson

Verse 1

Come Thou Fount of ev'ry blessing
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet
Sung by flaming tongues above
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it
Mount of Thy redeeming love

Verse 2

I was lost in utter darkness
'Til You came and rescued me
I was bound by all my sin when
Your love came and set me free
Now my soul can sing a new song
Now my heart has found a home
Now Your grace is always with me
And I'll never be alone

Chorus

Come Thou Fount come Thou King
Come Thou precious Prince of Peace
Hear Your bride to You we sing
Come Thou Fount of our blessing
Come Thou Fount come Thou King
Come Thou precious Prince of Peace
Hear Your bride to You we sing
Come Thou Fount of our blessing

Verse 3

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be
Let Thy goodness like a fetter
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee
Prone to wander Lord I feel it
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it
Seal it for Thy courts above

SONG OF PRAISE

Majestic

Lincoln Brewster

Verse

O Lord our Lord
How majestic is Your name
In all the earth
O Lord our Lord
How majestic is Your name
In all the earth

Chorus 1

The heavens declare Your greatness
The oceans cry out to You
The mountains they bow down before You
So I'll join with the earth
And I'll give my praise to You

Bridge

I will worship You
I will worship You
I will worship You

I will worship You

We will worship You
We will worship You

Chorus 2

The heavens declare Your greatness
The oceans cry out to You
The mountains they bow down before You
So I'll join with the earth and I'll sing
The heavens declare Your greatness
The oceans cry out to You
The mountains they bow down before You
So I'll join with the earth
And I'll give my praise to You

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PASSING THE PEACE

SONG OF PRAISE

Hosanna

Brooke Ligertwood

Verse 1

I see the King of glory
Coming on the clouds with fire
The whole earth shakes
The whole earth shakes yeah

Verse 2

I see His love and mercy
Washing over all our sin
The people sing
The people sing

Chorus

Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest

Verse 3

I see a generation
Rising up to take their place
With selfless faith
With selfless faith

Verse 4

I see a near revival
Stirring as we pray and seek
We're on our knees
We're on our knees

Bridge

Heal my heart and make it clean
Open up my eyes to the things unseen
Show me how to love like You have loved me
Break my heart for what breaks Yours
Everything I am for Your Kingdom's cause
As I walk from earth into eternity

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, on Palm Sunday the crowds surged around Jesus as he entered Jerusalem, calling out “Hosanna! Save us, Lord!” And we, too, cry out for salvation, for deliverance, for restoration. But help us to embrace your salvation as a calling, not a reward or privilege. Help us to live faithfully in Christ and for Christ, so that we may embody his loving and humble service in all that we do.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 19:29-40

SERMON

The Rev. J.C. Austin

“Listening for the Stones”

SONG OF PRAISE

Jesus Paid It All

Traditional/arr. Dan Galbraith

Verse 1

And I hear the Savior say
Thy strength indeed is small
Child of weakness watch and pray
Find in Me thine all in all

Chorus 1

'Cause Jesus paid it all
All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

Interlude

(It's washed away)
(All my sin and all my shame)

Verse 2

Lord now indeed I find
Thy pow'r and Thine alone
Can change the leper's spots
And melt the heart of stone

Verse 3

And when before the throne
I stand in Him complete
Jesus died my soul to save
My lips shall still repeat

Interlude

Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow
He washed it white as snow
He washed it white as snow

Chorus 2

Oh praise the One Who paid my debt
And raised this life up from the dead
(Jesus)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNION

WE CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give thanks and praise.

Leader: It is truly right and our greatest joy to
give you thanks and praise...

As our Savior Christ has taught us,
so now we pray:

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and the Cup

SONG OF PRAISE

You Are Exalted

Jeff Sparkman

Chorus 1

You are exalted You are exalted
We lift You high be glorified

Verse 1

Crowned with many crowns
You laid Yourself down
Love at all cost
Even death on the cross
Jesus exalted

Verse 2

Death that brought life
A humble sacrifice
You've risen from the grave
With the power to save
Jesus exalted

Chorus 2

You are exalted You are exalted
We lift You high be glorified
You are exalted You are exalted
Jesus Your Name forever we raise

Interlude

Forever we raise You Lord God

Verse 3

You have the Name
Above ev'ry name
Oh ev'ry knee will fall
And ev'ry tongue will say
Jesus exalted
Jesus exalted

Bridge

All honor is Yours all glory is Yours
All power is Yours forever
(REPEAT)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE