

First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem

Fifth Sunday After The Epiphany

Digital Contemporary Service

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CONGREGATIONAL SONGS OF PRAISE

Amazing

Brian Platt

Verse 1

You are my sole provider
You are the Prince of Peace
You are my defender
And I want to worship
You are the victory won
You are the risen one
To You I surrender
And I want to worship

Chorus

Never gonna be the same
Love will never leave me
God You're amazing
(REPEAT)

Verse 2

You are my sole provider
You are the Son of God
You are my protector
And I want to worship
You are the victory won
You are the risen one
To You I surrender
And I want to worship

Awake My Soul

Chris Tomlin

Chorus

Awake my soul
You lift me up You lift me up

Awake my soul
Be lifted up be lifted up

Verse 1

I lost heart lost soul lost rhythm in my bones
Gotta find my God again
I was dead I was gone and I thought I was done
You were there in the hurricane
But You light up the dawn and You wake up the sun
And You raise me up again
Awake my soul awake my soul

Verse 2

I got hope got fears got an ocean of tears
Still I'm happy in my skin
Now I know I'm alive gonna shout to the skies
And Your love is in the air
'Cos You light up the dawn and You wake up the sun
And You raise me up again
Awake my soul awake my soul

Bridge

'Cos I'm looking for a fire so reignite this flame
Come resurrect me Jesus come raise the dead again
So breathe in me Your fire the old will burn away
I speak unto my spirit and tell it to awake

Interlude

Awake my soul (tell it to awake)
Awake my soul (tell it to awake)
Awake my soul (tell it to awake)
Awake my soul

Ending

Love is in the air
Love is in the air
When You're whispering my name
Love is in the air

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PASSING THE PEACE

SONG OF PRAISE

Good Good Father

Anthony Brown

Verse 1

I've heard a thousand stories
Of what they think You're like
But I've heard the tender whisper
Of love in the dead of night
You tell me that You're pleased
And that I'm never alone

Chorus

You're a Good Good Father
It's who You are
It's who You are
It's who You are
And I'm loved by You
It's who I am
It's who I am
It's who I am

Verse 2

I've seen many searching for answers
Far and wide
But I know we're all searching for answers
Only You provide
Because You know just what we need
Before we say a word

Bridge

You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us

Verse 3

Love so undeniable I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think
As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still
Into love love love

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious and Loving God, you sent your Son, Jesus Christ, to us to tell us and the whole world the good news of your kingdom and to give us abundant and eternal life. And yet it is all too easy for us to seek to contain Jesus: to keep him in predictable and comfortable places, to explain where he should and should not go, to define who is worth healing and saving and who is beyond hope. Forgive us, Lord; help us to seek to follow Jesus instead of lead him, to go wherever he goes, and to take up our own ministries of healing and hope in his name.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 1:29-39

SERMON

“Always on the Move”

The Rev. J.C. Austin

SONG OF PRAISE

Let There Be Light

Brooke Ligertwood

Verse 1

There's no darkness in Your eyes
There's no question in Your mind
God almighty God of mercy
There's no hiding from Your face
There's no striving in Your grace
God of mercy God almighty

Chorus 1

Let there be light
Open the eyes of the blind
Purify our hearts in Your fire
Breathe in us we pray
(Jesus have Your way)

Verse 2

There's no borders in Your love
No division in Your heart
God of heaven God of freedom
There's no taking back the cross
No regret in what it cost
God of freedom God of heaven

Chorus 2

Let there be light
Open our eyes to Your heart

Des'prate just to know who You are
Shine in us we pray
Jesus have Your way

Bridge

Good news embracing the poor
Comfort for all those who mourn
For the broken hearted we sing louder
Release from prison and shame
Oppression turning to praise
For ev'ry captive sing louder
Restoring sight to the blind
Breaking the curse of the night
For all in darkness sing louder
Proclaiming freedom for all
This is the day of the Lord
Beauty for ashes

Verse 3

Let the light that shines above
Become the light that shine in us
There's no darkness in Your way
So have Your way
Lord have Your way

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving

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

Build My Life

Matt Redmann

Verse 1

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You

Verse 2

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name
Jesus the only one who could ever save
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You
We live for You

Chorus

Holy there is no one like You
There is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me

Bridge

I will build my life upon Your love
It is a firm foundation
I will put my trust in You alone
And I will not be shaken

SONG OF PRAISE

Freedom

Kristian Stanfill

Verse 1

Step out of the shadows
Step out of the grave
Break into the wild
And don't be afraid

Pre-Chorus

Run into wide open spaces
Grace is waiting for you
Dance like the weight has been lifted
Grace is waiting

Chorus

Where the Spirit of the Lord is there is freedom
There is freedom
Where the Spirit of the Lord is there is freedom
There is freedom
Come out of the dark just as you are
Into the fullness of His love
For the Spirit is here let there be freedom
Let there be freedom

Verse 2

Bring all of your burdens
Bring all of your scars
Come back to communion
Come back to the start

Bridge

Chains will fall prisons shake
At the sound of Jesus' name
Lives made whole hearts awake
At the sound of Jesus' name
(Yeah)

Interlude

Let there be freedom

Pre-Chorus

Dance like the weight has been lifted
Grace is waiting

Ending
Let there be freedom
Let there be freedom

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE