

First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem

Fourth Sunday After Easter

Online Contemporary Service

May 10, 2020



CONGREGATIONAL SONGS OF PRAISE

Awake My Soul

Martine Smith/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

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

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PASSING THE PEACE

SONG OF PRAISE

Prayer

Nathan Jess

Verse 1

Father hear my restless voice
Speaking out Your name
Longing to be home at last
Where my God abides

Chorus

Holy is the Lord
O holy is Your name
I'll forever sing
Your glory to proclaim

Verse 2

Lord of Heaven hear my cry
Shouting out Your praise
When this day will come to end
There I'll join again

Ending

Amen
Amen

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

In Jesus Christ you showed up the fullness of your love through his faithful vulnerability through death on a cross, and his victory over death through his resurrection. But we confess we would greatly prefer the victory without the vulnerability. Lord, give us the courage to risk truly following Christ by loving love others as he has loved us, so that we can recognize and receive the true power of your love as we do, and share it with others as we live into that gift.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING Philippians 2:5-11

SERMON

"Living and Loving in God Mode"

The Rev. J.C. Austin

SONG OF PRAISE

I Can Only Imagine

Bart Millard

Verse 1

I can only imagine

What it will be like
When I walk by Your side
I can only imagine
What my eyes will see
When Your face is before me
I can only imagine

Chorus
Surrounded by Your glory
What will my heart feel
Will I dance for You Jesus
Or in awe of You be still
Will I stand in Your presence
Or to my knees will I fall
Will I sing hallelujah
Will I be able to speak at all
I can only imagine (yeah)
I can only imagine

Verse 2
I can only imagine
When that day comes
And I find myself standing in the Son
I can only imagine
When all I will do
Is forever forever worship You
I can only imagine
I can only imagine

Tag
I can only imagine yeah
I can only imagine
I can only imagine
I can only imagine

Ending
I can only imagine when all I will do
Is forever forever worship You
I can only imagine

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Happy Day

Ben Cantelon

Verse 1

The greatest day in history
Death is beaten You have rescued me
Sing it out Jesus is alive
The empty cross the empty grave
Life eternal You have won the day
Shout it out Jesus is alive
He's alive

Chorus

And oh happy day happy day
You washed my sin away
Oh happy day happy day
I'll never be the same
Forever I am changed
(What a glorious glorious day)
(I'll never be the same)

Verse 2

When I stand in that place
Free at last meeting face to face
I am Yours Jesus You are mine
Endless joy perfect peace
Earthly pain finally will cease
Celebrate Jesus is alive
He's alive

Bridge

Oh what a glorious day
What a glorious way
That You have saved me

And oh what a glorious day
What a glorious name
Hey

Ending
What a glorious glorious day
I'll never be the same