

# **First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem**

## **Third Sunday After Easter Online Contemporary Service**

**May 3, 2020**



### **CONGREGATIONAL SONGS OF PRAISE**

#### **Uncreated One**

**Andrew Meek**

##### **Verse 1**

Let the worship of Heaven come alive  
In this time and in this land  
Now is the hour for our song to arise

##### **Verse 2**

Let the worship of Heaven come alive  
And awaken our hearts again  
Now is the hour for our song to arise

##### **Chorus**

Let our worship arise  
To the uncreated One  
Let our worship arise from our hearts  
Let our worship arise  
To the One who reigns forever  
Let our worship arise from our hearts

##### **Bridge**

Release Heaven's sound  
Shake the nations  
Let our worship arise  
To the God of the ages

#### **This Is Amazing Grace**

**Phil Wickham**

##### **Verse 1**

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness  
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

## Verse 2

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder  
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

## Chorus

(Yeah) (Oh) This is amazing grace  
This is unfailing love  
That You would take my place  
That You would bear my cross  
You laid down Your life  
That I would be set free  
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

## Verse 3

Who brings our chaos back into order  
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter  
The King of Glory the King of Glory

## Verse 4

Who rules the nations with truth and justice  
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

## Bridge

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave  
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Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy worthy worthy

**CALL TO WORSHIP AND PASSING THE PEACE**

## SONG OF PRAISE

**Here in Your Presence**

**Jon Egan**

## Verse

Found in Your hands fullness of joy  
Every fear suddenly wiped away

Here in Your Presence  
All of my gains now fade away  
Every crown no longer on display  
Here in Your Presence

Pre-Chorus  
Heaven is trembling in awe of Your wonders  
The kings and their kingdoms are standing amazed

Chorus  
Here in Your Presence  
We are undone  
Here in Your Presence  
Heaven and earth become one  
Here in Your Presence  
All things are new  
Here in Your Presence  
Ev'rything bows before You

Bridge  
Wonderful beautiful glorious  
Matchless in ev'ry way

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious and Loving God, in Jesus Christ you defeated the powers of sin and death through his death and resurrection, and freed us to receive your gift of abundant and eternal life. Yet we still often live as if the powers of this world are in control; we lose heart and lose sight of your power and desire to call us into new life out of the tombs of our lives. Help us to be aware of your presence around us no matter where we find ourselves, and to trust your love to be stronger than anything that opposes it.**

#### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING John 11:1-4, 17-44

SERMON

“Unbound Grief”

The Rev. J.C. Austin

SONG OF PRAISE

**Saving Grace**

**Graham Kendrick**

Verse 1

I will not hide Your saving grace within my heart  
But I will tell of what I've seen and what I know

#### Verse 2

How God so loved the world He gave His only Son  
That whosoever trusts in Him should never die

#### Chorus

The wounded hands that welcomed me  
Would all the world embrace  
Let's bring Him now the great reward  
For His saving grace

#### Verse 3

How beautiful the feet of those who bring good news  
Call ev'ryone come swell the song of endless praise

#### Descant

Let it be our offering  
Let it be the thanks we bring  
From all nations gathered in  
Let it be our offering  
(REPEAT)  
Let it be our offering

#### Bridge

Let it be our offering  
Let it be the thanks we bring  
From all nations gathered in  
For the King  
(REPEAT)  
For the King

## 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

### **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