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Fourth Sunday

July 23, 2023 11:00 A.M.

The Rev. Dr. Richard Allen Farmer, Pastor-Teacher

Lay Leader: Cleveland Robinson Worship Leader: Beryl Lindsay Pianist: Paul Settles Drums: Ben Wilkinson Percussion: Sam Jones

COMMUNITY NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME

+CALL TO WORSHIP Lay Leader

Leader: We are the body of Christ. **People:** We live and serve as one.

Leader: This is the house built by God's Spirit. **People:** We fill it with worship and praise.

OPENING HYMN

Hymn No. 60

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

O Holy One, we call to You and recognize You as eternal, everpresent, and boundless in love. Yet there are times, O God when we fail to recognize You in our daily lives. Sometimes shame clenches tightly around our hearts and we hide our true feelings. Sometimes fear makes us small and we miss the chance to speak through Your strength. Sometimes doubt invades our hopefulness and we degrade the wisdom that You give to and through us. Holy God, from sunrise to sunset, remind us again of Your holy presence hovering near us and in us. Free us from shame and self-doubt. Help us to see You in the moment-bymoment possibilities to live honestly, to act courageously, and to speak from Your wisdom. *

Amen

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Lay Leader

Come now, let us settle the matter," says the Lord. "Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red as crimson, they shall be as wool. *Isaiah 1:18*

+PASTORAL PRAYER

Elder Judy Morgan

PRAYER RESPONSE

Thank You for Hearing Our Prayer

MOMENT FOR MISSSIONS Pricilla Wilkinson
Women of Life

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Text and online giving available. See the website for information.

OFFERTORY Praise Team

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Doxology

OFFERING OF PRAISE

Medley: This Is the Day/In the Name of Jesus/ What A Mighty God/Victory Is Mine We Have Come into This House

+SCRIPTURE READING

If you are able, please stand for the reading of the Word of God.

Psalm 20

Reader: The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

SERMON Pastor Justin Giboney

"The Victory"

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

CLOSING HYMN

Victory Is Mine

BENEDICTION People: Amen

POSTLUDE

WHEN THE GATHERING ENDS, THE SERVICE BEGINS. GO IN PEACE, TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD.

Hymn= Hymns for the Living Church.
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*No entry at this time. * Prayer by Beryl Lindsay

COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING

Come, Christians, join to sing Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, Before His throne rejoice; Praise is His gracious choice; Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen! He is our Guide and Friend; To us He'll condescend; His love shall never end; Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore, His goodness we'll adore, Singing forevermore, "Alleluia! Amen!"

Christian H. Bateman

THIS IS THE DAY

This is the day.
This is the day
That the Lord hath made,
That the Lord hath made.
We will rejoice.
We will rejoice,
And be glad in it,
And be glad in it.
This is the day
That the Lord hath made.
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day.
This is the day.
This is the day
That the Lord hath made.

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IN THE NAME OF JESUS

In the name of Jesus, In the name of Jesus, We have the victory.

In the name of Jesus, In the name of Jesus, Satan, you have to flee.

Oh, tell me who can stand before us When we call on that great name? Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus, We have the victory.

Optional

Victory, oh, victory, we have the victory. Victory, oh, victory, we have the victory.

(Congregational Praise Song. CCLI #58738)

WHAT A MIGHTY GOD WE SERVE

What a mighty God we serve, What a mighty God we serve. Angels bow before Him, Heaven and earth adore Him. What a mighty God we serve.

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VICTORY IS MINE TODAY

Victory is mine, Victory is mine
Victory today is mine
I told Satan
Get thee behind
Victory today is mine

Love is mine, Love is mine Love today is mine I told Satan Get thee behind Love today is mine

Joy is mine, Joy is mine Joy today is mine I told Satan Get thee behind Joy today is mine

Peace is mine, Peace is mine
Peace today is mine
I told Satan
Get thee behind
Peace today is mine

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WE HAVE COME INTO HIS HOUSE

We have come into His house And gathered in His name To worship Him, We have come into His house And gathered in His name To worship Him, We have come into His house And gathered in His name To worship Christ the Lord, Worship Him, Christ, the Lord.

So forget about yourself
And concentrate on Him
And worship Him.
So forget about yourself
And concentrate on Him
And worship Him.
So forget about yourself
And concentrate on Him
And worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ, the Lord.

Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His name
And worship Him.
Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His name
And worship Him.
Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His name
And worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ, the Lord.

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VICTORY IS MINE TODAY

Victory is mine, Victory is mine
Victory today is mine
I told Satan
Get thee behind
Victory today is mine

Love is mine, Love is mine Love today is mine I told Satan Get thee behind Love today is mine

Joy is mine, Joy is mine Joy today is mine I told Satan Get thee behind Joy today is mine

Peace is mine, Peace is mine
Peace today is mine
I told Satan
Get thee behind
Peace today is mine

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