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YOUTH SUNDAY

Second Sunday

April 14, 2024 11:00 A.M.

Lay Leader: Michael Angelo Worship Leader: Maggie Sofidiya Pianist: Paul Settles Drums: Ben Wilkinson Percussion: Sam Jones Bass: Joe Rivers

COMMUNITY NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Daniel Ugbaja

A Miracle Story of Praise (Story)

OPENING HYMN

Praise Him

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Lord, sometimes we come to church, listen to a sermon, accept only what we feel comfortable with hearing, and walk away unchanged. We blame our attention spans or preferences to worship and preaching styles, but the issue is what is going on in our hearts. Instead of allowing the light of Your truth to penetrate and expose the darkness within us, we slam the door shut, put extra locks on the door and we hide. In our natural fleshly desires, we hate the light, and we want to keep hiding from it, from You. Forgive us for our foolishness, O Lord.

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Lay Leader

Hear the good news-God is not silent, nor is God deaf. We cannot hide from Him. The one who watches over you does not sleep or slumber. God sees you and He hears your prayers, even in the moments when in hiding and you don't know what to pray. The same God who commands the wind and waves says to you, oh foolish one, your sins are forgiven. You are loved, cherished, held, and precious to God. In Christ there is nothing to fear-even death has lost its power over you. Be at peace.

OFFERING OF PRAISE

Guide My Feet Darling Jesus Goodness of God

+PASTORAL PRAYER

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

MOMENTS OF MISSIONS
The Hunger Walk Report
Samaritan Fund

Latoria Hairston Deloris Rose

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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

OFFERTORY Praise Band

OFFERTORY RESPONSE Doxology

CHILDREN REPORT AND SONG

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

(Children ages 4 & 5 and grades 1st-5th are dismissed to class)

INTERGENERATIONAL PANEL DISCUSSION

Song: *House of Prayer*

Pastor Corey Lee

+SCRIPTURE READING

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

John 12:24, 2 Tim. 2:22

Reader: The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

SERMON Pastor Corey Lee

"Completely Dead, Yet Fully Alive!"

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

CLOSING HYMN

A Wonderful Savior is Jesus My Lord

Hymn No. 402

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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OPENING HYMN

PRAISE HIM

Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus, blessed Savior, He's worthy to be praised. (Repeat)

From the rising of the sun
Until the going down of the same,
He's worthy, Jesus is worthy,
He's worthy to be praised.
Glory, glory, in all things give Him glory,
Jesus, blessed Savior,
He's worthy to be praised.

For God is our Rock, Hope of salvation, A strong Deliverer, In Him I will trust.

Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus, blessed Savior, He's worthy to be praised. (Repeat)

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GUIDE MY FEET

Guide my feet while I run this race. Guide my feet while I run this race. Guide my feet while I run this race, for I don't want to run this race in vain!

Hold my hand while I run this race. Hold my hand while I run this race. Hold my hand while I run this race, for I don't want to run this race in vain!

Stand by me while I run this race. Stand by me while I run this race. Stand by me while I run this race, for I don't want to run this race in vain!

I'm your child while I run this race. I'm your child while I run this race. I'm your child while I run this race, for I don't want to run this race in vain!

Search my heart while I run this race. Search my heart while I run this race. Search my heart while I run this race, for I don't want to run this race in vain!

Guide my feet while I run this race.
Guide my feet while I run this race.
Guide my feet while I run this race,
for I don't want to run this race in vain!

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DARLING JESUS

Chorus

Darling Jesus, Darling Jesus.
Oh, my Darling Jesus, you are wonderful Lord.
I love you so much, Darling Jesus.
Oh my Darling Jesus you are wonderful Lord.
(Repeat)

Verse 1
Darling Jesus you never fail.
Oh, darling Jesus.
You are always on my case.
You give me joy.
You give me peace.
You give me grace.
Thank you, my Jesus.
Thank you, my Lord.

Chorus

Verse 2
You never leave me.
Never forsake me.
I can count on you.
when everyone else fails me.
You never tire to shower me with blessings.
I love you my Jesus.
I love you my Lord.

Chorus

Neeja ¹ S. O. N Music ¹

A WONDERFUL SAVIOR IS JESUS MY LORD

A wonderful Savior is Jesus my Lord, A wonderful Savior to me; He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock, Where rivers of pleasure I see.

Refrain:

CLOSING HYMN

He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock, That shadows a dry, thirsty land; He hideth my life in the depths of His love, And covers me there with His hand, And covers me there with His hand.

A wonderful Savior is Jesus my Lord, He taketh my burden away, He holdeth me up and I shall not be moved, He giveth me strength as my day. (*Refrain*)

With numberless blessings each moment He crowns,

And filled with His fullness divine, I sing in my rapture, oh, glory to God! For such a Redeemer as mine. (*Refrain*)

When clothed with His brightness transported, I rise

To meet Him in clouds of the sky, His perfect salvation, His wonderful love, I'll shout with the millions on high. (*Refrain*)

Francis J. Crosby

GOODNESS OF GOD

I love You, Lord
For Your mercy never fails me
All my days, I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Until I lay my head
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

Cause all my life You have been faithful And all my life You have been so, so good With every breath that I am able Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
And in darkest night You are close like no other
I've known You as a Father
I've known You as a Friend
And I have lived in the goodness of God, yeah

And all my life You have been faithful, ohh And all my life You have been so, so good With every breath that I am able Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God, yeah

'Cause Your goodness is running after, it's running after me

Your goodness is running after, it's running after me

With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now I give You everything 'Cause Your goodness is running after, it's running after me, oh-ohh

'Cause Your goodness is running after, it's running after me
Your goodness is running after, it's running after me
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
'Cause Your goodness is running after, it keeps running after me

And all my life You have been faithful And all my life You have been so, so good With every breath that I am able Oh, I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God I'm gonna sing, I'm gonna sing 'Cause all my life You have been faithful And all my life You have been so, so good With every breath that I am able Oh, I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God Oh, I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God

Bethel Music. Jenn Johnson

House of Prayer

Lord, Make Me A House Make Me A House of Prayer

Lord, Make Me A House Make Me A House of Prayer A House of Prayer

May The Fire On My Altar Never Burn Out The Fire On My Altar Never Burn Out May The Fire On My Altar Never Burn Out Make Me A House of Prayer

Day And Night Night And Day

Eddie James feat. Jayna Cullens