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Crossroads
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Fourth Sunday

April 28, 2024
11:00 A.M.

Lay Leader: John Matthews *Worship Leader: Beryl Lindsay*
Pianist: Paul Settles *Drums: Ben Wilkinson*
Percussion: Sam Jones

COMMUNITY NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Lay Leader

Leader: Jesus calls us. Jesus sees us as we are.

People: And through Jesus, we see love.

OPENING SONG

Hymn No. 317

Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Unison*)

Holy God, hear our prayer. Sometimes our lives are a mess, because of choices we have made or because of choices others have made. Sometimes our lives are great, and we are kind and generous and we forget to be grateful and humble. We trust that in the jumble of all of this, You are present. We trust that You are walking with us when we stray, nudging us back to the right path, slowing us down when we get ahead of You, and waiting for us when we lag behind. So, we thank You, and ask for Your forgiveness, and pray that You will stay with us throughout the journey. Amen. *

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Lay Leader

Sisters and brothers in Christ, the mercies of God are from everlasting to everlasting. Let us proclaim the Good News:

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

OFFERING OF PRAISE

*We've Come to Praise Him
As the Deer*

+PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE TO PRAYER

Receive Praise

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

TESTIMONY TIME

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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

OFFERTORY

Praise Band

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Doxology

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Chancel Choir

"Keep Me True"

By Cymbala, Jefferson, Webb,

with soloists Patti Matthews and Cyril Jermin

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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

+SCRIPTURE READING

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

Acts: 8:26-40

Reader: The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

SERMON

Pastor Nicole

"Unless Someone Guides Me"

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

CLOSING HYMN

Hymn No. 402

A Wonderful Savior is Jesus My Lord

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

BLESSED ASSURANCE, JESUS IS MINE

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels, descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Refrain

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest,
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

Refrain

Fanny J. Crosby

RESPONSE TO PRAYER

RECEIVE PRAISE

Receive our praise, O God
Receive our praise, O King
Sanctify our hearts today
Receive our praise

AS THE DEER (*Modified By Paul Settles*)

As the deer panteth for the water,
So my soul longeth after Thee.
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship Thee.

Chorus:

You alone are my strength, my shield;
To You alone, may my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart's desire,
And I long to worship Thee.

You're my friend
And You are my brother,
Even though You are a King.
I love You more than any other,
So much more than anything.

(Chorus)

VAMP

Hallelu, Hallelujah

O Lord we praise Your Name
All the Glory, all the praise
O Lord we praise Your Name

(Repeat as directed)

WE'VE COME TO PRAISE HIM

Chorus 1

We've come to praise Him
We've come to praise Him
We've come to praise Him
And lift His holy name (Repeat X 2)

Make a joyful noise
Unto the Lord.
Make a joyful noise
Unto the Lord.

We've come to praise His name
We've come to praise His name

Chorus 1

We've come to praise Him
We've come to praise Him
We've come to praise Him
And lift His holy name (Repeat X 2)

Chorus 2

We've come to serve Him
We've come to serve Him
We've come to serve Him
And lift His holy name (Repeat X 2)

Make a joyful noise
Unto the Lord.
Make a joyful noise
Unto the Lord.

We've come to praise His name
We've come to praise His name

Chorus 2

We've come to serve Him
We've come to serve Him
We've come to serve Him
And lift His holy name

Chorus 3

We've come to thank Him
We've come to thank Him
We've come to thank Him
And lift His holy name

Lift up your hands
Unto the Lord.
Lift up your hands
Unto the Lord.

We've come to praise His name
We've come to praise His name

Chorus 1

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**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:

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*)