

Order of Service 4.24.2021

Prelude

Christians, We Have Met to Worship with O Worship the King arr. Larson

Welcome/Call to Worship He Is Lord (UMH No. 177)

He is Lord, he is Lord! He is risen from the dead, and he is Lord! Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord!

Opening Hymn

Amazing Grace UMH No. 378 Verse 1

Amazing grace!
How sweet the sound
that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found;
was blind, but now I see.

Verse 2

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.

Verse 3

Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come; 'tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

Verse 4

The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures.

Verse 5

Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail, and mortal life shall cease, I shall possess, within the veil, a life of joy and peace.

Verse 6

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first begun.

Announcements Morning Prayer/ KID Central Call

Anthem

We've A Story To Tell
Soloists: Greg Dixon and Melissa Brooks

Scripture Lesson Psalm 23 KJV

23 The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. 2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. 3 He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. 4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. 5 Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of *mine enemies: thou anointest my* head with oil; my cup runneth over. 6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Sermon *Grace*

How Great Thou Art UMH No. 77 Verse 1

O Lord my God! when I in awesome wonder consider all the worlds thy hand have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!
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Verse 2

When through the woods and forest glades I wander, and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees; when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur and hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze; [Refrain]

Verse 3

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, sent him to die, I scarce can take it in; that on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, he bled and died to take away my sin; [Refrain]

Verse 4

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.
Then I shall bow in humble adoration, and there proclaim, my God, how great thou art!
[Refrain]

Postlude

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty —arr. Krug





Carpenter's Clubhouse Preschool is now enrolling for Fall 2021. For more information, call 704-739-2471.

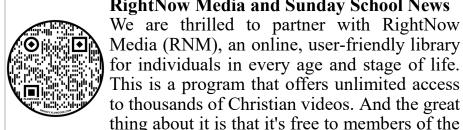


Come join us for our congregational-wide Sunday School after service at 11:10am. We will explore and study our Bible together in this group setting while maintaining social distancing.

KID Central Families will sit together in service and, after the morning prayer, KID Central volunteers will escort your children to their rooms and return them at the end of service. Volunteers will take every safety precaution that they can to keep your children as safe as possible.

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STEWARDSHIP REPORT **ATTENDANCE**

(4/18) 10:00a Service.....83

Operating Fund

Contributions 4/18 \$ 6,915.00 Contributions YTD \$131,247.96

Capital Improvements Fund

Contributions 4/18 \$ 0.00 Contributions YTD \$ 300.00

PRAYER LIST: PRAISES AND CONCERNS

Praises and concerns will stay on this list for one month unless otherwise requested.

Members in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living and Homebound: Peggy Ramey; Sara Griffin; Jane Edwards; Barbara Bridges; Ruth Wilson, Betty Masters.

Military Personnel: SGT Tyler Dixon-Marines; SSGT Jonathan Brucker-Army; CAPT Alex Plonk-Air Force; S 1 Tyler Hellstrand-Navy; Abbey Wallace-Air Force (Afghanistan); SSG Colby Bailey—Army (Deployed); LT Boone McDaniel, Navy; CAPT Wendell Bunch, Jr.—Army; CAPT Alex Young,—Air Force; SP4 Joshua Brucker (Fort Campbell).

Concerns (members/constituents/church-related concerns): Guidance in developing new ministries; our college students; Community Kitchen Ministry.

Concerns (friends/relatives/other concerns): All children in need; Samuel Smith (cancer) 9.30.19; Cristi Boyd 9.30.19; Diane Larose 10.7.19; Crystal Braswell 10.16.19; Mary Denton 2.11.21; Kimberly Spangler 2.11.21; Wally & Leigh Davis 3.19.21.



Kiowa

DAW K'EE DA HA DAWTSAHY HE TSOW'HAW DAW K'EE DA HA DAWTSAHY HEE. BAY DAWTSAHY TAW, GAW AYM OW THAH T'AW, DAW K'EE DA HA DAWTSAHY H'EE.

Creek

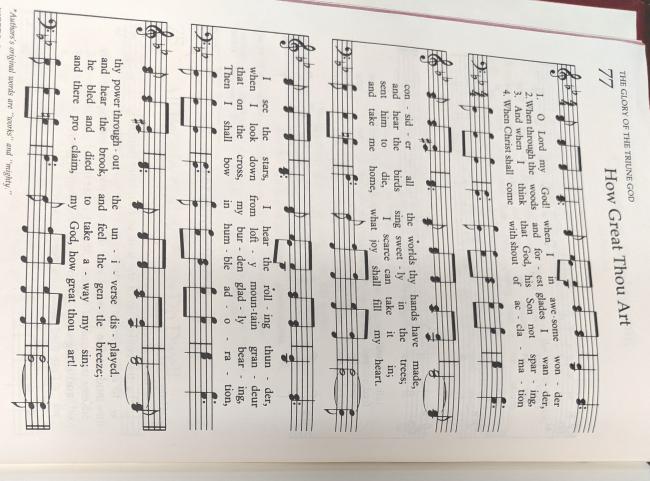
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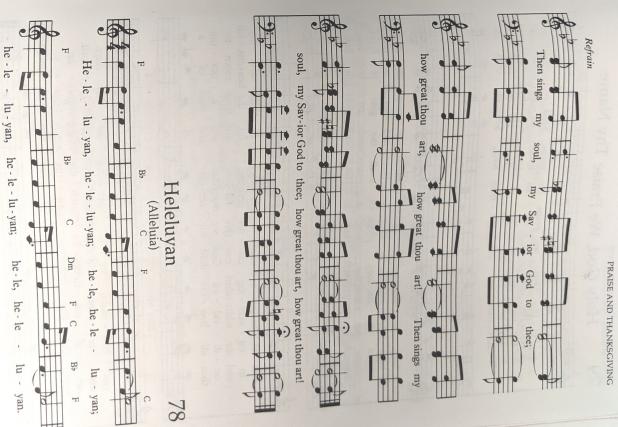
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SHILOMBISH HOLITOPA MA! ISHMMINTI PULLA CHA HATAK ILBUSHA PIA HA IS PI YUKPALASHKE.

WORDS: John Newton, 1779; st. 6 anon.; phonetic transcription Cherokee, Kiowa, AMAZING GRACE Creek, Choctaw as sung in Oklahoma Indian Missionary Conference; Navajo phonetic transcription by Albert Tsosi (1 Chr. 17:16-17)

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