

Prelude

With Praises All Unite! -Sweelinck
(1562-1621)/arr. Edwards

Acolyte—Kalin B.

Welcome

Opening Worship

Glorious Day (CCLI # 7081388)
V1, V2, CH, V3, CH, Bridge, CH

Verse 1

I was buried beneath my shame
Who could carry that kind of weight
It was my tomb 'til I met You

Verse 2

I was breathing but not alive
All my failures I tried to hide
It was my tomb 'til I met You

Chorus

('Cause when) You called my name (and)
I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day
You called my name (and)
I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day

Verse 3

Now Your mercy has saved my soul
Now Your freedom is all that I know
The old made new Jesus when I met You
(Chorus)

Bridge

I needed rescue my sin was heavy
But chains break at the weight of Your glory
I needed shelter I was an orphan
Now You call me a citizen of Heaven
When I was broken You were my healing

Now Your love is the air that I'm breathing
I have a future my eyes are open
(Chorus)

Raise a Hallelujah (CCLI # 7119315)

Verse 1

I raise a hallelujah in the
presence of my enemies
I raise a hallelujah louder than the unbelief
I raise a hallelujah my weapon is a melody
I raise a hallelujah Heaven
comes to fight for me

Chorus

I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm
Louder and louder you're gonna
hear my praises roar
Up from the ashes hope will arise
Death is defeated the King is alive

Verse 2

I raise a hallelujah with
everything inside of me
I raise a hallelujah I will
watch the darkness flee
I raise a hallelujah in the
middle of the mystery
I raise a hallelujah fear you
lost your hold on me

Bridge 1

Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)
Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)
Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)
Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)

Bridge 2

Sing a little louder in the
presence of my enemies
Sing a little louder louder than the unbelief
Sing a little louder my weapon is a melody
Sing a little louder Heaven comes to fight for
me (REPEAT)

Sing a little louder

Ending

I raise a hallelujah (REPEAT)

Announcements

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer UMH 895

Special Choir Music

Come, Follow Me—by Elly & Steve Kupferschmid
Lisa Howell- soloist

Offering

Living for Jesus—arr. Turner

Doxology UMH 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings
flow, Praise God, all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise
Jesus Christ, whose power up-lifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia!

Centering Hymn

Sanctuary (The Faith We Sing #2164)

Lord, Prepare Me To Be A Sanctuary
Pure And Holy, Tried And True
With Thanksgiving, I'll Be A Living
Sanctuary For You

Scripture Lesson

Ephesians 4:22-32;5:1-2 (NRSVEU)

22 to put away your former way of life, your old self, corrupt and deluded by its lusts, 23 and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, 24 and to clothe yourselves with the new self, created according to the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness. 25 So then, putting away falsehood, let each of you speak the truth with your neighbor, for we are members of one another. 26 Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, 27 and do not make room for the devil. 28 Those who steal must give up stealing; rather, let them labor, doing good work with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. 29 Let no evil talk come out of your mouths but only what is good for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. 30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. 31 Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice. 32 Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

5¹ Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, 2 and walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Sermon—Pastor Bruce Gwyn

Apostle's Creed (No. 881)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Closing Hymn

Amazing Grace (UMH #378)

Verse 1,2,3,6

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 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.

Benediction

Chiming of the Holy Trinity

Postlude

Praise and Glory -arr. Schram



Central News and Events

Small Group News

This Sunday is the official launch of our first small group semester for 2023! Our small group leaders for this semester will be in the back of the Narthex after service to get you signed up for a group and answer any questions you may have. If you are interested in joining a small group this semester, please make sure to stop by and see one of our leaders in the Narthex after service this Sunday!

Upcoming Meetings

Sunday, February 12 The Administrative Council will meet briefly in the Asbury Room after church today. **Please note:** there will be no Finance Meeting this month.

Special Meeting Notice

On **Sunday, February 26 at 10:00am** there will be a Special Meeting to vote on church affiliation and the church name.

Thanks to all who came out to our February Family Fellowship Night! Save the date of Wednesday, April 12 for our next event! Our planned program will be Chair Volleyball.

Community Kitchen February Food Drive Request Our partner, Second Harvest Food Bank has been running low on donations and we are asking for your help to supplement our pantry. For February, we are collecting canned fruit to distribute. Please leave your donations in the food drive box in the CAC Hallway. Thank you for your support and for helping people in your community.

Hearts for Hospice—We are doing a fundraiser for Cleveland County Hospice selling hearts for \$1 each. Please visit the narthex to purchase and fill out a heart to be displayed on the bulletin board in the CAC hallway. Our goal is to sell 100 hearts!

Sunday School News Join us for Sunday School in the CAC at 8:30 am.

Our Nursery is available during worship service for ages 0-4 years old. We are in need of volunteers in the nursery to help support this ministry. Please see or contact Kayla Potter Fuller at kayla@cumckm.org or 704-739-2471.

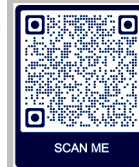
KID Central is our church's church for ages 5-12. If you have any questions, please contact our Youth and Children's Ministries Director, Kayla Potter Fuller at kayla@cumckm.org.

UMYF United Methodist Youth Fellowship meets on Sunday evenings from 5:30-7:30pm. If you have any questions or would like to join/volunteer for youth events, please contact Kayla Potter Fuller at kayla@cumckm.org or 704-739-2471.

If you need to contact **Pastor Bruce Gwyn** please contact/text him at 704-291-0212 or pastor@cumckm.org.

Ushers: Joe Patterson, Ricky Hall, Roger Putnam, Terry Edwards

Greeter: Mary Lou Ware



Welcome Visitors!
Scan to get connected to Central,
inquire about membership and
for prayer requests.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT ATTENDANCE

(2/5) 10:00a Service.....80

Operating Fund 2023

Contributions 2/5	\$ 3,745.00
Contributions YTD	\$35,257.40

Capital Improvements Fund

Contributions 2/5	\$0.00
Contributions YTD	\$0.00

PRAYER LIST: PRAISES AND CONCERNS

Members in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living and Homebound: Jane Edwards; Barbara Bridges; Ruth Wilson, John & Evelyn Eagle; Marilyn Hamrick.

Military Personnel: SSGT Tyler Dixon-Marines; SSGT Jonathan Brucker-Army; SSgt. Joshua Brucker; Army; CAPT Alex Plonk-Air Force; S 1 Tyler Hellstrand-Navy; Abbey Wallace-Air Force (Afghanistan); SSG Colby Bailey—Army; LT Boone McDaniel, Navy; CAPT Wendell Bunch, Jr.—Army; CAPT Alex Young,—Air Force; PFC Matthew Oliveira—Ft. Bliss, El Paso, TX.

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; Sidney Bridges (brain tumor) 9.19.21; Freida Grant 2.21.22; Sherry Curtis 4.20.22; Jennifer Wall 4.26.22; Parker Byrd 7.27.22; Clyde V. (motorcycle accident); Terry and Johnny Neil 10.17.22; Charles Bagwell 10.17.22; Tina Melvin 10.24.22; Marsha & Carl Morrow 12.1.22; Robert Childers, Sr., (death) 1.1.23; Sandy Edwards 1.5.23; Audrey Jackson (Aunt of Paula McDaniel) 1.9.23; Sharon Wilson 1.25.23; Kim Phillips 1.25.23; Allen McKinney (prostate cancer) 2.7.23.