

Contemporary Worship – 9:00 am

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Faith Presbyterian Church

Call to Worship – Psalm 10:1-2, 16-18 (NIV)

Why, O Lord, do you stand far off? Why do you hide yourself in times of trouble? In his arrogance the wicked man hunts down the weak, who are caught in the schemes he devises.

The Lord is King for ever and ever; the nations will perish from his land. You hear, O Lord, the desire of the afflicted; you encourage them, and you listen to their cry, defending the fatherless and the oppressed, in order that man, who is of the earth, may terrify no more.

Holy is the Lord

Louie Giglio/Chris Tomlin

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We stand and lift up our hands, for the joy of the Lord is our strength
We bow down and worship Him now - How great, how awesome is He
And together we sing

*Holy is the Lord God Almighty, the earth is filled with His glory
Holy is the Lord God Almighty, the earth is filled with His glory
The earth is filled with His glory*

[Bridge]

It's rising up all around - It's the anthem of the Lord's renown
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How Great Thou Art

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O Lord my God when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy Hands have made
I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder
Thy power throughout the universe displayed

*Then sings my soul my Savior God to Thee
How great Thou art how great Thou art
Then sings my soul my Savior God to Thee
How great Thou art, how great Thou art*

And when I think of 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

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And lead me home what joy shall fill my heart
Then I shall bow with humble adoration
And then proclaim my God how great Thou art

Confession of Sin

Almighty God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Forgive us and restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us through your Word and Spirit, until you have worked in your holy will. In Christ Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Private Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness – Micah 7:18-19 (NIV)

Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgression of the remnant of his inheritance? You do not stay angry forever but delight to show mercy. You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea.

Grace Alone

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I was an orphan lost at the fall, running away when I'd hear your call
But Father, you worked your will
I had no righteousness of my own, I had no right to draw near your throne
But Father, you loved me still

*And in love before you laid the world's foundation
You predestined to adopt me as your own
You have raised me up so high above my station
I'm a child of God by grace and grace alone*

You left your home to seek out the lost, You knew the great and terrible cost
But Jesus, your face was set
I worked my fingers down to the bone, nothing I did could ever atone
But Jesus, you paid my debt

*By your blood I have redemption and salvation
Lord, you died that I might reap what you have sown
And you rose that I might be a new creation
I am born again by grace and grace alone*

[Bridge]

I was in darkness all of my life, I never knew the day from the night
But Spirit, you made me see
I swore I knew the way on my own, head full of rocks, a heart made of stone
But Spirit, you moved in me

*At your touch my sleeping spirit was awakened
On my darkened heart the light of Christ has shone
Called into a kingdom that cannot be shaken
Heaven's citizen by grace and grace alone*

So I'll stand in faith by grace and grace alone
I will run the race by grace and grace alone
I will slay my sin by grace and grace alone
I will reach the end by grace and grace alone

Prayer of Dedication

*Giving: In-person offering box at the back of the sanctuary, Online at faithwilmington.com/giving, or
Text dollar amount to 84321
Children ages 4 through 3rd grade are dismissed to Junior Church*

Shepherd **Amanda Cook**

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In the process, in the waiting,
You're making melodies over me
In your presence is a promise
Where I am a pilgrim on a journey

*And you will lift my head above the mighty waves
You are able to keep me from stumbling
And in my weakness you are the strength that comes from within
Good shepherd of my soul
Take my hand and lead me on*

You make my footsteps and my path secure
So walking water is just the beginning
Cause my faith to rise. Send out attention
For you are calling me to the greater things

[Bridge]

Oh, how I love you, how I love you,
You have not forsaken me
Oh, how I love you, how I love you,
With You is where I want to be

You never leave me, no.
You never leave me, no.
You never leave me, no.
In every season of the storm.
You never leave me, no.
You never leave me, no.
You never leave me, no.

Scripture – Habakkuk 1:12-2:5

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Sermon – Why Are You Silent?

Rev. Kevin Koslowsky

Lord's Supper

Words of Institution 1 Corinthians 11:23-29 (NIV)

For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself.

Invitation to the Table & Prayer Serving of the Bread & Cup

Revelation Song

Jennie Lee Riddle

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Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, Holy is He
Sing a new song to Him who sits on, Heaven's mercy seat

*Holy, holy, holy! Is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings
You are my ev'rything, and I will adore You*

Clothed in rainbows of living color, flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder
Blessing and honor, strength and glory and power be
To You the only wise King

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder at the mention of Your name
Jesus Your name is power, breath & living water - Such a marv'lous mystery

Benediction – Jude 24-25 (NIV)

To him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy—to the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen.

Announcements

Please visit Faithwilmington.com/calendar for more details

Family Movie Night – Friday, Nov. 22, 6:30 pm in the gym (Movie: The Star)

Order Poinsettias to honor loved ones – through 11/24 \$20 office@faithwilmington.com

Thanksgiving Praise Service – Thursday, November 28, 10-11 am

SBM Holiday Drive – Donate food, toiletries, & thermal underclothes in the gathering space. Contact bdavison@sundaybreakfastmission.org to volunteer.

Foster Closet Children's Coat Drive – Donate in the gathering space through Nov. 3

Christmas Concert – Sunday, December 8; 6:00pm