

Traditional Worship – 11:15 am

Prelude

Call to Worship Psalm 8:1-4, 9 (NIV)

O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens. From the lips of children and infants you have ordained praise because of your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger. When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, what is man that you are mindful of him, the son of man that you care for him? O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Prayer of Adoration & Invocation..... Pastor Yurik

*Hymn: How Great Thou Art..... No. 44

**Indicates standing for those who are able*

Corporate Confession of Sin People

Heavenly Father, loving King, our thoughts and motives cannot be hidden from your sight. Our self-pity and pride, our cowardice and sloth, our anger and envy are laid bare before your eyes and ours. We confess our sins to you and ask you to cover us in Christ. Let us hear your word saying: his blood is your peace, his death is your life, his Spirit is your power. Amen.

Private Prayers of Confession People

Promise of Forgiveness Hebrews 4:13-16 (NIV)

Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight. Everything is uncovered and laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account. Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has gone through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to the faith we profess. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are-- yet was without sin. Let us then approach the throne of grace with

confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

***Hymn: Leaning on the Everlasting ArmsNo. 616**

Psalter Reading: Psalm 104:1-6, 31-35..... Responsive Reading

Praise the LORD, O my soul.

O LORD my God, you are very great; you are clothed with splendor and majesty.

He wraps himself in light as with a garment;

he stretches out the heavens like a tent and lays the beams of his upper chambers on their waters.

He makes the clouds his chariot and rides on the wings of the wind.

He makes winds his messengers, flames of fire his servants.

He set the earth on its foundations; it can never be moved.

You covered it with the deep as with a garment; the waters stood above the mountains.

May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in his works--

he who looks at the earth, and it trembles, who touches the mountains, and they smoke.

I will sing to the LORD all my life;

I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.

May my meditation be pleasing to him, as I rejoice in the LORD.

But may sinners vanish from the earth and the wicked be no more.

Praise the LORD, O my soul.

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New Members Recognition

Ingrid Gonzalez and Aziel Gonzalez

Dedication of Tithes & OfferingsPastor Yurik

*Giving: box at the back of the sanctuary or faithwilmington.com/giving
or Text "Give \$_" to 844-697-1460*

Lord’s Prayer People

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.*

***Hymn: Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him!.....No. 677**

Scripture: Ecclesiastes 12:1-14 pew Bible page 666

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: Fear God and Keep His Commandments ...Rev. Kevin Koslowsky

Prayers of Commitment

Prayer for Those Seeking God: God, I long to know you in a personal relationship. I desire faith to trust that you are real and that you are found by all who seek you. Please honor my longings by having your Spirit work in me to draw me to you.

Prayer for Those Receiving Christ: Father, I have offended you by my words, actions and thoughts. There is nothing I can do to reconcile myself to you. I believe the words of Jesus Christ that no one can come to you except through him. I now accept the crucified and risen Christ as the only acceptable payment that could ever be made for my sin. I desire to follow and obey him.

***Hymn: Trust and ObeyNo. 672**

***Benediction Acts 20:32 (NIV)**

Now I commit you to God and to the word of his grace, which can build you up and give you an inheritance among all those who are sanctified.

***Postlude**

How Great Thou Art

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised. Psal. 48:1

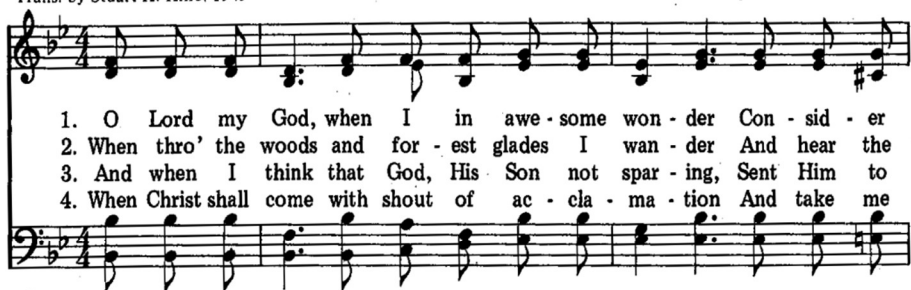
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Carl Boberg, c. 1885

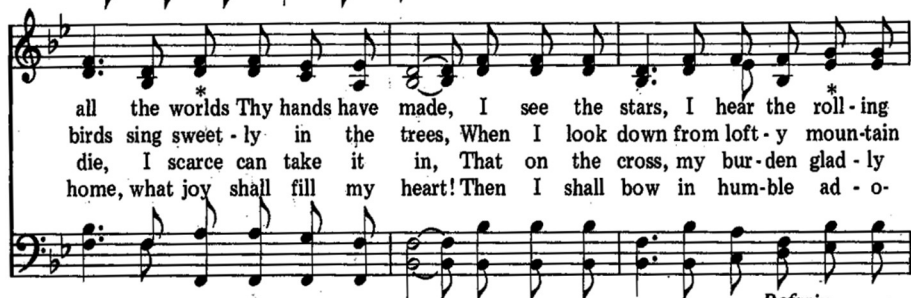
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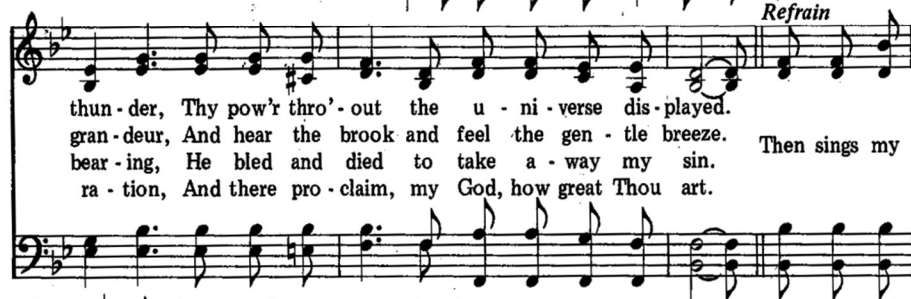
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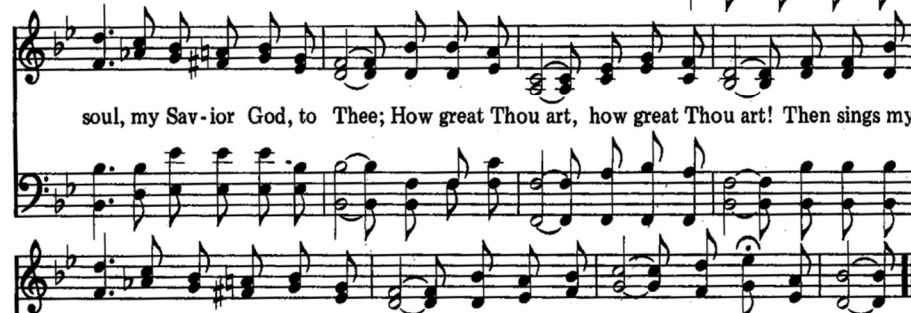
1. O Lord my God, when I in awe - some won - der Con - sid - er
2. When thro' the woods and for - est glades I wan - der And hear the
3. And when I think that God, His Son not spar - ing, Sent Him to
4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion And take me



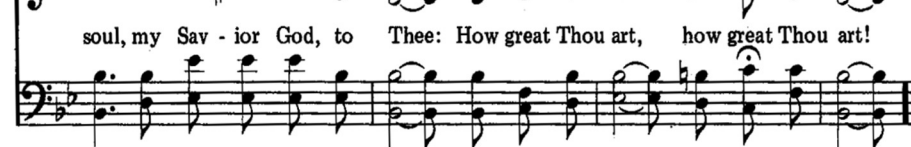
all the worlds Thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the roll - ing
birds sing sweet - ly in the trees, When I look down from loft - y moun - tain
die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my bur - den glad - ly
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o -



thun - der, Thy pow'r thro' - out the u - ni - verse dis - played.
gran - deur, And hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze. Then sings my
bear - ing, He bled and died to take a - way my sin.
ra - tion, And there pro - claim, my God, how great Thou art.



soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee; How great Thou art, how great Thou art! Then sings my



soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee: How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms . . . Deut. 33:27

Elisha A. Hoffman, 1839-1929

A. J. Showalter



1. What a fel-low-ship, what a joy di-vine, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms;
2. Oh, how sweet to walk in this pil-grim way, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms;
3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms?



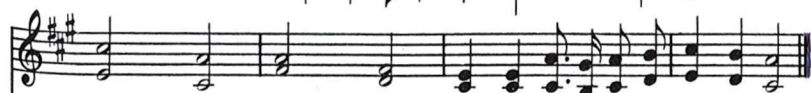
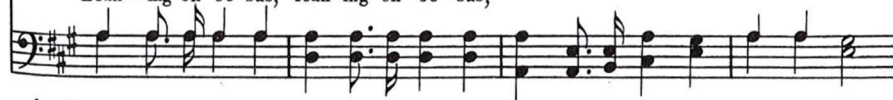
What a bless-ed-ness, what a peace is mine, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms.
Oh, how bright the path grows from day to day, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms.
I have bless-ed peace with my Lord so near, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms.



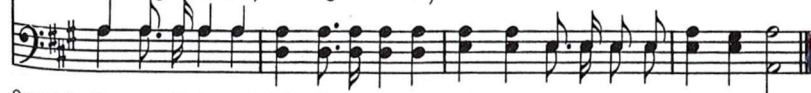
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Lean - ing, lean - ing, Safe and se-cure from all a - larms;
Lean - ing on Je-sus, lean-ing on Je - sus,



Lean - ing, lean - ing, Lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms.
Lean - ing on Je-sus, lean-ing on Je-sus,



Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him!

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Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Heb. 13:8

1. Praise the Sav - ior, ye who know him! Who can tell how much we
 2. Je - sus is the name that charms us; he for con - flict fits and
 3. Trust in him, ye saints, for - ev - er; he is faith - ful, chang - ing
 4. Keep us, Lord, O keep us cleav - ing to thy - self and still be -
 5. Then we shall be where we would be, then we shall be what we

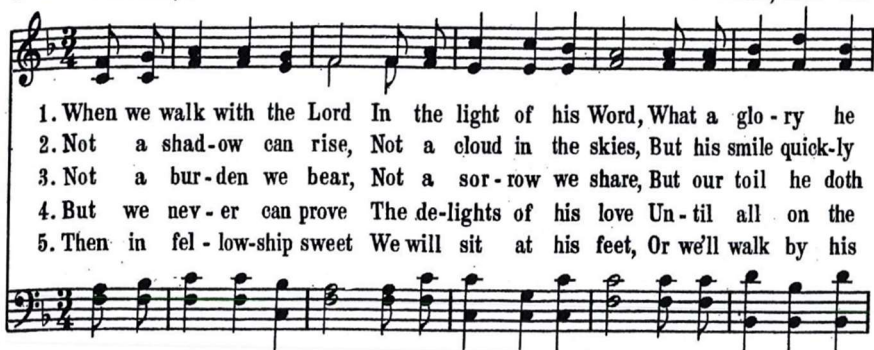
owe him? Glad - ly let us ren - der to him all we are and have.
 arms us; noth - ing moves and noth - ing harms us while we trust in him.
 • nev - er; nei - ther force nor guile can sev - er those he loves from him.
 liev - ing, till the hour of our re - ceiv - ing prom - ised joys with thee.
 should be; things that are not now, nor could be, soon shall be our own.

Trust and Obey

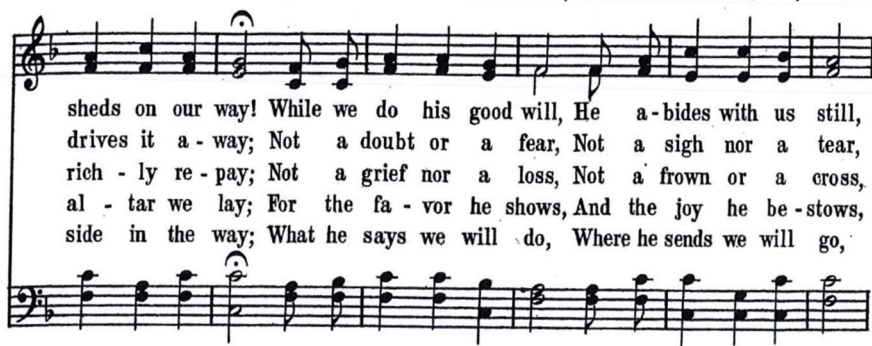
Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people . . . Ex. 19:5

James H. Sammis, d. 1919

Daniel B. Towner, 1850-1919



1. When we walk with the Lord In the light of his Word, What a glo - ry he
2. Not a shad - ow can rise, Not a cloud in the skies, But his smile quick - ly
3. Not a bur - den we bear, Not a sor - row we share, But our toil he doth
4. But we nev - er can prove The de - lights of his love Un - til all on the
5. Then in fel - low - ship sweet We will sit at his feet, Or we'll walk by his



sheds on our way! While we do his good will, He a - bides with us still,
drives it a - way; Not a doubt or a fear, Not a sigh nor a tear,
rich - ly re - pay; Not a grief nor a loss, Not a frown or a cross,
al - tar we lay; For the fa - vor he shows, And the joy he be - stows,
side in the way; What he says we will do, Where he sends we will go,

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And with all who will trust and o - bey.
Can a - bide while we trust and o - bey.
But is blest if we trust and o - bey. Trust and o - bey, for there's no oth - er
Are for them who will trust and o - bey.
Nev - er fear, on - ly trust and o - bey.



way To be hap - py in Je - sus, But to trust and o - bey.

Announcements

FaithWilmington.com/announcements

PRAYER CHAIN: *FaithWilmington.com/community/prayer-requests*

TODAY AT FAITH

12:30 pm Visitation Day

2:15 pm Mary Campbell Center Service

6:00 pm Youth Group

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

M, 8/18	T, 8/19	R, 8/21	Sa, 8/23
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Women's Coffee▪ Youth Bible Study	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Deacon's Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Worship Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Men's Bible Study▪ Pickleball▪ Nursery Volunteer Appreciation

VISITATION DAY

- Today, Sunday, August 17; 12:30 pm; carpool from the Gathering Space
- We weekly have members unable to attend worship, but who would be blessed by a friendly visit. Can you serve by giving a few hours?
- Contact Vickie Fender: 302-475-2445 or VicFend@aol.com
- Visits regularly occur on the third Sunday of each month

WOMEN'S COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

- Tomorrow, Monday, August 18; Panera Bread, Fairfax; 6:30 - 8:00 pm
- Informal gathering to get to know other women at Faith
- Meets on the third Monday of each month
- Contact Sau Lan Staats with questions (womenscoffeefpc@gmail.com)

YOUTH SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

- Monday, Aug. 18; 6:30 – 8:30 pm for students entering 8th-12th grade
- Meet at the Birds' house: 7 Dansfield Dr, Wilmington
- RSVP to Anna Bird (annabird7@gmail.com)

BI-WEEKLY PICKLEBALL

- Holey Ball this Saturday, August 23; 10:30 am -12:00 pm; church gym
- Visit faithwilmington.com/calendar to find our bi-weekly schedule
- Fun mornings of fellowship for adults of all ages – Invite a friend!
- Equipment is supplied

NEW MEMBERS

We recognize in worship today new members received through an interview with our elders and completion of our membership class.

Through their vows they profess faith in Christ and commit to his mission through the church.

Ingrid Gonzalez

Aziel Gonzalez

Reception of New Members

All of you being here present to make a public profession of faith, are to assent to the following declarations and promises, by which you enter into a solemn covenant with God and his Church.

- 1. Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly deserving his displeasure, and without hope save in his sovereign mercy?*
- 2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon him alone for salvation as he is offered in the Gospel?*
- 3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?*
- 4. Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?*
- 5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the Church, and promise to study its purity and peace?*