Contemporary Worship – 9:00 am

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Faith Presbyterian Church

Call to Worship - Philippians 2:5-11 (ESV)

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, Who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Today is the Day

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I'm casting my cares aside, I'm leaving my past behind I'm setting my heart and mind on You, Jesus I'm reaching my hands to Yours, believing there's so much more Knowing that all You have in store for me is good, it's good

Today is the day You have made, I will rejoice and be glad in it Today is the day You have made, I will rejoice and be glad in it I won't worry about tomorrow, I'm trusting in what You say Today is the day (repeat)

I'm putting my fears aside, I'm leaving my doubts behind I'm giving my hopes and dreams to You, Jesus I'm reaching my hands to Yours, believing there's so much more Knowing that all You have in store for me is good, it's good

[Bridge]

I will stand upon Your truth, and all my days I'll live for You And I will stand upon Your truth, and all my days I'll live for You

Confession of Faith

From the Westminster Confession of Faith 20.1

The liberty which Christ purchased for believers under the gospel consists in our freedom from the guilt of sin, from the condemning wrath of God, and from the curse of the moral law.

Furthermore, it consists in our being delivered from this present evil age, from bondage to Satan and the dominion of sin, from the evil of afflictions, from the sting of death, from the victory of the grave, and from everlasting damnation.

It consists also in our free access to God and in yielding obedience to him, not out of slavish fear, but out of a childlike love and willing mind.

Battle Belongs

Brian Johnson/Phil Wickham

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When all I see is the battle, You see my victory When all I see is a mountain, You see a mountain moved And as I walk through the shadow, Your love surrounds me There's nothing to fear now, for I am safe with You

So when I fight I'll fight on my knees with my hands lifted high O God the battle belongs to You And every fear I lay at Your feet, I'll sing through the night O God, the battle belongs to You

And if You are for me, who can be against me? For Jesus there's nothing impossible for You When all I see are the ashes, You see the beauty When all I see is a cross, God You see the empty tomb

[Bridge]

(An) Almighty Fortress, You go before us Nothing can stand against the power of our God You shine in the shadows, You win every battle Nothing can stand against the power of our God

O God, the battle belongs to You

Who You Say I Am

Ben Fielding/Reuben Morgan

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Who am I that the highest King would welcome me? I was lost but He brought me in – Oh, His love for me! Oh, His love for me!

Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed I'm a child of God – Yes, I am

Free at last, He has ransomed me, His grace runs deep While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me. Yes, He died for me!

Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed I'm a child of God – Yes, I am In my Father's house there's a place for me I'm a child of God – Yes, I am

[Bridge]

I am chosen, not forsaken – I am who You say I am You are for me, not against me – I am who You say I am

Prayer of Dedication

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

Children ages 4 through 3rd grade are dismissed to Junior Church

Blessed Assurance (All My Attempts to be Satisfied) Maxwell/Shirley ©2016 CityAlight Music

All my attempts to be satisfied Were vain and empty Until the moment You rescued me, And Your love filled me My soul sings; now my soul sings

What blessed assurance
I've found in You, I've found in You
I won't be shaken, I will not be moved
How steadfast Your strong hand
Is keeping me, is keeping me
I won't be shaken, I will not be moved, Oh blessed assurance

No other love that I've ever known compares to You God No other love that I've ever found has done what You've done My soul sings; now my soul sings

[Bridge]

Ever my anchor, ever my strength, ever my portion and all I need Ever my healing, ever my hope, ever the truth that leads me home That leads me home

Scripture – Galatians 5:13-15 (pew Bible page 1154)

Sermon – Real Freedom Rev. Mike Yurik

Prayer

Hymn of Heaven Bill Johnson/Brian Johnson/Phil Wickham

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How I long to breathe the air of Heaven
Where pain is gone and mercy fills the streets
To look upon the one who bled to save me
And walk with Him for all eternity

There will be a day when all will bow before Him There will be a day when death will be no more Standing face to face with He who died and rose again Holy, holy is the Lord

And ev'ry prayer we prayed in desperation
The songs of faith we sang through doubt and fear
In the end we'll see that it was worth it
When He returns to wipe away our tears

And on that day we join the resurrection And stand beside the heroes of the faith With one voice a thousand generations Sing worthy is the Lamb who was slain – Forever He shall reign

So let it be today we shout the hymn of Heaven With angels and the Saints we raise a mighty roar Glory to our God who gave us life beyond the grave Holy, holy is the Lord; holy, holy is the Lord; holy, holy is the Lord

Benediction – from Deuteronomy 5:33

And now through the work of Jesus Christ and the enabling of the Holy Spirit, may you "walk in all the way that the Lord your God has commanded you, that you may live, and that it may go well with you, and that you may live long in the land that you shall possess." Amen.

Announcements

Please visit Faithwilmington.com/calendar for more details

<u>Faith Concert Series</u> – Next Sunday October 5, 4pm; Keys to Theology (Piano) Faith Explored—Wednesdays, 6-8 pm; Register online: faithwilmington.com/explore Join Christmas Choir – Wed. 7:30pm rehearsals begin Oct.1. (Concert Dec. 7; 6:30pm) Fall Fest – Wed., Oct. 29; 5:30-7:30pm. Donate candy, volunteer in gathering space, register families online: faithwilmington.com/calendar.

Men's Book Study – Mondays, 7-8:30pm through Nov.17; Disciplines of a Godly Man (books provided). Contact Joe Manbeck (joe.manbeck@gmail.com).

Foster Closet – donate children's costumes in the Gathering Space through Oct. 3