

INCLUDES
ENLARGED HYMNS



BEVERLY HEIGHTS UNITED

Welcome and Greeting

Rev. Dr. Nathanael Devlin, Senior Pastor

Announcements

Amy Lucas, Administrative Assistant

THE LORD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

A Time for New Beginnings
Jinna Park, Organist and Accompanist

Smith

*The first note of the prelude marks the beginning of worship. Please use this brief period of time for prayer and preparation while keeping conversation at a low volume and to a minimum. **Please refrain from clapping unless led to do so.***

Invitation to Worship

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, make us one!

People: Let us join our hearts together and worship the Lord!

Prayer of Invocation

Opening Psalm of Praise **No. 98**

vv. 1, 4 (See Bulletin)

Oh, Sing a New Song to the Lord

Responsive Reading

Psalm 101

Leader: I will sing of steadfast love and justice; to You, O LORD, I will make music. I will ponder the way that is blameless. Oh when will You come to me? I will walk with integrity of heart within my house;

People: I will not set before my eyes anything that is worthless. I hate the work of those who fall away; it shall not cling to me. A perverse heart shall be far from me; I will know nothing of evil.

Leader: Whoever slanders his neighbor secretly I will destroy. Whoever has a haughty look and an arrogant heart I will not endure. I will look with favor on the faithful in the land, that they may dwell with me; he who walks in the way that is blameless shall minister to me.

People: No one who practices deceit shall dwell in my house; no one who utters lies shall continue before my eyes. Morning by morning I will destroy all the wicked in the land, cutting off all the evildoers from the city of the LORD.

Hymn of Worship **No. 66**

vv. 1-4

God Is Known among His People

THE LORD CLEANSSES OUR SIN

Unison Confession of Sin

Be mindful of Your mercy, O Lord, and of Your steadfast love, for they have been from of old. Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to Your steadfast love remember me, for Your goodness' sake, O Lord! Good and upright is the Lord; therefore He instructs sinners in the way. For Your name's sake, O Lord, pardon my guilt, for it is great. Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted. Relieve the troubles of my heart, and bring me out of my distress. Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

Silent Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

Unison Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and Earth.

**I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;
He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there He will come to judge the living 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.**

THE LORD SANCTIFIES OUR LIVES

Responsive Hymn **No. 59**

vv. 1-4

Forever Settled in the Heavens

Old Testament Lesson: Exodus 16:1-8

Dr. Kyle Bennett

Special Music

Cry No More
Stephen Sparks, *baritone*; Jinna Park, *piano*

Forrest

*In the shadow where linger, in this darkness we call home,
Where the sighs are deep and doubtful and our aspirations groan,
All is not in vain, Beloved, our travail is not unknown.*

*Christ within us, Christ among us, Christ the first and Christ the last;
Love Incarnate, hold Your children till the storm of life is past.*

*Though we have not faith to seek Him, Christ Himself will draw us near.
Deep, abiding rays of mercy cast their light on only fear.
Cry no more, ye poor and weary, our redeeming Lord is here.*

*Sure defender, never failing, Radiant Savior, Holy Friend,
Gift of glory, Hope of heaven, call us now to faith again!
Alleluia! Blest compassion, grace is shining without end!*

Chord symbols: G, D, Em, Bm, Em, D, G, D, Em, C, G, D, G, C, D, G, D, Am, G, D, C, G.

Lyrics: Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Thomas Ken, 1709

OLD HUNDREDTH L.M.
Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*, 1551

*Children ages kindergarten and younger are dismissed to the Nursery, Walkabouts Room or Runabouts Room.
All other children remain in worship with their families.*

Scripture Reading

John 6:35-40

Sermon

The Father's Gift to the Son

Dr. T. David Gordon

THE LORD RECEIVES OUR GIFTS AND HEARTS

Call for the Offering and Offertory

Just As I Am

arr. Burton

Prayer of Thanksgiving followed by the Threefold Amen **No. 740**

A - men, a - men, a - - - men.

DANISH
Anon.

THE LORD SCATTERS US TO ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

Closing Hymn **No. 598**

vv. 1-3

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Benediction

Postlude

And Can It Be

arr. Page

Oh, Sing a New Song to the LORD

1. Oh, sing a new song to the LORD, For won-ders He has done,

For won - ders He has done; His right and and His ho - ly arm

The vic - to - ry have won, The vic - to - ry have won, The vic - to - ry have won, The vic - to - ry have won, The vic - to - ry have won.

18 won, The vic - to - ry have won. won, The vic - to - ry have won. won, The vic - to - ry have won. won, The vic - to - ry have won. won, The vic - to - ry have won. won.

4. O all the earth, sing to the Lord And make a joy - ful sound,

And make a joy - ful sound, Lift up your voice a - loud to Him;

Sing psalms! let joy re - sound! Sing psalms! Let joy re -
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 Sing psalms! Let joy re - sound! Sing

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God Is Known among His People

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In Judah God is known; his name is great in Israel. Ps. 76:1

1. God is known a - mong his peo - ple, ev - ery mouth his praise - es fill;
 2. Ex - cel - lent and glo - rious are you, with your tro - phies from the fray;
 3. When from heav'n your sen - tence sound - ed, all the earth in fear was still,
 4. Vow and pay un - to Je - ho - vah, him your God for - ev - er own;

from of old he has es - tab - lished his a - bode on Zi - on's hill;
 you have slain the might - y war - riors, wrapped in sleep of death are they;
 while to save the meek and low - ly God in judg - ment wrought his will;
 all men, bring your gifts be - fore him, wor - ship him, and him a - lone;

there he broke the sword and ar - row, bade the noise of war be still.
 when your an - ger once is ris - en, who can stand in that dread day?
 e'en the wrath of man shall praise you, your de - signs it shall ful - fil.
 might - y kings o - bey and fear him, princ - es bow be - fore his throne.

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Forever Settled in the Heavens

Your word, LORD, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens. Ps. 119:89

Chords: F D A⁷ D G D A E⁷ A 7 D

1. For - ev - er set - tled in the heav'ns, thy word, O
 2. Thy word and works un - moved re - main, thine ev - 'ry
 3. I should have per - ished in my woe had not I
 4. The wick - ed would de - stroy my soul, but in thy

Chords: G D Em D A D A⁷ D G A⁷ D

Lord, shall firm - ly stand; thy faith - ful - ness shall nev - er
 pur - pose to ful - fil; all things are thine and thee o -
 loved thy law di - vine; that law I nev - er can for -
 truth is ref - uge sure; ex - ceed - ing broad is thy com -

Chords: A F D G C^{#dim} D Em D A⁷ D 7

fail; the earth a - bides at thy com - mand.
 bey, and all as ser - vants wait thy will.
 get; O save me, Lord, for I am thine.
 mand, and in per - fec - tion shall en - dure.

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

He will be our guide even to the end. Ps. 48:14

1. Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this
 2. O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, whence the heal - ing
 3. When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but thou art might - y; hold me with thy
 stream doth flow; let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me all my
 fears sub - side; Death of death, and hell's De - struc - tion, land me safe on

pow'r - ful hand; Bread of heav - en, Bread of heav - en,
 jour - ney through; strong De - liv - 'rer, strong De - liv - 'rer,
 Ca - naan's side; songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es

feed me till I want no more, feed me till I want no more.
 be thou still my strength and shield, be thou still my strength and shield.
 I will ev - er give to thee, I will ev - er give to thee.

SERMON NOTES

THIS WEEK AT BEVERLY HEIGHTS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

9:00 AM Christian Education for all ages
10:00 AM Worship Service
5:30 PM Sabbath Supper

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

Church Offices Closed

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16

7:00 PM Next Gen Team Meeting

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17

7:30 AM Men's Bible Study
9:00 AM Staff Meeting

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18

6:30 PM Revelation Fitness Workout
7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

8:30 AM Women's Breakfast

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

9:00 AM Christian Education for all ages
10:00 AM Worship Service
5:30 PM Sabbath Supper

Reminder: Special Meeting of the Congregation

Please note that immediately following the conclusion of the worship service on Sunday, February 4, 2024, the congregational meeting from October 29 will resume and the congregation will vote on Session's request for dismissal from the EPC.

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