

A Sermon Series

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BEVERLY HEIGHTS CHURCH

APRIL 21, 2024

Beverly Heights United

Welcome and Greeting

Rev. Dr. Nathanael Devlin, Senior Pastor

Announcements

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THE LORD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

With Songs of Rejoicing
Jinna Park, *Accompanist and Organist*

Bach

*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: Christ is Risen!

People: He is Risen Indeed!

Choral Introit

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Prayer of Invocation

Opening Easter Hymn **No. 302**

vv. 1-3

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Responsive Reading: From Psalm 57

Dr. Kyle David Bennett

Leader: Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me, for in You my soul takes refuge; in the shadow of Your wings I will take refuge, till the storms of destruction pass by. I cry out to God Most High, to God who fulfills His purpose for me. He will send from heaven and save me; He will put to shame Him who tramples on me. God will send out His steadfast love and His faithfulness!

People: My soul is in the midst of lions; I lie down amid fiery beasts— the children of man, whose teeth are spears and arrows, whose tongues are sharp swords. Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!

Leader: My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast! I will sing and make melody! Awake, my glory! Awake, O harp and lyre! I will awake the dawn! I will give thanks to You, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to You among the nations.”

People: For Your steadfast love is great to the heavens, Your faithfulness to the clouds. Be exalted, O God, above the heavens! Let Your glory be over all the earth!

Hymn of Worship **No. 441**

vv. 1-3

Jesus Shall Reign

THE LORD CLEANSSES OUR SIN

Call to Silent Confession of Sin

Please bow your head. For those who are able, you are invited to kneel during the confession of sin.

Unison Assurance of Pardon

“Death has been swallowed up in victory. Where, O death, is Your victory? Where, O death, is Your sting?” The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ.

Unison Confession of Faith

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

Hymn of Worship No. 441

vv. 4, 5

Jesus Shall Reign

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 64:1-12

Mr. Peter A. Chace

Choral Anthem

Jesus Paid It All

arr. Forman

*I hear the Savior say, “Thy strength indeed is small, child of weakness, watch and pray, find in Me thine all in all.”
Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe; Jesus paid it all; sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow, Jesus paid it all.
For nothing good have I whereby Thy grace to claim; I’ll wash my garments white in the blood of Calv’ry’s Lamb.
Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe; Jesus paid it all; sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow, Jesus paid it all.
And when, before the throne, I stand in Him complete, “Jesus died my soul to save,” my lips shall still repeat!
Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe; Jesus paid it all; sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow, Jesus paid it all.*

Congregational Response No. 731

Doxology

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen**

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

THE LORD RECEIVES OUR GIFTS AND HEARTS

Call for the Offering and Offertory

Jesus Paid It All

Snow

Congregational Response No. 735

Gloria Patri

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in

the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

shall be, world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

THE LORD MEETS US AT THE TABLE

Words of Institution and Examination of Conscience (*See below)

Invitation and Coming to the Table

*Please note: we will eat together in the pew.
Those who are unable to come to the table will be served in the pew.
The Elders are serving bread and wine.
To better serve those with restrictions, please see Pastor Devlin
for gluten-free bread and/or grape juice.*

Communion Hymn

See Bulletin or Screen

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Prayer of Thanksgiving followed by the Threefold Amen No. 740

Trinity Hymnal



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

THE LORD SCATTERS US TO ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

Closing Hymn No. 358

vv. 1, 6

For All the Saints

Benediction

Postlude

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

Hayes

****May I Come to the Lord's Table?***

All true believers who trust in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, including those from other congregations, are a part of the true Church and are invited to partake in the Lord's Supper. As we come to the table we rejoice as we remember our need to trust in Jesus Christ as Lord, to repent of sin, and to covenant once more to live as followers of Jesus. Those who are ignorant in their knowledge of Christ or who are living ungodly and unrepentant lives should refrain from the table. Baptized children may be admitted to the Lord's Supper provided their parents have appeared before the Pastor or Session to share their child's profession of faith, in a manner acceptable to the Session.

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

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Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD. Ps. 95:1

1. Come, Chris - tians, join to sing Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 2. Come, lift your hearts on high, Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 3. Praise yet our Christ a - gain, Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

loud praise to Christ our King; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 let prais - es fill the sky; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 life shall not end the strain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

let all, with heart and voice, be - fore his throne re - jice;
 he is our Guide and Friend; to us he'll con - de - scend;
 on heav - en's bliss - ful shore, his good - ness we'll a - dore,

praise is his gra - cious choice. Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 his love shall nev - er end. Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 sing - ing for - ev - er - more, "Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!"

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Jesus Shall Reign

He will rule from sea to sea and from the River to the ends of the earth. Ps. 72:8

Chords: D, A⁷, D, G, C^{#dim}, D, A, E⁷, A, D

1. Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun does his suc -
 2. To him shall end - less prayer be made, and prais - es
 3. Peo - ple and realms of ev - ery tongue dwell on his
 4. Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er he reigns; the pris - 'ner
 5. Let ev - ery crea - ture rise and bring pe - cu - liar

Chords: G, D, Em, D, A, D, A⁷, D, G, D, A⁷, D

ces - sive jour - neys run; his king - dom stretch from shore to
 throng to crown his head; his name, like sweet per - fume, shall
 • love with sweet - est song; and in - fant voic - es shall pro -
 leaps to lose his chains, the wea - ry find e - ter - nal
 hon - ors to our King; an - gels de - scend with songs a -

Chords: A, D, G, C^{#dim}, D, Em⁷, D, Em, D, A⁷, D

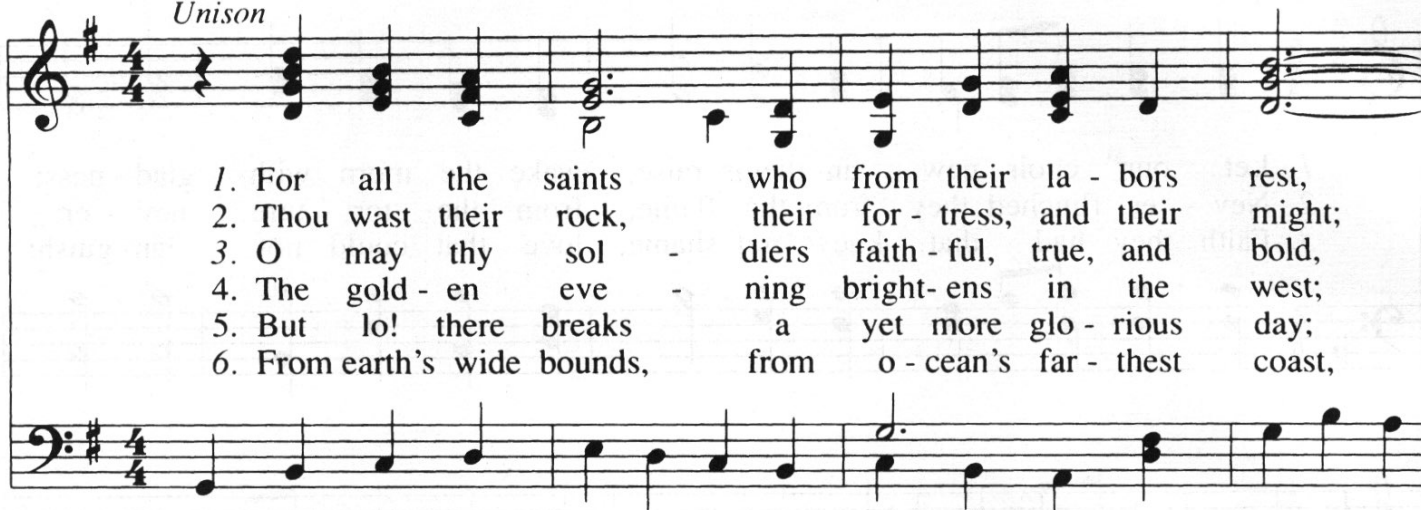
shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.
 rise with ev - ery morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
 • claim their ear - ly bless - ings on his name.
 rest, and all the sons of want are blest.
 gain, and earth re - peat the loud a - men!

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For All the Saints

They will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them. Rev. 14:13

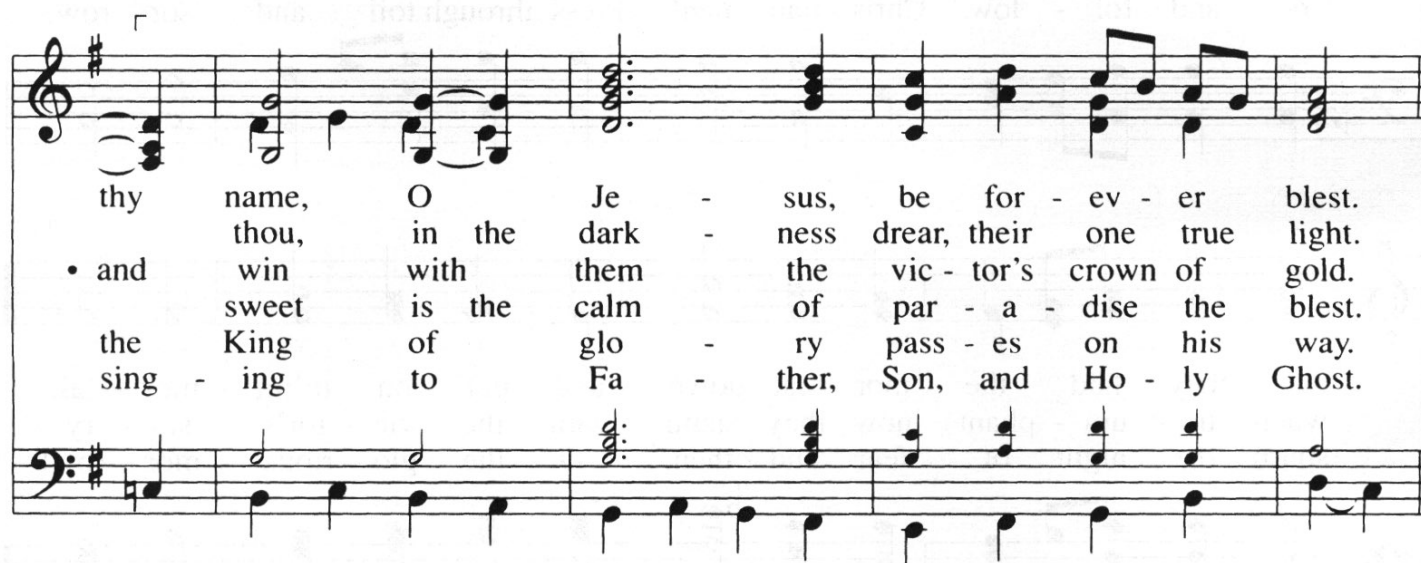
Unison



1. For all the saints who from their labors rest,
 2. Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might;
 3. O may thy soldiers faithful, true, and bold,
 4. The golden evening brightens in the west;
 5. But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;
 6. From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,



who thee by faith before the world confessed,
 thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
 fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
 soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest;
 the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
 through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,



thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
 thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light.
 and win with them the victor's crown of gold.
 sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
 the King of glory passes on his way.
 sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

William Walsham How, 1864, 1875

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Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Music and words by Keith Getty, Jordan Kauflin,
Matt Papa, Matt Boswell, & Matthew Merker

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone.

What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong.

Who holds our days within His hand? What comes, apart from His command?

And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand.

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good.

Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood.

Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?

Who sends the waves that bring us nigh unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

Unto the grave, what shall we sing? "Christ, He lives! Christ, He lives!"

And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him.

There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed,

And we will feast in endless joy, when Christ is ours forevermore.

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

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A Sermon Series on the Church in 1 Corinthians

April 7	1 Corinthians 1:1-17	Better Call Paul
April 14	1 Corinthians 1:18-31	Called to the Cross
April 21	1 Corinthians 2:1-16	Called to the Mind of Christ
April 28	1 Corinthians 3:1-22	Called to a Building
May 5	1 Corinthians 4:1-13	Called to Account
May 12	1 Corinthians 4:14-21	Called Father
May 19	1 Corinthians 5:1-13	Called to Purity
May 26	1 Corinthians 6:1-8	Called to Judge
June 2	1 Corinthians 6:9-20	Called to Membership

THIS WEEK AT BEVERLY HEIGHTS

SUNDAY, APRIL 21

9:00 AM Christian Education for all ages
9:00 AM Confirmation Class
10:00 AM Worship Service
6:30 PM Fusion (MS & HS students)

THURSDAY, APRIL 25

9:45 AM Women's Bible Study
7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, APRIL 26

SATURDAY, APRIL 27

8:00 AM Men's Bible Study

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

7:00 PM Deacons Meeting

SUNDAY, APRIL 28

9:00 AM Christian Education for all ages
9:00 AM Confirmation Class
10:00 AM Worship Service
6:30 PM Fusion (MS & HS students)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

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

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