

A Sermon Series

# CALLED TO BE SAINTS



BEVERLY HEIGHTS CHURCH

APRIL 28, 2024



# Beverly Heights United

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Welcome and Greeting

Rev. Dr. Nathanael Devlin, Senior Pastor

Announcements

Amy Lucas, Administrative Assistant

## THE LORD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*  
Jinna Park, *Accompanist and Organist*

Thewes

*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

*Faithful Is God*

Prayer of Invocation

Opening Easter Hymn **No. 2**

vv. 1-4

*O Worship the King*

Responsive Reading: From Psalm 27

Mr. Peter A. Chace

Leader: The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall.

**People: Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident. One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in His temple.**

Leader: For He will hide me in His shelter in the day of trouble; He will conceal me under the cover of His tent; He will lift me high upon a rock.

**People: And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in His tent sacrifices with shouts of joy; I will sing and make melody to the LORD.**

Hymn of Worship **No. 2**

vv. 5, 6

*O Worship the King*

**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

**God, who is rich in mercy, out of the great love with which He loved us even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—and raised us up with Him and seated us with Him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the ages to come He might show the immeasurable riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.**

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**

Sacrament of Baptism

Lucas Michael Seo

Baptismal Hymn **No. 189 (See Screen)**

vv. 1, 2, 4

*Jesus Loves Me*

Choral Anthem

*Open My Eyes*

Purifoy

*Open my eyes that I may see glimpses of truth Thou hast for me.  
Place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free.  
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready my God, Thy will to see. Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!  
Open my ears that I may hear voices of truth Thou sendest clear.  
And while the wave notes fall on my ear, ev'rything false will disappear.  
Open my mouth and let me bear gladly the warm truth everywhere.  
Open my heart and let me prepare love with Thy children thus to share.  
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready my God, Thy will to see. Open my heart, illumine me, Spirit divine!  
Open my eyes, open my ears, open my mouth, open my heart, Spirit divine.*

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

*Offertory on "Jewels"*

Smith

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

*Come, Bless the Lord*

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. 521

vv. 1, 3

*My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

Benediction

Postlude

*Crown Him with Many Crowns*

Broughton

***\*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.*

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## O Worship the King

All you have made will praise you, O LORD; your saints will extol you. Ps. 145:10



1. O wor - ship the King all - glo - rious a - bove, O grate - ful - ly
2. O tell of his might, O sing of his grace, whose robe is the
3. The earth with its store of won - ders un - told, Al - might - y, your
4. Your boun - ti - ful care what tongue can re - cite? It breathes in the



sing his pow'r and his love; our shield and De - fend - er, the  
light, whose can - o - py space. His char - iots of wrath the deep  
pow'r has found - ed of old; has 'stab - lished it fast by a  
air; it shines in the light; it streams from the hills; it de -



An - cient of Days, pa - vil - ioned in splen - dor and gird - ed with praise.  
thun - der - clouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.  
change - less de - cree, and round it has cast, like a man - tle, the sea.  
scends to the plain; and sweet - ly dis - tils in the dew and the rain.



5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
in you do we trust, nor find you to fail;  
your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!
6. O measureless Might! Ineffable Love!  
While angels delight to hymn you above,  
the humbler creation, though feeble their lays,  
with true adoration shall lisp to your praise.



# Come, Bless the Lord

1. Come, O my soul, bless the Lord your Ma - ker, And all with - in me  
 2. Good is the Lord and full of kind com - pas - sion, Slow un - to an - ger,  
 3. His love is like a fa - ther's to his chil - dren, Ten - der and kind to  
 4. We fade and die like flow'rs that grow in beau - ty, Like ten - der grass that  
 5. High in the hea - vens his throne is fixed for - ev - er, His king - dom rules ov - er

praise his ho - ly name; Come, bless the Lord, for - get not all his mer - cies,  
 plen - te - ous in love; Rich is his grace to all that hum - bly seek him,  
 all who fear his name; For he knows well our weak - ness and our frail - ty,  
 soon will dis - ap - pear, But ev - er - more the love of God is change - less,  
 all from pole to pole; Come, bless the Lord, through all his wide do - min - ion,

His par - d'ning grace and sav - ing love pro - claim.  
 Bound - less, un - end - ing, as the heav'ns a - bove.  
 He knows that we are dust, he knows our frame.  
 Still shown to those who wor - ship him in fear.  
 Bless his ho - ly name, O my soul.

1,3 | 2,4,5

Come, bless the Lord, won - drous in might, Stead - fast in love, Up - hold - er of

The first system of musical notation consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat) and a common time signature. It contains a vocal melody with lyrics: "Come, bless the Lord, won - drous in might, Stead - fast in love, Up - hold - er of". The lower staff is in bass clef and provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

right. He is our Sav - ior, He is our de - light. Come, bless the Lord, my soul.

The second system of musical notation also consists of two staves. The upper staff continues the vocal melody with lyrics: "right. He is our Sav - ior, He is our de - light. Come, bless the Lord, my soul." The lower staff continues the harmonic accompaniment. The system concludes with a double bar line.

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## My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

*No one can lay any foundation other than the one already laid, which is Jesus Christ.*

1 Cor. 3:11

Capo 3: F(D) C(A) F(D) B $\flat$ (G)

1. My hope is built on noth - ing less than Je - sus' blood and  
 2. When dark - ness veils his love - ly face, I rest on his un -  
 3. His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood sup - port me in the  
 4. When he shall come with trum - pet sound, O may I then in

C(A) F(D) C(A) F(D)

right - teous - ness; I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but  
 chang - ing grace; in ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my  
 whelm - ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, he  
 him be found; dressed in his right - teous - ness a - lone, fault -

B $\flat$ (G) C(A) F(D) REFRAIN B $\flat$ (G)

whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.  
 an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id rock, I stand; all  
 then is all my hope and stay.  
 less to stand be - fore the throne.

F(D) C(A) F(D) B $\flat$ (G) F(D) C $^7$ (A $^7$ ) F(D) 7

oth - er ground is sink - ing sand, all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

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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 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)

### MONDAY, APRIL 29

*Church Offices Closed*

### TUESDAY, APRIL 30

- 7:00 PM Deacons Meeting

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

- 7:30 AM Men's Bible Study
- 9:00 AM Staff Meeting
- 6:30 PM VBS Volunteer Meeting

### THURSDAY, MAY 2

- 7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

### FRIDAY, MAY 3

### SATURDAY, MAY 4

- 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study

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