

A Sermon Series

CALLED TO BE SAINTS



BEVERLY HEIGHTS CHURCH

JULY 7, 2024

Beverly Heights United

Welcome and Greeting

Mr. Peter A. Chace, Director of Next Generations Ministry

Psalm Instruction

Lord, in the Morning Thou Shalt Hear

THE LORD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

Sonata for Flute and Violin, TWV 40:111 - I: Dolce

Telemann

Cindy Egeland, *flute*; Karl Egeland, *violin*

*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: O magnify the Lord with me.

People: Come, let us worship the Lord together!

Prayer of Invocation

Opening Psalm of Praise **No. 92**

vv. 1-3

It's Good to Thank the Lord

Responsive Reading: Psalm 1

Dr. Kyle David Bennett

Leader: Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;

People: but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on His law he meditates day and night.

Leader: He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

People: The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

Leader: Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;

People: for the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

Psalm of Worship **No. 20**

vv. 1-3

The LORD Reply in Your Distress

THE LORD CLEANSSES OUR SIN

Unison Confession of Sin, Followed by Silent Confession

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

Heavenly Father, we come before You to confess our sin. We search our hearts and minds and recognize that we have tried to live our lives apart from You. We believe that we are capable of life in ourselves. We have strayed from Your commands and failed to obey Your word. Forgive us. Keep us in true obedience and make our hearts glad as we rejoice in You. Free us from our sin and strengthen us to walk boldly in the truth. Help us to flee from idols as You sanctify us by Your word. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

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

Old Testament Lesson

Deuteronomy 7:6-16

Dr. Kyle David Bennett

Responsive Song

vv. 1 - 4

Everlasting Arms

Special Music

Sonata for Flute and Violin, TWV 40:111 - II: Scherzando
Cindy Egeland, *flute*; Karl Egeland, *violin*

Telemann

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 Walkabouts Room or Runabouts Room.

The Nursery is not staffed but is open for parents to use as needed. All other children remain in worship with their families.

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 9:1-27

Sermon

Called to Be Saints
The Right(s) Call

Mr. Peter A. Chace

THE LORD RECEIVES OUR GIFTS AND HEARTS

Call for the Offering and Offertory

Prelude in C minor
Hudson Winkler, *piano*

Chopin

Prayer of Thanksgiving followed by the Lord's Prayer

Congregational Response **No. 734**

Gloria Patri

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.**

THE LORD SCATTERS US TO ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

Closing Psalm **No. 92**

vv. 4, 5

It's Good to Thank the Lord

Dismissal

Postlude

Selections
Jinna Park, *Accompanist and Organist*

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A Sermon Series on the Church in 1 Corinthians

July 7	1 Corinthians 9:1-27	The Right(s) Call
July 14	1 Corinthians 10:1-22	Recall the Past
July 21	1 Corinthians 10:23-33	Freedom's Call
July 28	1 Corinthians 11:1-16	A Hard Call

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It's Good to Thank the LORD

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From Psalm 92



1. ¹It's good to thank the LORD, To praise Your name, Most High! ²To
 2. ⁴Your deeds, LORD, made me glad. I'll joy in what You've done. ⁵How
 3. ⁷Though sin - ners grow like weeds, Ill - do - ers blos - som may, ⁸They're
 4. ¹⁰You've raised, like ox, my horn, Fresh oil poured on my head. ¹¹You
 5. ¹³Those plant - ed by the LORD Shall in God's courts be seen; ¹⁴When
 5 show Your love at dawn, Your faith - ful - ness all night! ³The ten-stringed
 great Your do - ings, LORD! How deep Your thoughts; each one! ⁶Fools won't be
 doomed to be de - stroyed. You, LORD, ex - alt - ed stay. ⁹LORD, Your foes
 made me see the spies And hear what plot - ters said. ¹²Like thriv - ing
 old they'll still bear fruit And flour - ish, fresh and green, ¹⁵And loud pro -
 10 lyre With sweet-voiced lute and rip - pling harp Your praise in - spire.
 shown; The stu - pid can't ac - cept this truth, to him un - known!
 fall. See! How Your foes—vain e - vil men—are scat - tered all!
 palm The right - eous grows, like ce - dars tall on Leb - a - non.
 claim How up - right is the LORD, my Rock; no wrong in Him!

Music: John Darwall, 1770

Text: *The Book of Psalms for Singing*, 1973 ©

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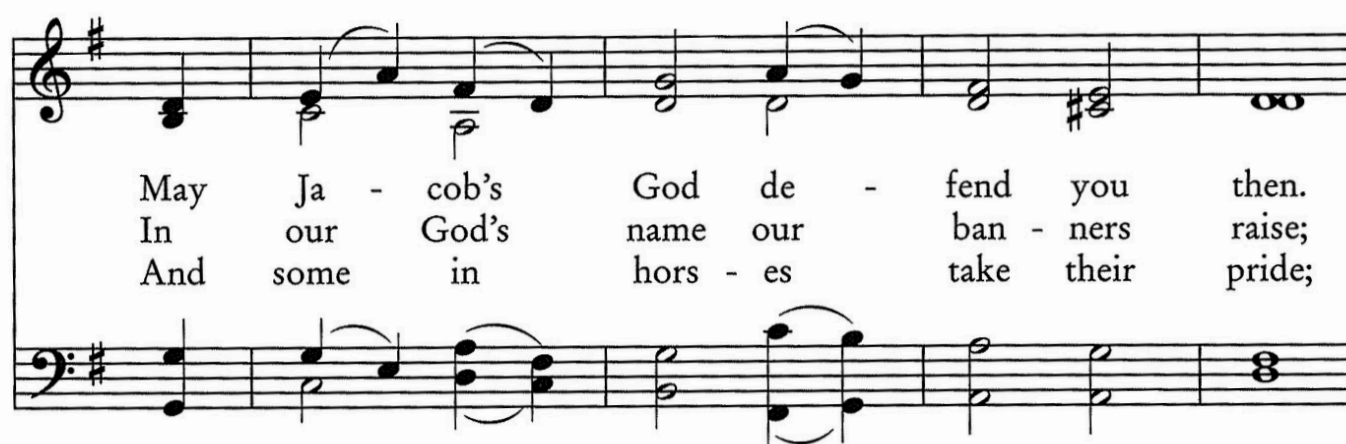
Psalm 20

The LORD Reply in Your Distress

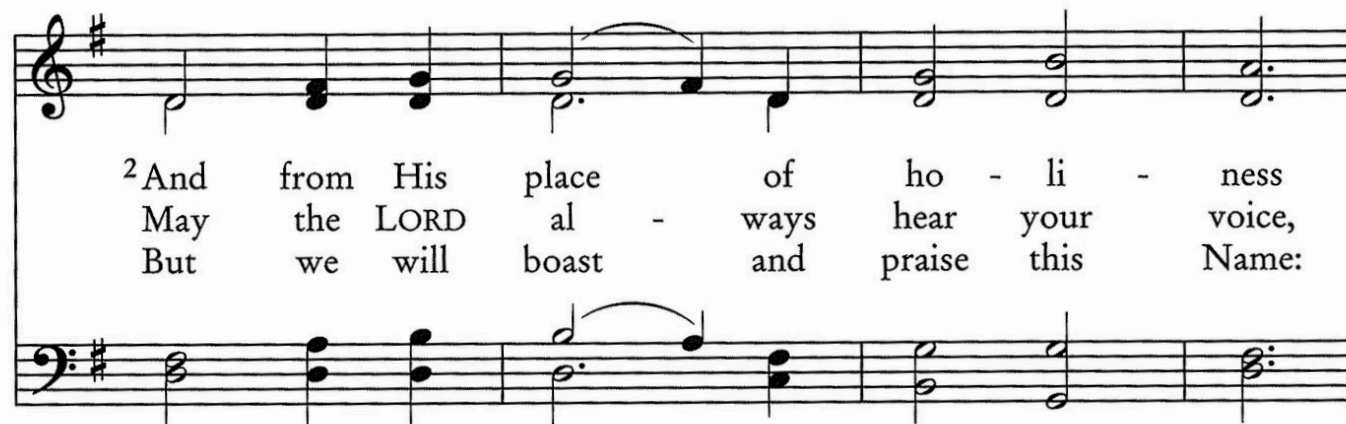
*I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these
My brethren, you did it to Me. — Matthew 25:40*



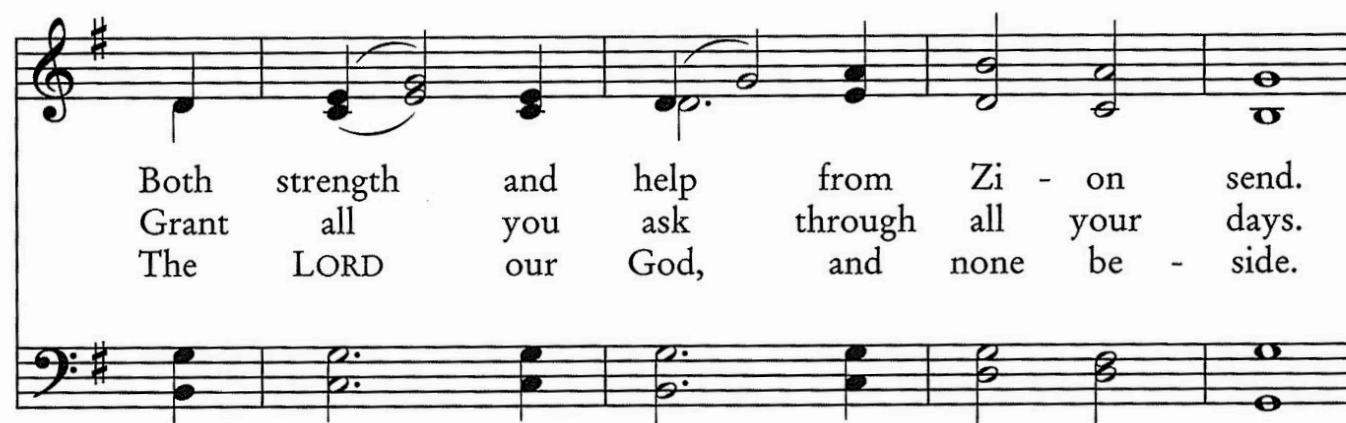
1. ¹ The LORD re - ply in your dis - tress;
2. ⁵ In Your sal - va - tion we'll re - joice,
3. ⁷ A trust in char - iots some pro - claim,



May Ja - cob's God de - fend you then.
In our God's name our ban - ners raise;
And some in hors - es take their pride;



² And from His place of ho - li - ness
May the LORD al - ways hear your voice,
But we will boast and praise this Name:



Both strength and help from Zi - on send.
Grant all you ask through all your days.
The LORD our God, and none be - side.

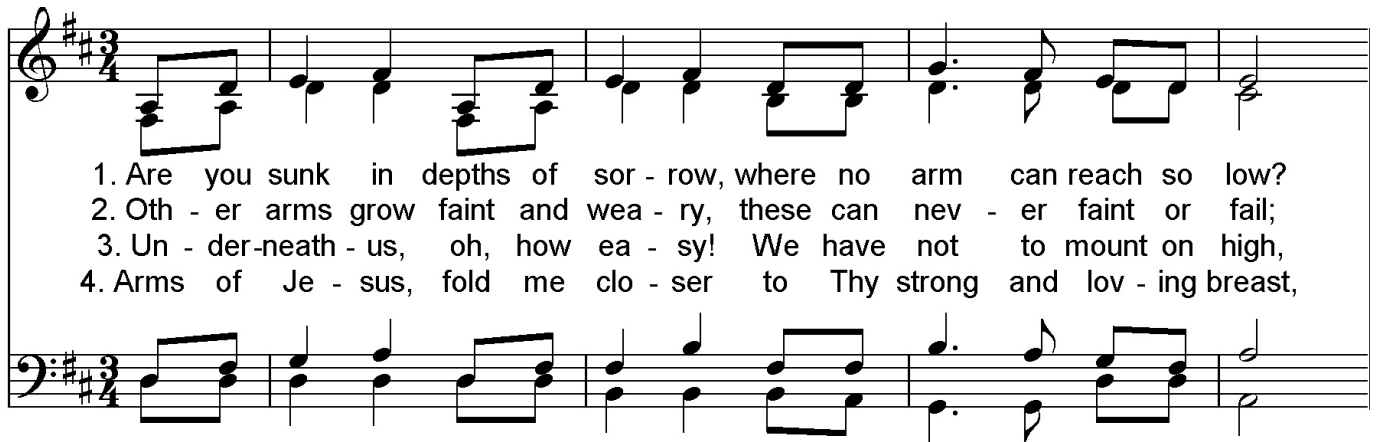
3 May He ac - cept your sac - ri - fice,
6 I know now that the LORD de - fends
8 While we are raised and up - right stand,

And all your of - f'rings bear in mind.
And saves His own a - noint - ed king.
Our foes are made to bow and fall.

4 May He grant all your heart's de - lights,
From ho - ly heav'n He an - swer sends;
9 O save the king, LORD, by Your hand,

Ful - fill - ing all His right hand sav - And an - swer us
Ful fill ing all you have de signed.
His right hand sav - ing pow er bring.
And an swer us the day we call.

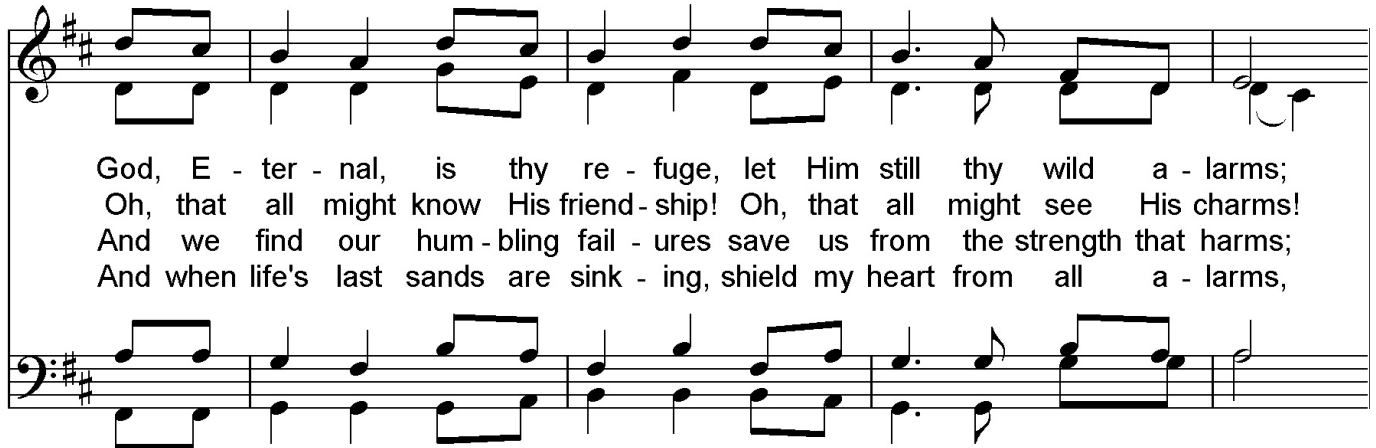
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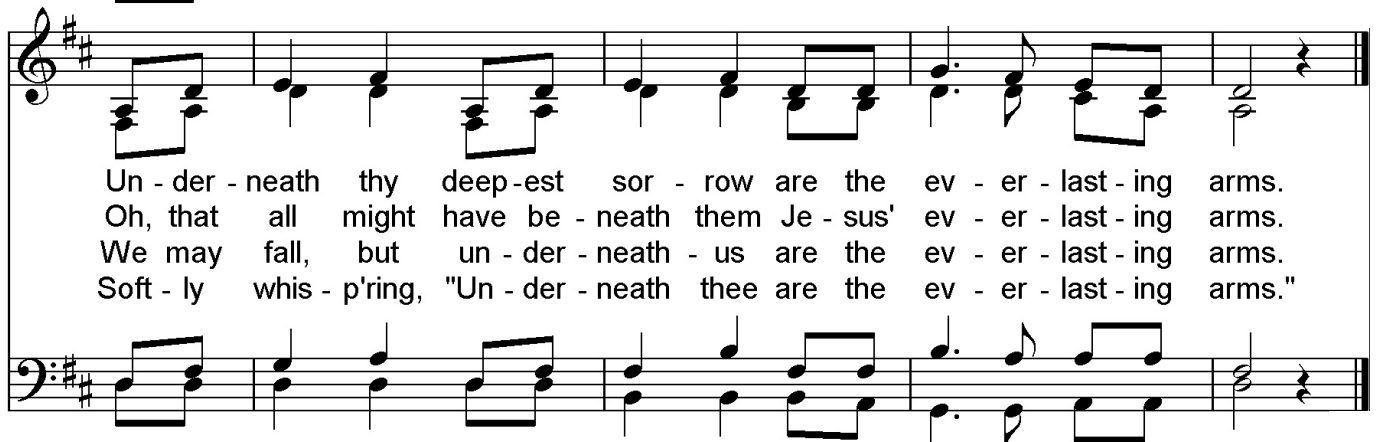
1. Are you sunk in depths of sor - row, where no arm can reach so low?
2. Oth - er arms grow faint and wea - ry, these can nev - er faint or fail;
3. Un - der-neath - us, oh, how ea - sy! We have not to mount on high,
4. Arms of Je - sus, fold me clo - ser to Thy strong and lov - ing breast,



There is One whose arms, al - migh - ty, reach be - yond thy deep - est woe:
Oth - ers reach our moun - ts of bles - sings, these our low - est, dark - est vale.
But to sink in - to His full - ness, and in trust - ful weak - ness lie.
Till my spi - rit on Thy bos - om, finds its ev - er - last - ing rest,



God, E - ter - nal, is thy re - fuge, let Him still thy wild a - larms;
Oh, that all might know His friend - ship! Oh, that all might see His charms!
And we find our hum - bling fail - ures save us from the strength that harms;
And when life's last sands are sink - ing, shield my heart from all a - larms,



Un - der - neath thy deep - est sor - row are the ev - er - last - ing arms.
Oh, that all might have be - neath them Je - sus' ev - er - last - ing arms.
We may fall, but un - der - neath - us are the ev - er - last - ing arms.
Soft - ly whis - p'ring, "Un - der - neath thee are the ev - er - last - ing arms."