

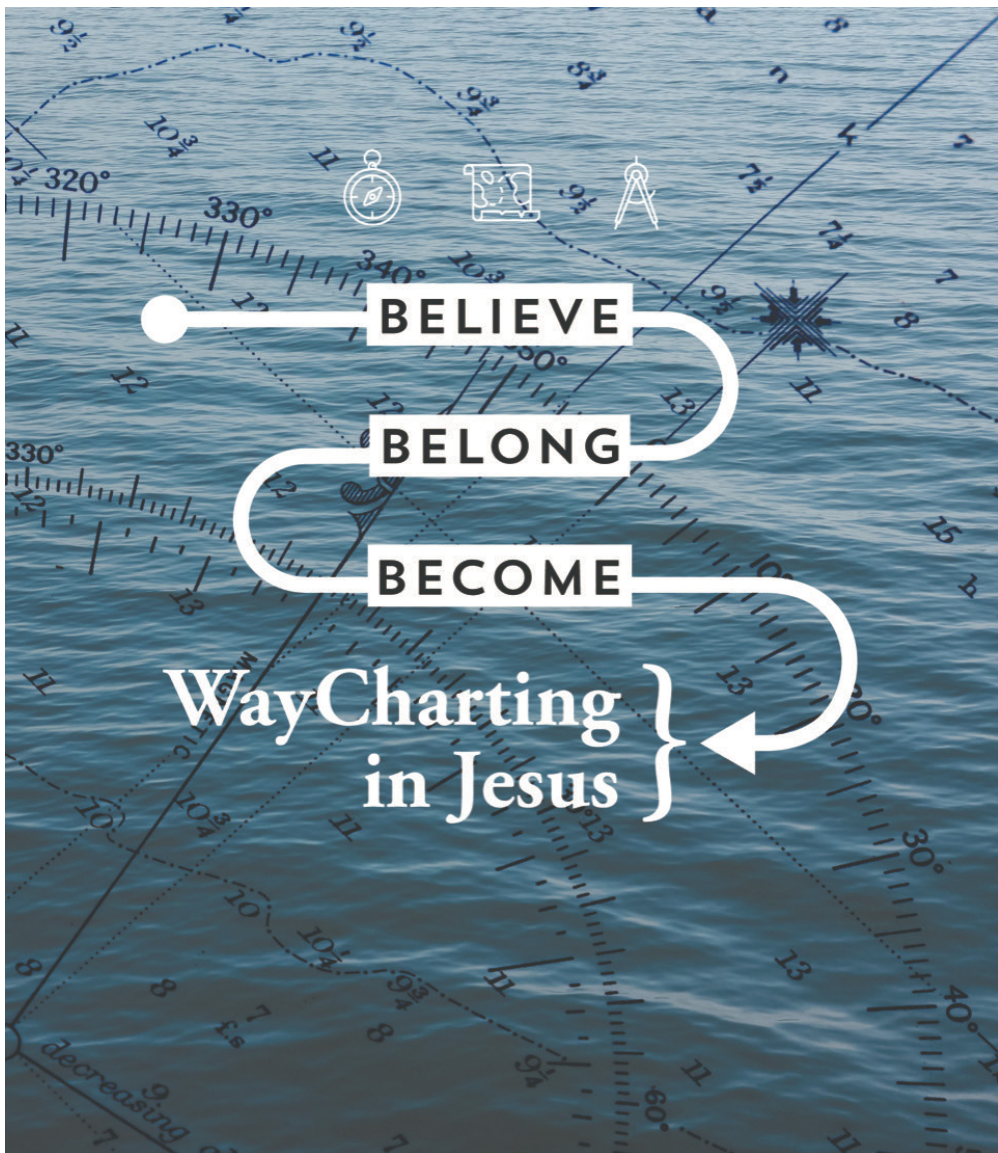


LAKE GROVE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Real. Active. Faith.

Partnering with Christ who transforms the world one life at a time



MAY 25TH | 9:30 AM
SANCTUARY

Welcome to Lake Grove Church!

Thanks for blessing us with your presence today. We gather to worship and listen for the voice of our Triune God who calls us with purpose and love. If you are a guest with us today, we hope you will feel welcome and also sense the love of God among us. If you'd like to learn more about us or how to connect with God, please find one of the pastors or elders after worship. Or call us at (503) 210-6062 for a phone chat or an appointment.

▶ TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

**please stand if able*

Prelude

Reverberations

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Welcome

Church Alive

*Call to Worship

One: The light that shines in the darkness has shown in our hearts to give us the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ.

All: Having the eyes of our heart enlightened, may we know the hope to which we have been called.

One: We look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen, for the things that are seen are transient but the things that are unseen are eternal.

All: Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.

One: For with You is the fountain of life; in Your light we see light.

All: Open our eyes, that we may behold wondrous things from Your Word!

*Hymn 1

Holy, Holy, Holy!

*Prayer of Adoration

Anthem *How Can I Keep from Singing*

arr. Cathy Moglebust ©2014 Agape #207039

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

*Sung Response

Crown him with many crowns,
the Lamb upon his throne.

Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns
all music but its own.

Awake, my soul, and sing
of him who died for thee,
and hail him as thy matchless king
through all eternity.

* Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Hymn 649

Amazing Grace

Prayers of God's People & Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever.

Amen.

Scripture

Acts 16:6-15, 40 NIV

⁶Paul and his companions traveled throughout the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been kept by the Holy Spirit from preaching the word in the province of Asia. ⁷When they came to the border of Mysia, they tried to enter Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus would not allow them to. ⁸So they passed by Mysia and went down to Troas. ⁹During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." ¹⁰After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.

¹¹From Troas we put out to sea and sailed straight for Samothrace, and the next day on to Neapolis. ¹²From there we traveled to Philippi, a Roman colony and the leading city of that district of Macedonia. And we stayed there several days.

¹³On the Sabbath we went outside the city gate to the river, where we expected to find a place of prayer. We sat down and began to speak to the women who had gathered there. ¹⁴One of those listening was a woman named Lydia, a dealer in purple cloth from the city of Thyatira, who was a worshiper of God ["god-fearer"] of God. The Lord opened her heart to respond to Paul's message. ¹⁵When she and the members of her household were baptized, she invited us to her home. "If you consider me a believer in the Lord," she said, "come and stay at my house. And she persuaded us.... [⁴⁰After Paul and Silas came out of the prison, they went to Lydia's house where they met with the brothers and encouraged them. Then they left.]

Next week's passage: John 17:6-19

Sermon

Believing is Seeing
Rev. Dr. Jeannine Graham

*Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

Offertory Joyous Praise

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*Hymn 450

Be Thou My Vision

*Benediction

Postlude

Benediction (God Be With You)
arr. Aaron Waite

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Preaching: Rev. Dr. Jeannine Graham

Assisting: Pastor Graig Flach

Musicians: Covenant Bell Choir directed by Aaron Waite;
Gregor Ralston, organ & piano

A/V Production: Mark Alcalá, Selena Li

Weekly Lectionary Readings: Acts 16:9–15; Psalm 67; Revelation 21:10, 22—22:5; John 14:23–29 or John 5:1–9

For pastoral and congregational care needs email
care@lakegrovepres.org, or leave a message in the Pastors'
voicemail box at 503-210-6062.

Let's connect! Join us in the Fellowship Hall for *Beanediction*, our coffee and fellowship ministry, after each service.

The **Deacon Food Pantry** needs the following food/toiletry items: **pasta, canned chicken/tuna, beans, and toilet paper.** We are currently teaming up with Lake Oswego Hunger Fighters, who primarily serve Lake Oswego residents. Your generosity is making a difference. Thank you for doing what you can! **We ask that you please check expiration dates, as we only provide unexpired food and products. Expired food will be discarded. Our Deacon Pantry Drop box is located just off the Gathering Area in the hall near the coat rack.*

LGPCPrays

Prayer is the primary work of God's people. It is a vital connection to God where we can hear from, listen to, and respond to the Lord. Here are some ways you can pray this week...

The flowers in the sanctuary are given in loving memory of **Glenn Chilcote.**

Comfort for Louise Muldoon and her family, as they mourn the passing of her father, **Jack Bradford.** A memorial service will be held on May 30th at Lake Grove Presbyterian Church at 2pm.

MissionPartners

Local: YD Adventures - Pray for YD's staff as they enter their 2025 Summer Season. Pray for safety for all participants this summer and that they can feel the love of Christ through the YD Staff.

Global: Salaam International - Please pray for the refugee ministry of Salaam International. Pray for the ceasefire in the Middle East and for those that are affected by these conflicts. Pray for good health for David and Jen Williams.

If you would like to receive or be included on the weekly churchwide prayer chain, please email: prayer@lakegrovepres.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS



CLASS OF 2025 PRE-KINDERGARTEN Graduation

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 2025
11:30 AM IN THE SANCTUARY

POPSICLE RECEPTION IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING IN THE JESUS COURTYARD

HONORING 10 YEARS OF THE
LAKE GROVE CONCERT SERIES

REQUIEM for the LIVING



MAY 31ST AT 2PM & JUNE 1ST AT 7PM | LAKE GROVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Silent AUCTION



*Benefiting the Sanctuary Choir's Music Mission Trip
to Croatia and Slovenia in the Summer of 2026*

SATURDAY, MAY 31ST | 12:45-2PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL
IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING REQUIEM FOR THE LIVING

CELEBRATE FAITH FORMATION JUNE 1 Sunday 2025



1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Descant



4 Ho - ly,

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark - ness hide thee,
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



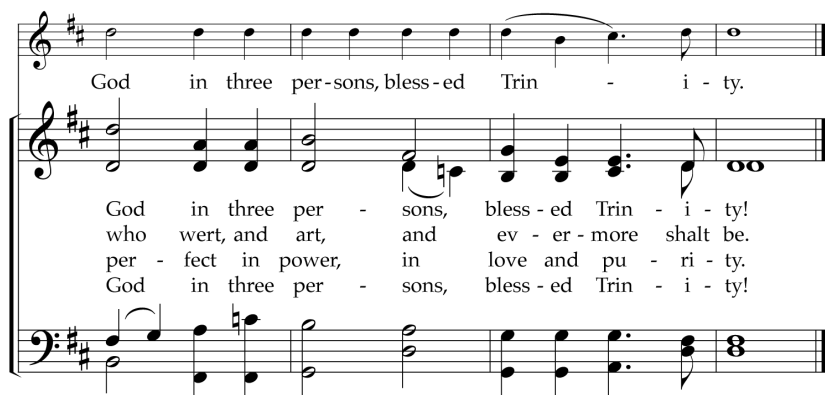
ho - ly,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
 though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.



ho - ly,

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

Much of the imagery of this hymn comes from Revelation 4:2–11, which its author, an Anglican bishop, knew as a reading appointed for Trinity Sunday. The tune, written specifically for this text, reinforces the Trinitarian theme by strong dependence on the D-major triad.

649 Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

1 A - maz - ing grace, how sweet the sound, that
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
 3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 4 The Lord has prom - ised good to me; his
 5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
 grace my fears re - lieved. How pre - cious did that
 have al - read - y come. 'Tis grace has brought me
 word my hope se - cures. He will my shield and
 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

now am found, was blind, but now I see.
 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!
 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 por - tion be as long as life en - dures.
 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

CHOCTAW

*Shilombish holitopa ma!
 Ishmminti pulla cha
 hatak ilbusha pia ha
 is pi yukpalashke.*

CREEK

*Po ya fek cha he thlat ah tet
 ah non ah cha pa kas
 cha fee kee o funman la kus
 um e ha ta la yus.*

NAVAHO

*Nizhónígo joobá diits' a'
 yisdáshítínigí,
 lah yóóiyá, k'ad
 shénáhoosdzin,
 doo eesh'íí da nít'ée.*

As was his custom, the author wrote this hymn to accompany his sermon on 1 Chronicles 17:16–17, preached on January 1, 1773; he called it "Faith's Review and Expectation." Much of its current popularity comes from this now-familiar tune, an association that began in 1835.

TEXT: Stanzas 1–4, John Newton, 1772; stanza 5, *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790; Navaho, Albert Tsoie
 MUSIC: *Columbian Harmony*, 1829; arr. Edwin O. Excell, 1910, alt.

AMAZING GRACE
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 Phonetic Transcr. Navaho © Albert Tsoie

Be Thou My Vision

Capo 1: (D) E^b (G) A^b (D/F#) E^b/G (A7) B^b7 (D) E^b



1 Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
 2 Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true Word;
 3 Rich - es I heed not, nor vain, emp - ty praise;
 4 High King of Heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,

(A) B^b (D) E^b (G) A^b (A) B^b



naught be all else to me, save that thou art;
 I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord;
 thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways;
 may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!

(G) A^b (D) E^b (F#m7) Gm7 (G) A^b (A) B^b



thou my best thought, by day or by night,
 thou my soul's shel - ter, and thou my high tower;
 thou and thou on - ly, first in my heart,
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

(Bm) Cm (D/F#) E^b/G (G) A^b (D) E^b



wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
 raise thou me heaven - ward, O Power of my power.
 High King of Heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.
 still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

These stanzas are selected from a 20th-century English poetic version of an Irish monastic prayer dating to the 10th century or before. They are set to an Irish folk melody that has proved popular and easily sung despite its lack of repetition and its wide range.

TEXT: Irish poem; trans. Mary E. Byrne, 1905; vers. Eleanor Hull, 1912, alt.

MUSIC: Irish ballad; harm. David Evans, 1927

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