

Contemporary Worship – 9:00 am

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Faith Presbyterian Church

Call to Worship – Nehemiah 9:5-6 (NIV)

Stand up and praise the LORD your God, who is from everlasting to everlasting. Blessed be your glorious name, and may it be exalted above all blessing and praise. You alone are the LORD. You made the heavens, even the highest heavens, and all their starry host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them. You give life to everything, and the multitudes of heaven worship you.

Holy is the Lord

Louie Giglio/Chris Tomlin

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We stand and lift up our hands, for the joy of the Lord is our strength
We bow down and worship Him now - How great, how awesome is He

And together we sing

*Holy is the Lord God Almighty, the earth is filled with His glory
Holy is the Lord God Almighty, the earth is filled with His glory
The earth is filled with His glory*

[Bridge]

It's rising up all around - It's the anthem of the Lord's renown
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Able

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Who is able who can save me, Who can keep me from the fall
To present me as faultless before a holy God
I know You are, Jesus You are

You will love me and sustain me, You will never leave my side
You will guide me and protect me
Every moment of my life
I know You will, oh Jesus You will

*To Him who is able to do exceedingly, abundantly
More than we can imagine
From breaking chains to making ways, You move every mountain
Glory to God who is faithful
Glory to God who is able to do
Exceedingly, abundantly more
Abundantly more, abundantly more*

God You freed me on a Friday when You died for all my sins
Then You raised me on a Sunday, You came back to life again
I know You did, oh Jesus You did

[Bridge]

Now to Him be the glory forever and ever amen
Crucified risen and reigning and coming again
Now to Him be the glory forever and ever amen, amen
Crucified risen and reigning and coming again, amen
Forever amen, amen, amen

Confession of Faith – 1 Timothy 1:15-17 (NIV)

Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst. But for that very reason I was shown mercy so that in me, the worst of sinners, Christ Jesus might display his unlimited patience as an example for those who would believe on him and receive eternal life. Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

This I Believe

Ben Fielding/Matt Crocker

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Our Father everlasting, the All-Creating One – God Almighty
Through Your Holy Spirit, conceiving Christ the Son – Jesus our Savior

*I believe in God our Father, I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit – Our God is three in One
I believe in the resurrection, that we will rise again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus*

Our Judge and our Defender, suffered and crucified – forgiveness is in You
Descended into darkness, You rose in glorious life – forever seated high

[Bridge]

I believe in You; I believe You rose again; I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord

*I believe in life eternal, I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saint's communion, and in Your holy Church
I believe in the resurrection, when Jesus comes again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus*

Prayer of Dedication

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or Text "Give \$_" to 844-697-1460*

Children ages 4 through 3rd grade are dismissed to Junior Church

How Firm A Foundation

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How firm a foundation ye saints of the Lord
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word
What more can He say than to you He hath said
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

Fear not I am with thee O be not dismayed
For I am thy God I will still give thee aid
I'll strengthen thee help thee
And cause thee to stand
Upheld by My gracious omnipotent hand

When through the deep waters He calls thee to go
The rivers of grief shall not thee overflow
For He will be with thee in trouble to bless
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose
I will not I will not desert to its foes
That soul though all hell should endeavor to shake
I'll never no never no never forsake

Scripture – Philippians 3:12-16

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Sermon – I Press On

Rev. Kevin Koslowsky

Prayer

Death Was Arrested

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Alone in my sorrow and dead in my sin
Lost without hope with no place to begin
Your love made a way to let mercy come in
When death was arrested and my life began

Ash was redeemed, only beauty remains
My orphan heart was given a name
My mourning grew quiet my feet rose to dance
When death was arrested and my life began

*Oh Your grace so free washes over me
You have made me new, now life begins with You
It's Your endless love pouring down on us
You have made us new, now life begins with you*

Released from my chains, I'm a pris'ner no more
My shame was a ransom He faithfully bore
He canceled my debt and He called me His friend
When death was arrested and my life began

Our Savior displayed on a criminal's cross
Darkness rejoiced as though Heaven had lost
But then Jesus arose with our freedom in hand
That's when death was arrested and my life began

[Bridge]

Oh we're free, free, forever we're free
Come join the song of all the redeemed
Yes we're free, free, forever, amen
When death was arrested and my life began

Benediction – Psalm 115:12, 14-15 (NIV)

The LORD remembers us and will bless us. May the LORD make you increase, both you and your children. May you be blessed by the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth.

Announcements

Please visit Faithwilmington.com/calendar for more details

Sunday School Promotion – Sunday, Sept. 13, 10:15am in gym

Faith Explored – Wednesdays, 6pm beginning Sept. 30. Answers to life's big questions.

Register: faithwilmington.com/explore. Volunteer help: Caleb@FaithWilmington.com

Kids Club – Age 4 yrs.-6th grade launches Wed. Sept. 16, 6:15pm. Register online under the children tab. Contact Melissa@FaithWilmington.com to volunteer.

First Friday Fellowship: Game Night – Sept. 4; 6:30pm. Table & yard games - Fun for all ages. Invite a friend! Bring a snack to share. RSVP Melissa@FaithWilmington.com