Traditional Worship – 11:15 am

Prelude: I Know That My Redeemer Liveth ..... G.F. Handel
Arr. Alan Ridout

Call to Worship: Psalm 67 (NIV)..... Hymnal Page 808
Responsive Reading

Prayer of Adoration & Invocation..... Pastor Koslowsky

***Hymn: Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns .....No. 369**
**Indicates standing for those who are able*

***Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed ..... People**

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.

***Hymn: Amazing Grace! .....No. 460**

Dedication of Tithes & Offerings ..... Pastor Koslowsky

Giving: box at the back of the sanctuary or faithwilmington.com/give
or Text "Give $_" to 844-697-1460

Lord's Prayer ..... People

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.

***Hymn: Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation .....No. 342**

Scripture: 2 Kings 17:24-41 .....pew Bible pg. 378

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: Worshipping God on Our Own Terms..... Rev. Jonas Stava

MTW Norway

Prayers of Commitment

Prayer for Those Seeking God: *God, I long to know you in a personal relationship. I desire faith to trust that you are real and that you are found by all who seek you. Please honor my longings by having your Spirit work in me to draw me to you.*

Prayer for Those Receiving Christ: *Father, I have offended you by my words, actions and thoughts. There is nothing I can do to reconcile myself to you. I believe the words of Jesus Christ that no one can come to you except through him. I now accept the crucified and risen Christ as the only acceptable payment that could ever be made for my sin. I desire to follow and obey him.*

***Hymn: Lift High the Cross.....No. 263**

***Benediction ..... 1 Corinthians 16:22-24 (NIV)**

Come, O Lord! The grace of the Lord Jesus be with you. My love to all of you in Christ Jesus. Amen.

***Postlude: Concerto VI (I. Largo & II. a tempo gusto)..... G.F. Handel**

how awesome his works in man's behalf!

He turned the sea into dry land, they passed through the waters on foot—come, let us rejoice in him.

He rules forever by his power, his eyes watch the nations—let not the rebellious rise up against him.

Praise our God, O peoples, let the sound of his praise be heard;

he has preserved our lives and kept our feet from slipping.

For you, O God, tested us; you refined us like silver.

You brought us into prison and laid burdens on our backs.

You let men ride over our heads;

we went through fire and water, but you brought us to a place of abundance.

I will come to your temple with burnt offerings and fulfill my vows to you—vows my lips promised and my mouth spoke when I was in trouble.

I will sacrifice fat animals to you and an offering of rams; I will offer bulls and goats.

Come and listen, all you who fear God; let me tell you what he has done for me.

I cried out to him with my mouth; his praise was on my tongue.

If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened; but God has surely listened and heard my voice in prayer.

Praise be to God, who has not rejected my prayer or withheld his love from me!

PSALM 67

May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face shine upon us,

that your ways may be known on earth, your salvation among all nations.

May the peoples praise you, O God; may all the peoples praise you.

May the nations be glad and sing for joy,

for you rule the peoples justly and guide the nations of the earth.

May the peoples praise you, O God; may all the peoples praise you.

Then the land will yield its harvest, and God, our God, will bless us.

God will bless us, and all the ends of the earth will fear him.

PSALM 68:1–20

May God arise, may his enemies be scattered; may his foes flee before him.

As smoke is blown away by the wind, may you blow them away;

as wax melts before the fire, may the wicked perish before God.

But may the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; may they be happy and joyful.

Sing to God, sing praise to his name, extol him who rides on the clouds—

his name is the LORD—and rejoice before him.

A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling.

God sets the lonely in families, he leads forth the prisoners with singing; but the rebellious live in a sun-scorched land.

When you went out before your people, O God, when you marched through the wasteland,
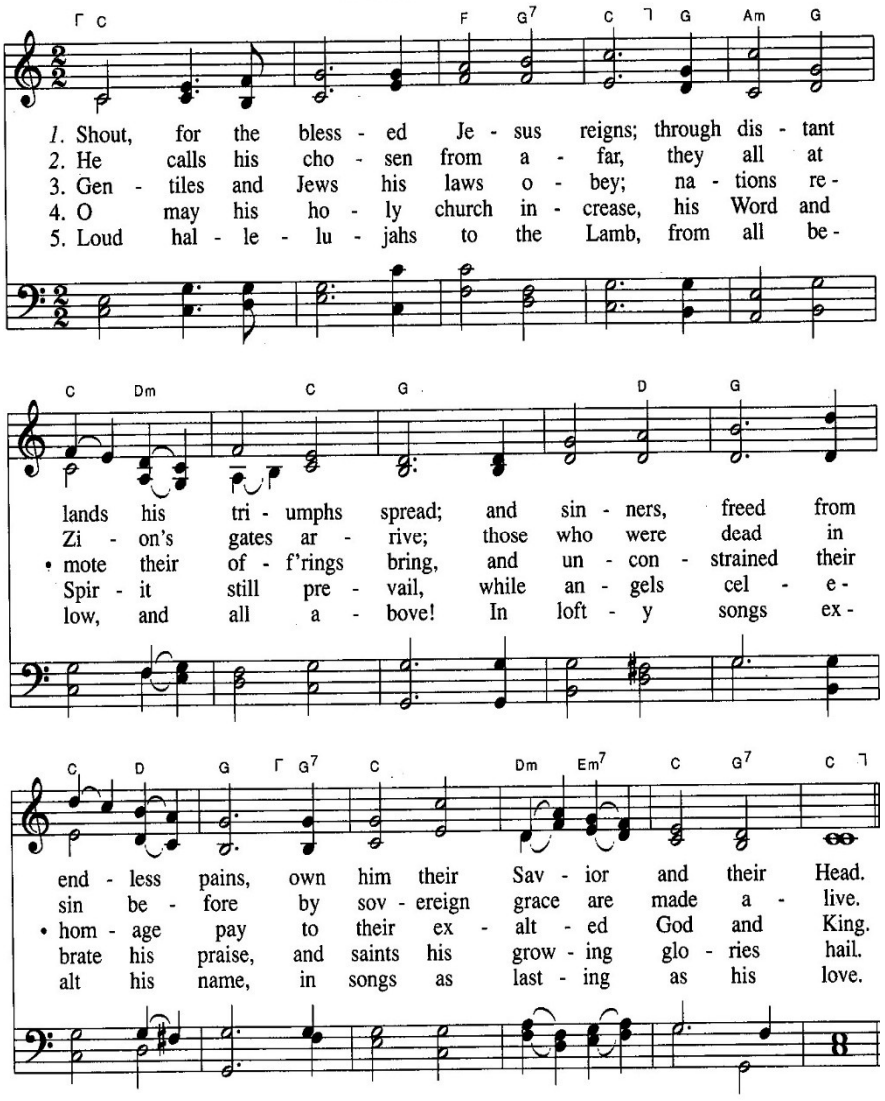
the earth shook, the heavens poured down rain, before God, the One of Sinai, before God, the God of Israel.

You gave abundant showers, O God; you refreshed your weary inheritance.

Your people settled in it, and from your bounty, O God, you provided for

Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns

They will bring all your brothers, from all the nations, to my holy mountain in Jerusalem. Is. 66:20

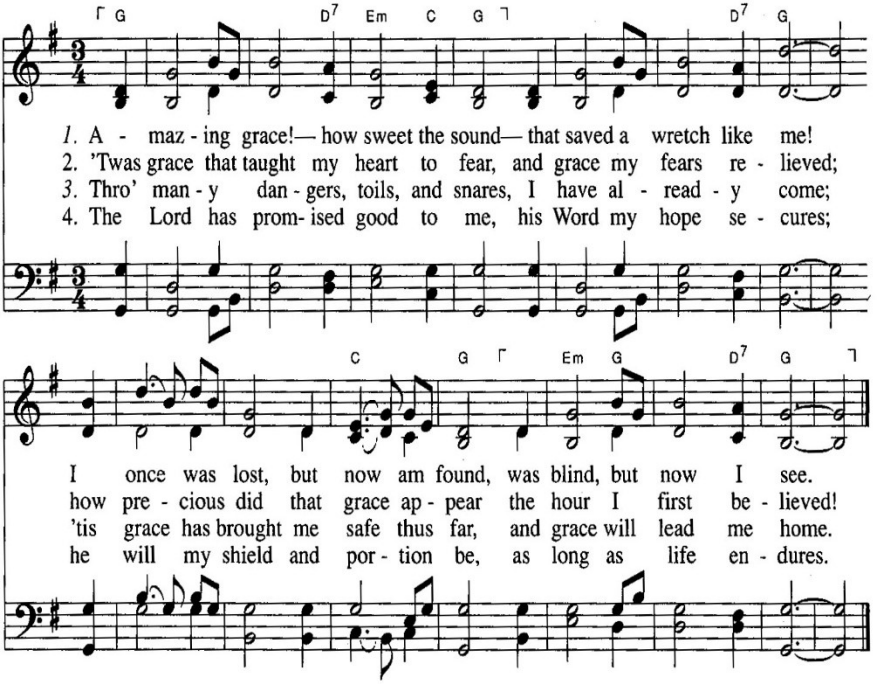


Benjamin Beddome, 1769

TRURO L.M
Psalmodia Evangelica, 178

Amazing Grace! 460

Who am I, O LORD God, and what is my family, that you have brought me this far?
1 Chron. 17:16



5. And when this flesh and heart shall fail,
and mortal life shall cease,
I shall possess within the veil
a life of joy and peace.

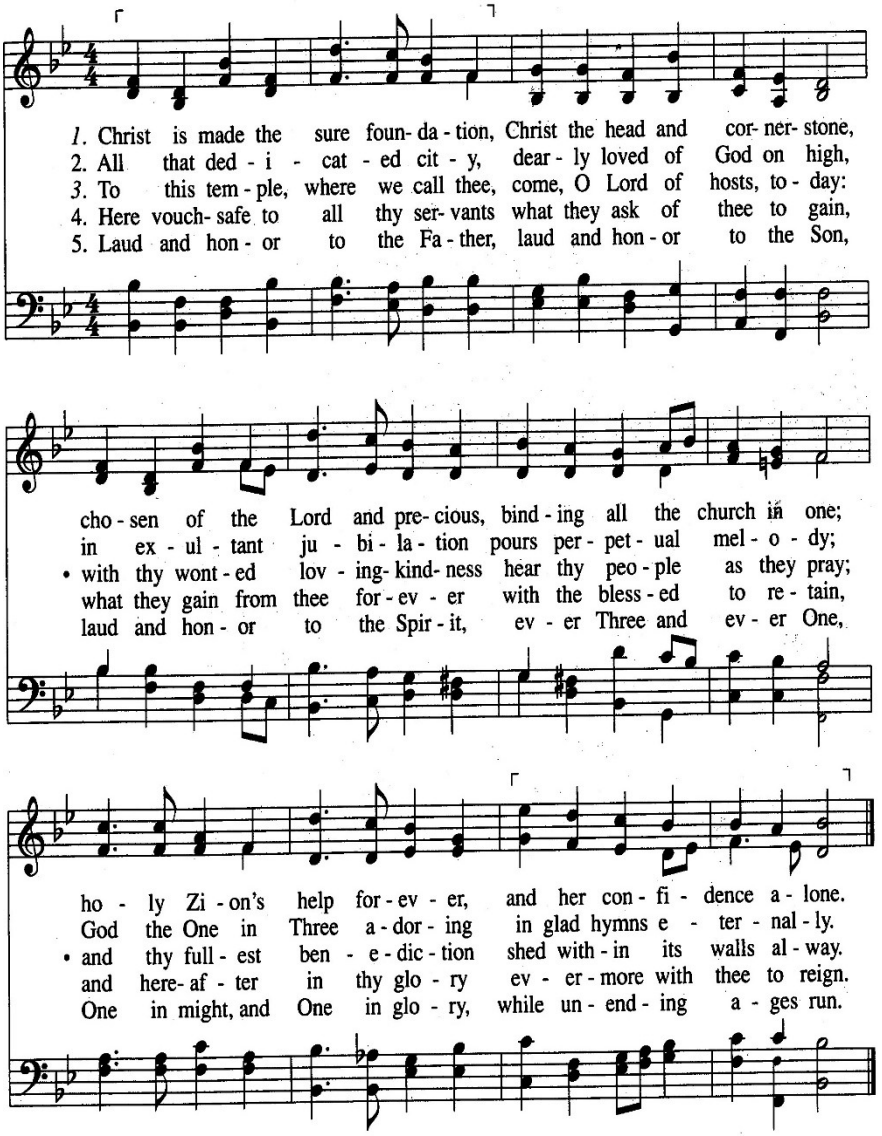
6. When we've been there ten thousand years,
bright shining as the sun,
we've no less days to sing God's praise
than when we've first begun.

St. 1–5, John Newton, 1779
St. 6, *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790

AMAZING GRACE C.M.
Traditional American melody
Arr. by Edwin O. Excell, 1900

Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

The Sovereign LORD says: "See, I lay a stone in Zion, a tested stone, a precious cornerstone for a sure foundation." Is. 28:16
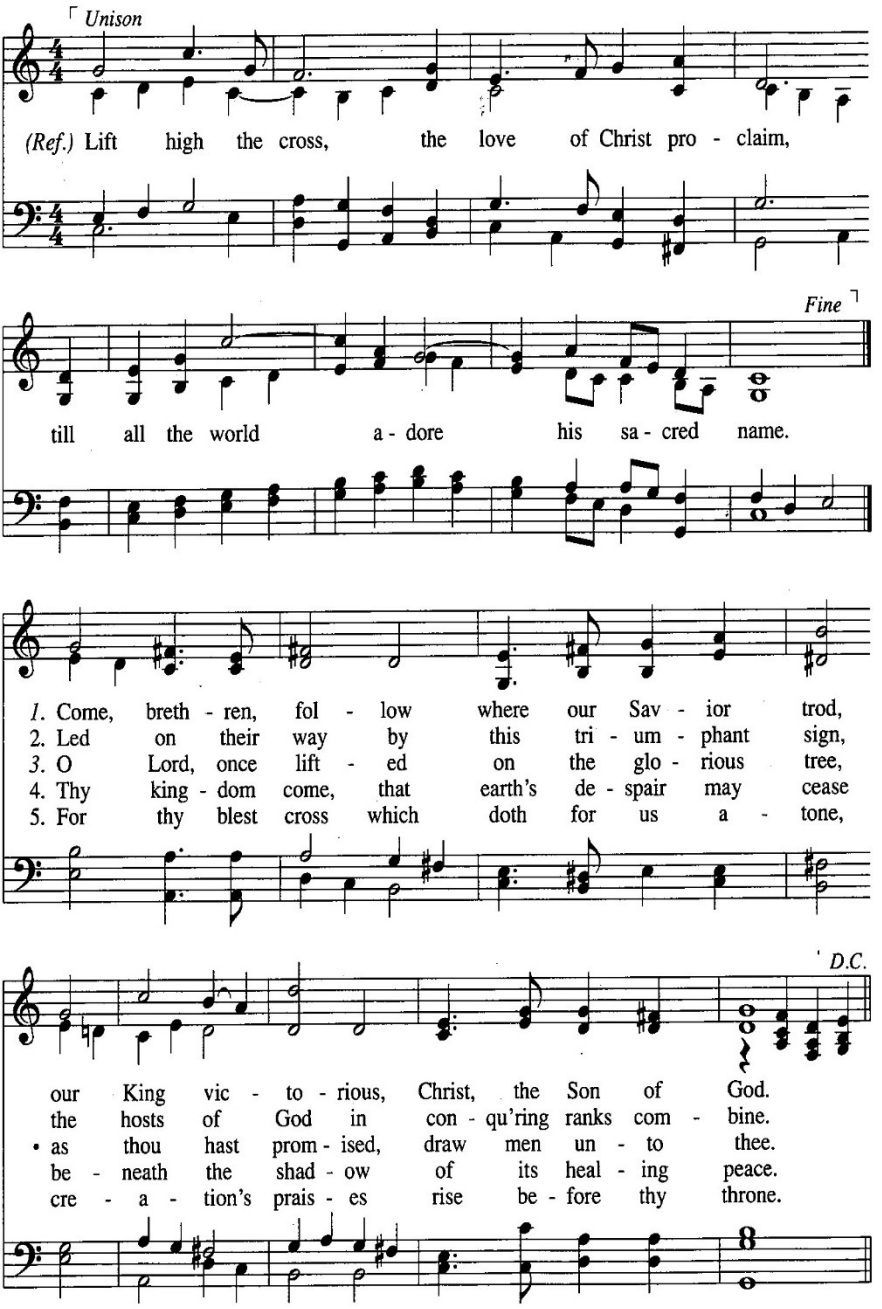


Latin, 7th cent.
Tr. by John Mason Neale, 1851
Alt. in *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1861

REGENT SQUARE 8.7.8.7.8.7.
Henry Smart, 1876

263 Lift High the Cross

I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself. John 12:32



Announcements

FaithWilmington.com/calendar
PRAYER CHAIN: ***FaithWilmington.com/connect/prayer-requests***

TODAY AT FAITH 12:30 pm Visitation Day
2:00 pm Embrace Grace Baby Shower
2:15 pm Mary Campbell Center Service

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

T, 11/17	W, 11/18	R, 11/19	F, 11/20	Sa, 11/21
▪ Men's Bible Study ▪ Deacons Meeting	▪ Kids Club ▪ Choir	▪ Stoneman/ Taylor CG ▪ Worship Team	▪ Manbeck/ Lim CG	▪ Men's Bible Study ▪ 10:30 am Pickleball

THANKSGIVING PRAISE SERVICE

- Thursday, November 26; 10:00 -11:00 am
- Share encouraging testimonies of God's grace and faithfulness

CHRISTMAS CONCERT: THE POETRY OF PROMISE

- Sunday, December 6; 6:00 pm
- Featuring the joint choirs and orchestras of Faith Presbyterian Church and Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Newark
- Invite friends and neighbors to this musical outreach event

POINSETTIAS TO DECORATE THE SANCTUARY

- Placed in honor or memory of loved ones
- 7" pots with choice of red or white blooms; $17 each
- Email office@faithwilmington.com or sign up in the Gathering Space by today 11/15 (checks should be made out to Faith Presbyterian & must be designated as "Poinsettias" before being placed in offering box)
- Poinsettias may be taken home Christmas Eve, after the services

DECORATE THE SANCTUARY FOR CHRISTMAS

- Sunday, November 29; 6:00 pm
- Bring some holiday snacks to share if you are able

NOVEMBER: ADOPTION AWARENESS

- Join in praying for the needs of vulnerable children and ask God to show you how you can be involved (familyhopecoalition.org)
- James 1:27 "Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world."

VISITATION DAY

- Today, Sunday, Nov. 15; 12:30 pm; carpool from the Gathering Space
- We weekly have members unable to attend worship, but who would be blessed by a friendly visit. Can you serve by giving a few hours?
- Contact Vickie Fender: 302-475-2445 or VicFend@aol.com
- Visits occur on the third Sunday of each month

SUNDAY BREAKFAST MISSION HOLIDAY DRIVE

- Provide the homeless with a Thanksgiving and Christmas meal, thermal underclothes, or travel-size toiletries
- Donations may be left in the basket in the gathering space
- Suggested food items: cranberry sauce, stuffing mix, canned foods, instant potatoes, mac & cheese, pasta & sauce, pie filling, rice, cereal, Bisquick & syrup, peanut butter & jelly, baby food
- Donate turkeys directly to SBM (110 N Poplar St) any day of the week
- Distribution help needed Mon. & Tues. of Thanksgiving week with gospel training provided. Servers also needed on Thanksgiving day. Contact: bdavison@sundaybreakfastmission.org