

Shepherd of the Hill Presbyterian Church USA

~ Service for the Lord's Day ~

August 28, 2022 – 10:00 a.m.

(*) Please stand in body or in spirit.

Bold type indicates congregational response.

We acknowledge that our church is on the traditional homelands of the Puyallup Tribe. The Puyallup people have lived on and stewarded these lands since the beginning of time, and continue to do so today. We recognize that this land acknowledgment is one small step toward true allyship and we commit to uplifting the voices, experiences, and histories of the Indigenous people of this land and beyond.

The Prelude to Worship

Sheri Martin

Welcome

Rev. John Asher

* Call to Worship (please stand) Based on Psalm 103:1-5

Paul Cascio

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me,

bless his holy name!

Bless the Lord, O my soul,

and forget not all his benefits,

who forgives all your iniquity,

who heals all your diseases,

who redeems your life from the pit,

who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,

who satisfies you with good

so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

* Hymn # 485

"To God Be the Glory"

Sharing Our Burdens Prayer

Most Merciful God, you desire that we always pray and not lose heart, but we confess that we often struggle to pray at all, let alone do so confidently. You call us to pray that you would bring justice and wholeness to our broken world, but we confess that the pain and suffering of our lives and our world often overwhelms us. With the psalmist we cry, "How long, O Lord?" Forgive us for our cynicism and renew our hope in the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ. In his name we pray, amen.

Song

**"Create in Me a Clean Heart"
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a right spirit within me.
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a right spirit within me.**

**Cast me not away from thy presence, O Lord,
and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation,
And renew a right spirit within me.**

Children's Message

Rev. John Asher

As Sunday School is on hiatus for the summer, children are invited to return to their parents for the rest of the service.

Scripture

Luke 18:1-8

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"The Prayer that Isn't Prayed"

Rev. John Asher

Special Music

"Run to the Father"

Prayers of the People

We ask that you only share identifiable information about others with their permission.

Response: Lord this is our prayer/praise, Lord hear our prayer/praise.

Pastoral Prayer

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic* Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

Amen.

**meaning the universal Christian church—all believers in Jesus Christ*

Song

**“Open the Eyes of My Heart”
Open the eyes of my heart, Lord,
Open the eyes of my heart.
I want to see you, I want to see you.**

**Open the eyes of my heart, Lord,
Open the eyes of my heart,
I want to see you, I want to see you.**

Chorus:

**To see you high and lifted up,
Shining in the light of your glory,
Pour out your power and love,
As we sing holy, holy, holy.**

**Holy, holy, holy,
Holy, holy, holy,
Holy, holy, holy,
I want to see you.**

Community Life

*** Hymn # 422 (please stand) “God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending”**

*** Benediction**

Greet someone you don't know following worship this morning!

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Letting Burdens Go: Posted by Trinity Presbyterian Church, at

<https://trinitypresfw.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/Trinity-Presbyterian-Church-Bulletin-20160306.pdf>

Pastoral Prayer: written by Rev Abi, and posted on Rev Abi's Long and Winding Road blog.

<http://vicarofwadley.blogspot.ca/>

Leadership at Shepherd of the Hill

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** end term Dec. 2022*


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To God Be the Glory


TO GOD BE THE GLORY 11.11.11 with refrain

Fanny Jane Crosby, 1875


William Howard Doane, 18




1. To God be the glo - ry, great things He hath done!
2. Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done,



So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,
And great our re - joic - ing through Je - sus the Son;



Who yield - ed His life an a - tone - ment for sin,
But pur - er, and high - er, and great - er will be



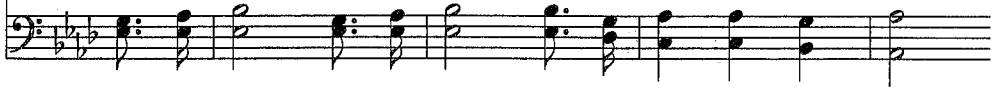
And o - pened the life - gate that all may go in.
Our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.

Refrain

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice!



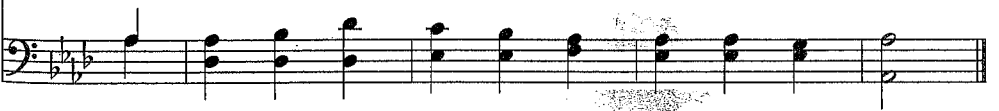
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the people re - joice!



O come to the Fa - ther through Je - sus the Son,



And give Him the glo - ry: great things He hath done!



422 God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending

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Robert L. Edwards, 1961

The Sacred Harp, 1844
Harm. James H. Wood, 1958

1. God, whose giv - ing knows no end - ing, From Your rich and
 2. Skills and time are ours for press - ing Toward the goals of
 3. Trea - sure too You have en - trust - ed, Gain through powers Your



end - less store, Na - ture's won - der, Je - sus' wis - dom,
 Christ, Your Son: All at peace in health and free - dom,
 grace con - ferred; Ours to use for home and kin - dred,



Cost-ly cross, grave's shat - tered door: Gift-ed by You, we turn
 Rac-es joined, the church made one. Now di - rect our dai - ly
 And to spread the gos - pel Word. O - pen wide our hands, in



to You, Of-fering up our - selves in praise; Thank-ful
la - bor, Lest we strive for self a - lone; Born with
shar - ing, As we heed Christ's age - less call, Heal - ing,

song shall rise for - ev - er, Gra-cious do - nor of our days.
tal - ents, make us ser - vants Fit to an - swer at Your throne.
teach - ing, and re - claim - ing, Serv-ing You by lov - ing all.