

Shepherd of the Hill Presbyterian Church USA

~ Service for the Lord's Day ~

May 8, 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

Greetings

Rev. John Asher

* Call to Worship

Becky Maxa

Siblings in Christ,

If you lift your net and it is empty,

Come here!

We'll cast it out again into Christ's abundance.

If you open your eyes but do not recognize the Holy One,

Come here!

We'll find the Risen Christ here among us.

If your life is filled with mourning,

Come here!

Christ is leading a dance of joy.

Come here, siblings in Christ!

To give blessing and honor and glory to God!

* Hymn # 366

“Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me”

Sharing Our Burdens Prayer

Gracious God, our wrongs are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

Song

“Servant of All”

**If you want to be great in God's Kingdom,
Learn to be the servant of all.
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Children's Message

Rev. John Asher

Children are welcome to remain in the service with their parents or follow the leaders to Sunday School.

Sermon

“Providence With Us”

Rev. John Asher

Scripture

John 21:1-19

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Special Music

“I Will Carry You”

Praise Team

Prayers of the People

Pastoral Prayer

Lord, in your mercy: **hear our prayer.**

Song

"O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"

(see insert)

Community Life

Rev. John Asher

* Song

"Give Me Your Eyes"

Look down from a broken sky, traced out by the city lights
My world from a mile high, best seat in the house tonight
Touch down on the cold black top, hold on for the sudden stop
Breathe in the familiar shock, of confusion and chaos
All those people going somewhere, why have I never cared

Chorus:

Give me Your eyes for just one second, give me Your eyes so I can see
Everything that I keep missing, give me Your love for humanity
Give me Your arms for the broken-hearted, the ones that are far beyond my reach
Give me Your heart for the ones forgotten, give me Your eyes so I can see

Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah

Step out on the busy street, see a girl and our eyes meet
Does her best to smile at me to hide what's underneath
There's a man just to her right, black suit and a bright red tie
Too ashamed to tell his wife, he's out of work he's buying time
All those people going somewhere, why have I never cared

Chorus

I've been here a million times, a couple of million eyes
Just move and pass me by
I swear I never thought that I was wrong
Well I want a second glance, so give me a second chance
To see the way You've seen the people all along

Chorus

* Benediction

Postlude

Sheri Martin

Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me

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ST. CATHERINE 8.8.8.8.8

Paul Gerhardt, 1653

Trans. John Wesley, c. 1739; alt.

Henri Frederick Hemy, 1864
Alt. James George Walton, 1874

1. Je - sus, Thy bound - less love to me No thought can
2. O grant that noth - ing in my soul May dwell, but
3. O Love, how gra - cious is Thy way! All fear be -

reach, no tongue de - clare; O knit my thank - ful heart to Thee,
Thy pure love a - lone; O may Thy love pos - sess me whole,
fore Thy pres - ence flies; Care, an - guish, sor - row melt a - way,

And reign with - out a ri - val there! Thine whol - ly, Thine a -
My joy, my trea - sure, and my crown! All cold - ness from my
Wher - e'er Thy heal - ing beams a - rise. O Je - sus, noth - ing

lone, I'd live, My - self to Thee en - tire - ly give.
heart re - move; May ev - ery act, word, thought be love.
may I see, Noth - ing de - sire, or seek, but Thee.

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1 O the deep, deep love of Je - sus, vast, un - mea - sured,
 2 O the deep, deep love of Je - sus—spread his praise from
 3 O the deep, deep love of Je - sus, love of ev - ery

bound - less, free! Roll - ing as a might - y o - cean in its
 shore to shore! How he loves us, ev - er loves us, chang - es
 love the best! 'Tis an o - cean vast of bless - ing, 'tis a

full - ness o - ver me! Un - der - neath me, all a - round me,
 nev - er, nev - er - more! How he watch - es o'er his loved ones,
 ha - ven sweet of rest! O the deep, deep love of Je - sus—

is the cur - rent of thy love—lead - ing on - ward,
 died to call them all his own; how for them he's
 'tis a heaven of heavens to me; and it lifts me

lead - ing home - ward, to thy glo - rious rest a - bove!
 in - ter - ced - ing, watch - ing o'er them from the throne!
 up to glo - ry, for it lifts me up to thee!