Shepherd of the Hill Presbyterian Church USA

~ Service for the Lord's Day ~ May 15, 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

"The Power of Your Love" (Geoff Bullock)

Sheri Martin

Lord renew my mind, as your will unfolds in my life In living every day, by the power of Your love

Greetings

Rev. John Asher

* Call to Worship (Psalm 100)

Jenn Hawley

Christ Jesus, friend of the poor, the meek and the merciful, has been enthroned above all authority and power in this world and the world to come.

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth, serve the Lord with gladness come into his presence with singing.

God has placed everything under Christ's wounded feet, and appointed the one who wore a crown of thorns as the head of the church, his body.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, come into his courts with praise.

Give thanks and praise his loving name!

Sharing Our Burdens Prayer

O Good and Loving God, you call us to honor and revere all whom you have placed in our lives with your authority. Yet we struggle to give honor to those who deserve it. When we have authority, we misuse and abuse it. Worst, we reject your authority and seek to live our lives our way. We fight and fail to love as you have loved us. We follow ourselves, not your son, Jesus. Forgive us and renew us. Send us your grace and mercy, and enable us to share it with others, even with those you have placed rightly in authority over us. Through Christ, we pray. Amen.

Song

"Stand in Your Love"

When darkness tries to roll over my bones When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own When brokenness and pain is all I know I won't be shaken, I won't be shaken

Chorus:

My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love (Repeat)

Shame no longer has a place to hide
I am not a captive to the lies
I'm not afraid to leave my past behind
I won't be shaken, I won't be shaken
Chorus

There's power that can break off every chain
There's power that can empty out a grave
There's resurrection power that can save
There's power in Your name, power in Your name

Chorus

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

"Power with Us"

Rev. John Asher

Scripture

Matthew 28: 16-19

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Choral Anthem

"Know My Heart" (Benjamin Harlan)

Blessing from the Font

Hymn # 492

"Baptized in Water"

Community Life

Rev. John Asher

* Song

"Same Power"

I can see the waters raging at my feet
I can feel the breath of those surrounding me
I can hear the sound of nations rising up
We will not be overtaken, We will not be overcome

I can walk down this dark and painful road
I can face ev'ry fear of the unknown
I can hear all God's children singing out
We will not be overtaken, We will not be overcome

Chorus:

The same power that rose Jesus from the grave
The same power that commands the dead to wake
Lives in us, lives in us
The same power that moves mountains when He speaks
The same power that can calm a raging sea
Lives in us, lives in us, He lives in us lives in us (Continued...)

We have hope that His promises are true In His strength there is nothing we can't do Yes we know there are greater things in store We will not be overtaken, We will not be overcome

Chorus:

The same power that rose Jesus from the grave
The same power that commands the dead to wake
Lives in us, lives in us
The same power that moves mountains when He speaks
The same power that can calm a raging sea
Lives in us, lives in us, He lives in us lives in us

Greater is He that is living in me
He's conquered our enemy
No power of darkness
No weapon prevails
We stand here in victory
(Repeat)
Chorus

* Benediction

<u>Postlude</u> Sheri Martin

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

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Call to Worship: written by Bruce Prewer, available at http://www.bruceprewer.com/DocA/64XKing.htm Letting Burden's Go: adapted from the work of Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church, accessed at https://thepastorsworkshop.com/prayers-of-confession-on-authority/

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

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