



BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Prelude *I Know That My Redeemer Lives* G.F. Handel

Sylvia Oines

Welcome

Senior Pastor, Doug Kelly

Leader: The Lord be with you! *People:* **And also with you!**

Light the Christ Candle

Deacon Moderator, Krista Cronk

Silent Listening

Hymn #326 *For All The Saints*

Call to Worship

Prayer of Confession and Declaration of Forgiveness

Scripture Reading Romans 14:1-13 ([The Message – click here](#))

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Song *Arise, Shine, For Your Light Has Come*

Arise, shine, for your light has come and the glory of God is on you
Arise, see when the earth grows dark that the Lord will arise upon you
The Lord will arise upon you

Nations will come to Your light, lift up your eyes and see

We'll gather together and come to You

And Your love will be all that we know

Your love will be all that we know

Arise, come to the open gates for the Father is welcoming you
Fear not for the Lord brings peace and redemption to all who believe
Redemption to all who believe (*Chorus*)

The sun will not shine 'cause You'll be all the light that we need
And violence will end; all the wars that we wage will cease

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And violence will end; all the wars that we wage will cease

We will glorify Your name; we will glorify Your name (*Chorus*)

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Children's Message

Lisa Dunn

Our Prayers to God [>>>Click here for the Virtual Prayer Wall](#)

Doug Kelly

Responding to God's Great Love [>>>Click here to give online](#)

Leader: You have given all to me.

People: **To you, Lord, I return it.**

Leader: Everything is Yours.

People: **Do with it what You will.**

Leader: Give me only Your love and Your grace.

People: **That is enough for me.**

Anthem *Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal* arr. J. Guy Stalnaker

Choir

Hark I hear the harps eternal ringing on the farther shore
As I near those swollen waters with their deep and solemn roar
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, praise the lamb
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, glory to the great I am

And my soul though stained with sorrow, fading as the light of day
Passes swiftly o'er those waters to the city far away (*Chorus*)

Souls have crossed before me, saintly, to that land of perfect rest
And I hear them singing faintly in the mansions of the blest (*Chorus*)

Call my father and my mother! Tell them that the boat is here
And another, oh, another! Unto whom my soul is dear (*Chorus*)
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Hymn #363 *Rejoice, The Lord Is King*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Ushers

Sermon *Belonging to God, Belonging at Bethany: Your Difference Belongs Here*

Doug Kelly

The Sacrament of Our Lord's Supper

Please come forward to form two lines. There are two ways to receive the sacrament: you may take a communion kit and partake of it in your pew; or you may receive a piece of bread, dip it in the common cup and partake of the elements. If you would like gluten-free, just ask your server for it. Those who do not wish to receive the sacraments can simply cross their arms and they will receive a brief blessing. A leader is available up front for intercessory prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Anthem *This Gift Is Free* by Fred Gramann

Choir

Come to the waters all who are thirsty
O come and drink, this gift is free
Come to the table all who are hungry
O come and feast, this gift is free
Come to the tree of life laden with fruit for you
O come and taste, this gift is free
Come to the banquet hall, a place is set for you
O come and sit awhile, this gift is free
Why do you buy food which cannot feed the soul?
Or labor on for that which will not make you whole?
Come unto me and taste the food I give
Come unto me so that your soul may live

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Song *Psalms 126*

Our mouths, they were filled, filled with laughter
Our tongues, they were loosed, loosed with joy
Restore us, O Lord! Restore us, O Lord
*Although we are weeping, Lord, help us keep sowing
The seeds of your Kingdom, for the day You will reap them
Your sheaves we will carry; Lord, please do not tarry
All those who sow weeping, will go out with songs of joy*
The nations will say, "He has done great things"
The nations will sing songs of joy
Restore us, O Lord! Restore us, O Lord (*Chorus*)

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Benediction

Doug Kelly

Postlude *Darwall's Psalm 148* J.S. Bach/Mark Sedio

Sylvia Oines

Preaching Today Pastor Doug Kelly

Leading Worship Krista Cronk

Ministers You, who are touched by God's grace, being healed by God's love

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Prayer Wall:*

