

This Week

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7

8:30 AM Early Morning Worship
10:00 AM Christian Education
11:00 AM Late Morning Worship

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Church Offices Closed

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

7:00 PM Session Meeting
6:00 PM SMELTS Meeting

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10

9:15 AM Staff Meeting

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11

7:30 PM Worship Rehearsal

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14

8:30 AM Early Morning Worship
10:00 AM Christian Education
11:00 AM Late Morning Worship

For more information about Beverly Heights Church, please see our website (www.beverlyheights.org) or *The Gathered Seeds* weekly newsletter.

Early Morning Worship

8:30 AM

How Rich a Treasure We Possess

Welcome Kevin Tan

Greeting and Announcements Amy Lucas

Call to Worship

Prayer of Invocation

WE WORSHIP THE HOLY ONE

Psalm 150 (Praise the Lord)

New Testament Reading 1 Timothy 3:1-13

Ordination and Installation of Deacons

Pastoral Prayer for Officers in the Church

We Offer Ourselves to God

Jesus, Son of God

Children dismissed as per inside bulletin.

WE WORSHIP BY GIVING ATTENTION TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading Luke 16:19-31

Sermon Pastor Devlin

The Way That Leads There ~ The Travel Stories of Jesus
From Invisible to Visible

WE CONTINUE OUR WORSHIP BY SERVING THE LORD

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benediction

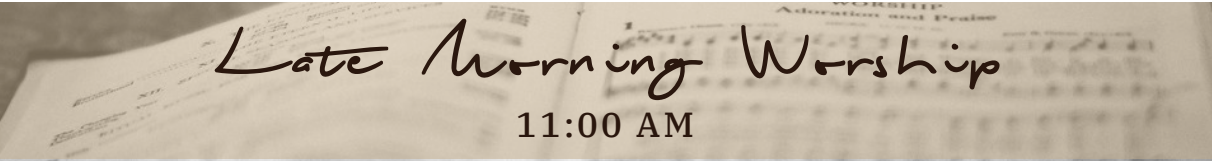


THE WAY THAT LEADS THERE

The Travel Stories of Jesus



BEVERLY HEIGHTS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
FEBRUARY 7, 2021



WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP TO PRAISE ALMIGHTY GOD

Prelude *Berceuse* Vierne
Alexander Buie, organ

The first note of the prelude marks the beginning of worship. Please use this brief period of time for prayer and preparation while keeping conversation at a low volume and to a minimum.

Welcome Rev. Dr. Nathanael Devlin, Senior Pastor

Greeting and Announcements Amy Lucas, Administrative Assistant

Prayer of Adoration

Opening Hymn of Praise **No. 660** vv. 1, 2 *O God Beyond All Praising*

Call to Worship From Psalm 105

LEADER: Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples! Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works! Glory in His holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

PEOPLE: **Seek the LORD and His strength; seek His presence continually! Remember the wondrous works that He has done, His miracles, and the judgments He uttered, O offspring of Abraham, His servant, children of Jacob, His chosen ones!**

LEADER: He is the LORD our God; His judgments are in all the earth. He remembers His covenant forever, the word that He commanded, for a thousand generations, the covenant that He made with Abraham.

PEOPLE: **So He brought His people out with joy, His chosen ones with singing. And He gave them the lands of the nations, and they took possession of the fruit of the peoples' toil, that they might keep His statutes and observe His laws. Praise the LORD!**

Prayer of Invocation

God of the promise, as members of Your body – heirs of the promise; Gentiles, grafted into the promises to Abraham and Sarah – all of us fellow citizens, members of God's household, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus Himself as the cornerstone. May Your Spirit continue to build us together to become God's temple through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Hymn of Worship **HP No. 4** vv. 1, 2 *My Gracious Lord, Your Love is Vast*

New Testament Reading Romans 4:1-25

Pastoral Prayer

Responsive Hymn **HP No. 4** vv. 3, 4 *My Gracious Lord, Your Love is Vast*

We Offer Ourselves to God *Amazing Grace* arr. Naughtin
Justine Campagna and Andrew Fuller, violins; Laura Fuller, viola; Anne Martindale Williams, cello

Children dismissed as per bottom of page.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading Luke 16:19-31

Sermon **The Way That Leads There ~ The Travel Stories of Jesus** Pastor Devlin
From Invisible to Visible

WE GLORIFY GOD AND ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

Unison Confession of Faith WCF 33:1, 3

God the Father has ordained a day in which He will judge the world in righteousness by Jesus Christ, to whom He has given all power and judgment. In that day not only will the apostate angels be judged, but all the people who have lived on earth will appear before the court of Christ to give an account of their thoughts, words, and actions, and be judged according to what they have done in the body, whether good or evil.

Christ wants us to be completely convinced that there is going to be a day of judgment, as a deterrent to sin for everyone and as an added consolation for the godly in their suffering. He has also made sure that no one knows when that day will be, so that we may never rest secure in our worldly surroundings, but, not knowing what hour the Lord will come, we must always be alert and may always be ready to say, "Come, Lord Jesus, come quickly." Amen.

Closing Hymn **No. 34** vv. 1, 2, 6 The God of Abraham Praise

Benediction

Postlude *In Sweet Rejoicing* J.S. Bach

Childcare Available

Birth - 18 months

18 months - pre-K

K - 3rd grade

→ Nursery

→ Walkabouts Room

→ Lounge (8:30 AM service only)

660

O God beyond All Praising

I will praise you, O LORD, with all my heart. Ps. 138:1

Unison 7

1. O God be - yond all prais - ing, we wor - ship you to - day
 2. Then hear, O gra - cious Sav - ior, ac - cept the love we bring,
 and sing the love a - maz - ing that songs can - not re - pay;
 that we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;
 for we can on - ly won - der at ev - ery gift you send,
 and wheth - er our to - mor - rows be filled with good or ill,
 at bless - ings with - out num - ber and mer - cies with - out end:
 we'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and rise to bless you still:

LOVE FOR GOD

The musical score is written for two voices, Soprano and Bass, in a key of B-flat major (two flats). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are: "we lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word, to mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways, we hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord. and make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise." The score consists of two systems, each with a Soprano staff and a Bass staff. The first system covers the first two lines of lyrics, and the second system covers the last two lines. The music is in 4/4 time, with a tempo of 13.13.13.13.13.13.

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Michael Perry, 1982

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THAXTED 13.13.13.13.13.13.
From Gustav Holst, *The Planets*, 1918

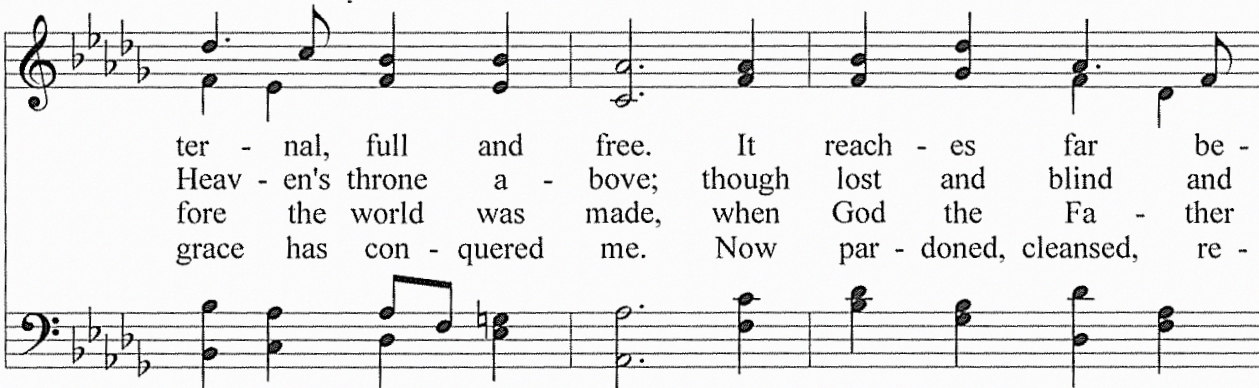
My Gracious Lord, Your Love Is Vast

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*In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son
to be the propitiation for our sins. 1 John 4:10*



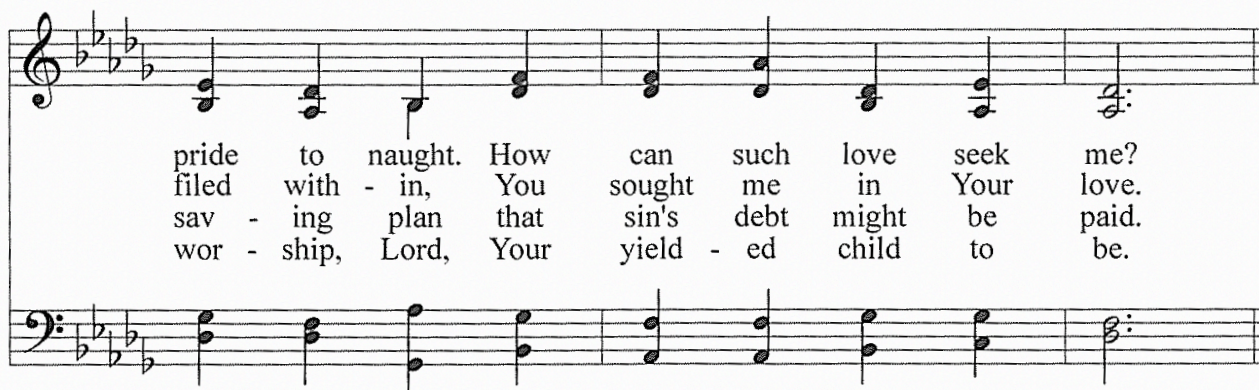
1. My gra - cious Lord, Your love is vast, e -
2. Yet You have sought me, Ho - ly Lord, from
3. Such love was Your de - sign, O Lord, be -
4. Your sav - ing love has tri - umphed, Lord, Your



ter - nal, full and free. It reach - es far be -
Heav - en's throne a - bove; though lost and blind and
fore the world was made, when God the Fa - ther
grace has con - quered me. Now par - doned, cleansed, re -



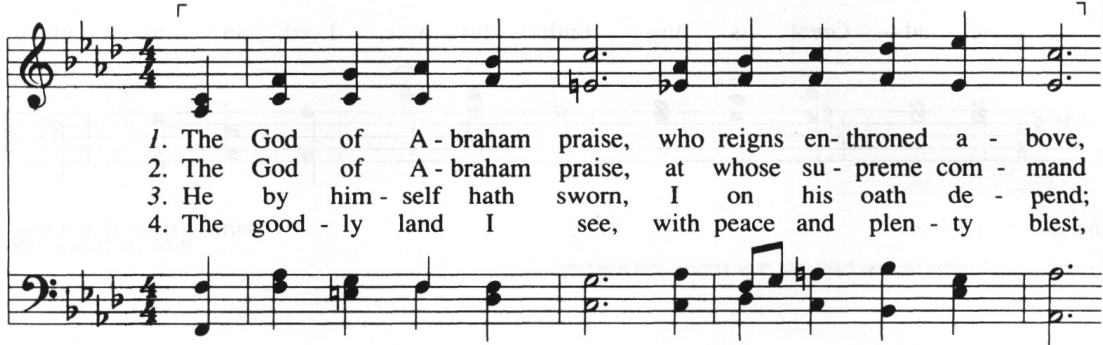
yond my thought and brings my fool - ish
dead in sin, with reb - el will, de -
and the Son in Cov' - nant formed that
deemed, re - stored, I lift my heart in



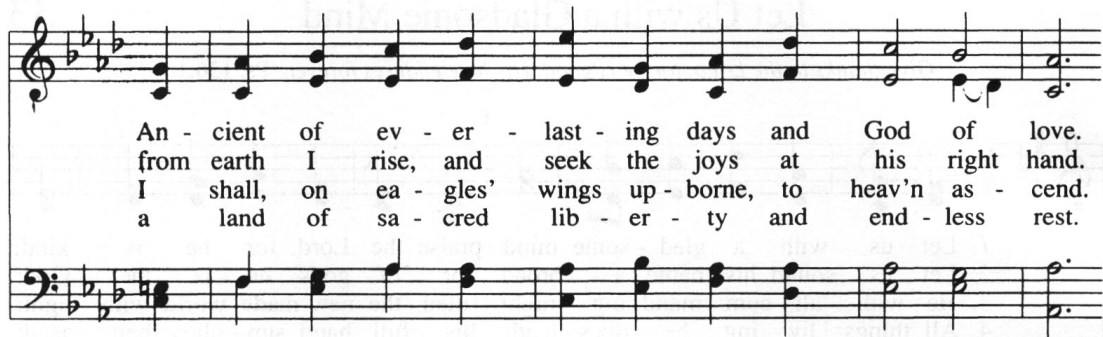
pride to naught. How can such love seek me?
filed with - in, You sought me in Your love.
sav - ing plan that sin's debt might be paid.
wor - ship, Lord, Your yield - ed child to be.

The God of Abraham Praise

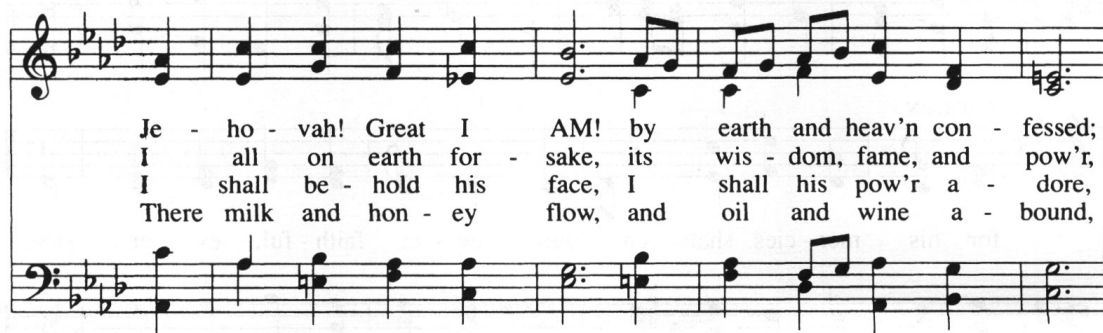
Without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him. Heb. 11:6



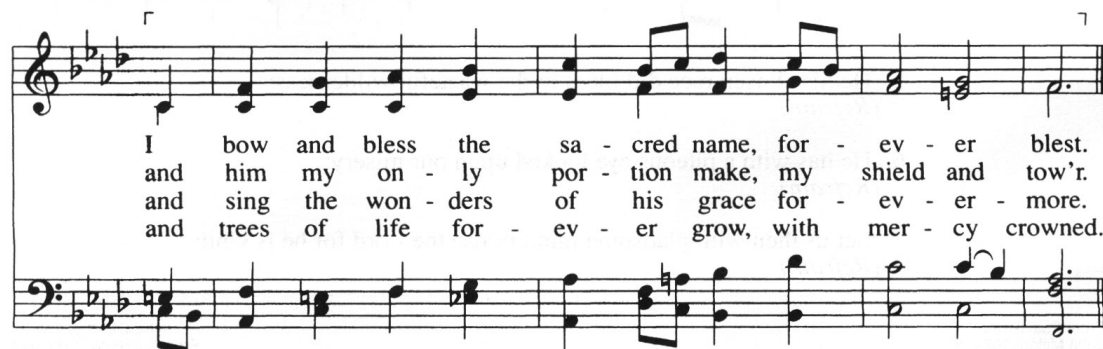
1. The God of A - braham praise, who reigns en - throned a - bove,
 2. The God of A - braham praise, at whose su - preme com - mand
 3. He by him - self hath sworn, I on his oath de - pend;
 4. The good - ly land I see, with peace and plen - ty blest,



An - cient of ev - er - last - ing days and God of love.
 from earth I rise, and seek the joys at his right hand.
 I shall, on ea - gles' wings up - borne, to heav'n as - cend.
 a land of sa - cred lib - er - ty and end - less rest.



Je - ho - vah! Great I AM! by earth and heav'n con - fessed;
 I all on earth for - sake, its wis - dom, fame, and pow'r,
 I shall be - hold his face, I shall his pow'r a - dore,
 There milk and hon - ey flow, and oil and wine a - bound,



I bow and bless the sa - cred name, for - ev - er blest.
 and him my on - ly por - tion make, my shield and tow'r.
 and sing the won - ders of his grace for - ev - er - more.
 and trees of life for - ev - er grow, with mer - cy crowned.

5. There dwells the Lord our King, the Lord our Righteousness,
 triumphant o'er the world and sin, the Prince of Peace.
 On Zion's sacred height his kingdom he maintains,
 and glorious with his saints in light forever reigns.

6. The whole triumphant host gives thanks to God on high;
 "Hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!" they ever cry.
 Hail, Abraham's God and mine! I join the heav'nly lays;
 all might and majesty are thine, and endless praise.