

Sunday, February 19, 2023

# **BROOKWOOD WORSHIP**

We will be formed in Christ to love like family and live on mission.

P = Pause and recognize how wonderful a Father He is to us

R = Rejoice in all He has done for us and stand in awe of who He is

A = Ask for ourselves (petition) and for others (intercession)

Y = Yield to His perfect will for our lives and for the world as a whole

## **Pause**

As we enter to worship, we pause to be still; to breathe slowly, to re-center our scattered senses upon the presence of God.

Welcome to Worship Keith McLeod

Word from Living Hope Ministries John Thomas

Silence

Prelude Anna Williams

# Rejoice

We rejoice today as we contemplate the mighty works of Your hands.

Songs of Praise

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

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Words: Joachim Neander Music: German Hymn

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High

Words and Music by Rick Founds

## Philippians 4:8

**NRSV** 

<sup>8</sup> Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is **true**, whatever is **honorable**, whatever is **just**, whatever is **pure**, whatever is **pleasing**, whatever is **commendable**, if there is any **excellence** and if there is anything **worthy of praise**, **think about these things**.

## Ask

Give Us, Forgive Us, Lead Us, Deliver Us

Prayer Song Prayer Keith McLeod

Words: James Montgomery Music: Keith McLeod

Community Prayer Keith McLeod

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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
Forever, Amen.

Choral Prayer Order My Steps Sanctuary Choir

Words and Music by Glenn Burleigh Choral Setting by Jack Schrader

Scripture Reading 2 Corinthians 3:12-18 Amy Causey

NIV

<sup>12</sup>Therefore, since we have such a hope, we are very bold. <sup>13</sup>We are not like Moses, who would put a veil over his face to prevent the Israelites from seeing the end of what was passing away. <sup>14</sup> But their minds were made dull, for to this day the same veil remains when the old covenant is read. It has not been removed, because only in Christ is it taken away. <sup>15</sup> Even to this day when Moses is read, a veil covers their hearts. <sup>16</sup> But whenever anyone turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away. <sup>17</sup> Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. <sup>18</sup> And we all, who with unveiled faces contemplate the Lord's glory, are being

transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.

One: The Word of the Lord All: Thanks be to God

Sermon "Contemplation" Larry McCutcheon

## Yield

Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven

Invitation Larry McCutcheon

Hymn of Response May the Mind of Christ, My Savior

Text: Kate Wilkinson Music: Cyril Barham-Gould

Benediction Larry McCutcheon

Postlude Trumpet Voluntary in C Melinda Dressler

Today's flower arrangement is in loving memory of Pam Dennis.

#### 2023 MISSION TRIPS & RETREATS

(Save the date!)

Nicaragua Feb 16-22, 2023 Spring Break Family Mar 25-30, 2023 South Sudan May 5-18, 2023 App Trail May 18-20, 2023 Builders for Christ Late May 2023 South Africa Jun 29-Jul 8, 2023 Shocco Retreat Aug 4-6, 2023 Rio Sep 2023

# **Upcoming Events**

## Ash Wednesday Service

Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6pm In Sanctuary

## Churchwide Intergenerational Game Night

Friday, February 24<sup>th</sup> from 5:30pm-7pm
In Fellowship Hall

## Churchwide Prayer Gathering – Hike & Pray

Saturday, February 25<sup>th</sup> at 10am
Oak Mountain State Park

## The Gathering Sunday Lunch

Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup> immediately following worship
In Fellowship Hall

#### Meal and A Deal

Wednesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>
In Fellowship Hall – Scan QR Code for more details.



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