

Lord's Day Morning Worship Service

April 14, 2024

11:00 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship..... Psalm 34:1-3

* Hymn 16 (Red) “Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord” (Psalm 98)

Come, let us sing unto the Lord new songs of praise with sweet accord; for wonders great by him are done, his hand and arm have vict'ry won.

The great salvation of our God is seen through all the earth abroad; before the heathen's wond'ring sight he has revealed his truth and right.

He called to mind his truth and grace in promise made to Israel's race; and unto earth's remotest bound glad tidings of salvation sound.

All lands, to God lift up your voice; sing praise to him, with shouts rejoice; with voice of joy and loud acclaim let all unite and praise his name.

Praise God with harp, with harp sing praise, with voice of psalms his glory raise; with trumpets, cornets, gladly sing and shout before the Lord, the King.

Let earth be glad, let billows roar and all that dwell from shore to shore; let floods clap hands with one accord, let hills rejoice before the Lord.

For lo, he comes; at his command all nations shall in judgment stand; in justice robed and throned in light, the Lord shall judge, dispensing right.

* Invocation

* Confession of Faith..... The Apostles' Creed (Red Hymnal, p. 845)

* Gloria Patri (tune: Greatorex)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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.

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

* Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SermonRev. Alan H. Johnson

Worthy of the Calling
Ephesians 4:1-6 (p. 977)

* Hymn 378 (Red)..... “Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face”

Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face; here would I touch and handle things unseen, here grasp with firmer hand th'eternal grace, and all my weariness upon thee lean.

Here would I feed upon the bread of God, here drink with thee the royal wine of heav'n; here would I lay aside each earthly load, here taste afresh the calm of sin forgiv'n.

This is the hour of banquet and of song; this is the heav'nly table spread for me: here let me feast, and, feasting, still prolong the brief, bright hour of fellowship with thee.

I have no help but thine, nor do I need another arm save thine to lean upon: it is enough, my Lord, enough indeed; my strength is in thy might, thy might alone.

Mine is the sin, but thine the righteousness; mine is the guilt, but thine the cleansing blood; here is my robe, my refuge, and my peace, thy blood, thy righteousness, O Lord my God.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

* Hymn 374 (Black)..... “My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness”

My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who bore my pain, who plumbed the depths of my disgrace and gave me life again, who crushed my curse of sinfulness and clothed me in his light, and wrote his law of righteousness with pow'r upon my heart.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who walks beside, who floods my weaknesses with strength and causes fears to fly, whose ev'ry promise is enough for ev'ry step I take, sustaining me with arms of love and crowning me with grace.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who reigns above, whose wisdom is my perfect peace, whose ev'ry thought is love, for ev'ry day I have on earth is given by the King. So I will give my life, my all to love and follow him.

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* Benediction

Postlude

*Congregation Standing

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This Week's Schedule

Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship Time
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	4:45 p.m.	Choir Practice
	5:30 p.m.	Children/Youth Group Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship Service
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	Women's Zoom Bible Study
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Duluth Small Group
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
	10:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
	4:00 p.m.	Women's Monthly Bible Study

Session

2025	2027	2029
Steve Bennett	Alan Larson	Kent Elmer
Rob Grabenkort	Bryant Mays	
Jon Richards	Owen Malcolm	
Mike Minkoff	Todd Sheets	

Diaconate

2025	2027	2029
Rob Funk	Matt Chandler	C J Dobbs
Mike Dennison	Mike Deal	Kevin Foster
Tom Ellison	Carlin Wong	Alan Riley
	Ryo Yamazaki	Martin Taylor
		Steve York

Church Staff

Alan H. Johnson, Pastor
Janice Hurd, Admin. Assistant
Sandy Butler, Women's Discipleship Coordinator
Carlin Wong, Children's Ministry Coordinator
Joe R. Deighton, Assistant Pastor
Michael Minkoff, Jr., Pastoral Intern

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Hernando Saenz.....	MNA, Hispanic Ministries, Lawrenceville, GA	
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