



Morning Worship

August 15, 2021

*Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. ~1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

Invitation to Worship

Christian Johns, Youth Minister

Instrumental Prelude

Kathleen Wilkins, organist

Responsive Reading

Revelation 5:11-14; Philippians 2:9-11

Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice,

“Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!”

Then I heard every creature in Heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing,

“To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might for ever and ever!”

And the four living creatures said, “Amen!” And the elders fell down and worshipped.

Therefore God also highly exalted Him and gave Him the name that is above every name,

So that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in Heaven and on earth and under the earth,

And every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Hymn of Praise

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

All hail the power of Jesus' name!

Let angels prostrate fall, let angels prostrate fall;

Bring forth the royal diadem,

Chorus:

And crown Him, crown Him, crown Him, crown Him,

And crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,

Ye ransomed from the fall, Ye ransomed from the fall;

Hail Him who saves you by His grace,

Chorus

Let every kindred, every tribe,
On this terrestrial ball, on this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe,

Chorus

O that with yonder sacred throng,
We at His feet may fall, we at His feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song,

Chorus

Morning Prayer

Sarah Bell

Words of Welcome

Greg Stahl, Associate Pastor

Hymns of Adoration

Give Me Jesus

Roy Pemble, soloist

In the morning, when I rise,
In the morning, when I rise,
In the morning, when I rise, give me Jesus.

Chorus:

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus,
You can have all this world, give me Jesus.

Just about the break of day,
Just about the break of day,
Just about the break of day, give me Jesus.

Chorus

And when I am alone,
And when I am alone,
And when I am alone, give me Jesus.

Chorus

And when I come to die,
And when I come to die,
And when I come to die, give me Jesus.

Chorus

Give Thanks

Give thanks with a grateful heart;
Give thanks to the Holy One.
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. ***(repeat)***

And now let the weak say, "I am strong,"
Let the poor say, "I am rich,"
Because of what the Lord has done for us. ***(repeat)***
Give thanks!

His Name Is Wonderful

His name is wonderful, His name is wonderful,
His name is wonderful, Jesus my Lord;
He is the mighty King, Master of everything,
His name is wonderful, Jesus my Lord.
He's the Great Shepherd, the Rock of all ages,
Almighty God is He;
Bow down before Him, Love and adore Him,
His name is wonderful, Jesus my Lord.

Lessons from Scripture

Psalm 91

Fran Keeth, reader

Choral Worship

Lord of My Life

Sanctuary Choir

Steve Roddy, piano

Sermon

Dr. Dennis Tucker

The Identity of a Praying People

I Kings 8:56-61

Closing Song

Open My Eyes, That I May See

Open my eyes that I may see glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;
Place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free.

Chorus:

Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see;
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit Divine!

Open my ears that I may hear voices of truth Thou sendest clear;
And while the wave notes fall on my ear, wverything false will disappear.

Chorus

Parting Words

Greg Stahl

Postlude

Kathleen Wilkins



Welcome, Dr. Dennis Tucker!

Dr. W. Dennis Tucker, Jr. is Professor of Christian Scriptures at Baylor University's Truett Seminary. Dr. Tucker's main area of research is the Book of Psalms. Currently, he directs the Baylor University-Universität Münster Research Cluster on the Book of Psalms. Dr. Tucker continues to preach and serve in local congregations. He has served churches in Texas, North Carolina, Kentucky, Indiana, and Arkansas.

He and his wife, Tish, have three daughters: Hannah, Sarah, and Hope.