

April 16, 2023 ~ 2nd Sunday of Easter

Gathering Music ~ “Crown Him with Many Crowns” (arr. Ray) - Leigh Emmett

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude ~ “I Love To Tell the Story” (arr. Raney)

Call to Worship ~ *responsive*

Leader: Jesus has risen and called us to follow him,

People: to serve those in need, to share God’s love.

Leader: Jesus tells us to feed my sheep.

People: Lord, feed us with your Spirit that we may continue to feed and care for your people. Amen.

*\*you are invited to stand in body or in spirit*

*\*Hymn #268 ~ “Crown Him with Many Crowns”*

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession ~ *in unison*

Jesus, we come confessing to you that in what we have denied you. In our actions and inactions we have denied your power and call for our lives and world. Forgive us, Lord, so that we may faithfully feed your sheep. Amen.

(A time of silent, personal prayer)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Responsive Chorus #625 ~ “How Great Thou Art!” (refrain)

*Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!*

*Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!*

Passing the Peace

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Responsive Chorus #399 ~ “God Welcomes All”

*God welcomes all, strangers and friends; God’s love is strong and it never ends.*

Offering Prayer

*\*Doxology#606 ~ “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” (Avery & Marsh)*

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise God, all creatures here below;*

*Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

*Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.*

Prayer for Illumination

Hebrew Scripture ~ Psalm 16

Special Music ~ *“The Heart of Worship”* (M. Redman) ~ Celebration Choir

Christian Scripture ~ John 21:1-19

Message ~ “Breakfast with Jesus”

\*Hymn #740 ~ *“Lead Me, Guide Me”*

A time for sharing the joys and concerns of our community.

Prayer Preparation#469 ~ *“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”*  
*Lord, listen to your children praying. Lord, send your Spirit in this place.*  
*Lord, listen to your children praying. Send us love; send us power; send us grace.*

The Lord’s Prayer ~ *in unison*

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.

\*Hymn #263 ~ *“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!”*

\*Benediction

\*Choral Response #614 ~ *“Great Are You, Lord”*

*Great are you, Lord: you are holy and just; by your power we trust in your love.*  
*Great are you, Lord: you are faithful and true; by your mercy you prove you are love.*  
*Great are you, Lord, and worthy of glory! Great are you, Lord, and worthy of praise.*  
*Great are you, Lord. We lift up our voice; we lift up our voice: great are you, Lord!*  
*Great are you, Lord!*

Postlude ~ *“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!”* (arr. Raney)

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**All are invited to the Grand Opening Dedication for Grace Bible Chapel TODAY, beginning with their invitation to partake in a meal to share at 1:30PM. The service will begin at 3:00PM. St. Paul’s Celebration Choir will join their voices with Committed for the service. Grace Bible Chapel is located at 27345 Schoolcraft Rd., Redford. (The former VFW Hall).**

From Karen Barsy...**New Session of Moving with the Spirit is starting on Tuesday April 18, 2023. This will be a 10-week session, ending on June 20, 2023.**

Classes focus on stretching, range of motion, and gentle exercises to gain strength, flexibility and improve balance. We move to music and scripture readings and have a really fun time together! Following the basic class is a more involved 1/2 hour with floor exercises and use of therapy balls. You can come for 1 hour or stay for the extra time! The additional time is a bonus for those that are interested.

**Cost for this series will be \$50, payable to Karen Barsy.** Payment can be given directly to Karen or dropped off in the church office for her. This can be done in one payment or broken down into two payments of \$25 each. Can't wait to get started!!

**Classes will meet in Rm. 11 on Tuesday mornings at 10:30am. The option to sign on through Google Meet is available.** Any questions call Karen at 734-765-2356. Let's get moving! Let's Praise God in song and dance, as we strengthen our minds, bodies, and souls together in Christian Fellowship.

The **Mission Team** has planned a ½ day volunteer opportunity at **World Medical Relief on Tuesday, April 25, 2023 from 9:00AM-Noon.** The task will be sorting medical supplies for the Turkey-Syria earthquake victims. The team would love to have you volunteer for this event.

They will **meet at St. Paul's at 8:30AM and carpool.** The center is located at the World Medical Center, 21725 Melrose, Southfield. Please sign up in the lobby.

The next **ROMANS** event, making floral arrangements for shut-ins, will follow worship on **Sunday, April 30, 2023.** Please sign up in the lobby.

**Please hold those listed in prayer... and REVIEW and REPORT updates, PLEASE**



Andy Foy, Bill Garvey, Mike Graham, Janet Frank, Grace Erwin, August and Faith Kornowicz  
Karen Bright, Sheldon Davis, Doris Knecht, Pam Phillips, Suzanne Tabaka, Jim and Joanna Roye, Jerry Stone  
Beverly Dearth, Kathleen Warren, Bob Liebertz, Grace Campbell  
Susan Grant, Bruce Phillips, Anna Richardson  
Nate Statly ~ friend of Joey Nicholas; Peter Hodge ~ friend of Jan and John Lapenta  
Julie Newell ~ cousin of Pam Phillips; sister-in law and nephew of Pat Garvey  
Linda Thompson and her sister, Shirley Kircoff  
Joan Velis and family; Westin ~ infant grandson of Jeanne Sinclair  
John Branch ~ father of Christie Piastowski  
Dave Schulz ~ nephew of Carol and Mike Graham  
Sharon and George and Rita Czanko ~ cousins of Terry Earnley  
Lois Wludyka and John Candiloro ~ friends of August Kornowicz  
Ray and Mary Clark ~ neighbors of Don and Meta Tulley  
Mike Hyatt ~ friend of Judy McGregor  
Sarah and Mason Young ~ family of Judy McGregor  
Ben Abela ~ son-in-law of August and Faith Kornowicz  
Macaylah Whitlock ~ daughter of the Rev. Kellie and Marc Whitlock  
Rosemary Iaquina ~ sister of Cathy DeSautel; Pamela Serene ~ daughter of the late Marilyn Allen  
Glenn Ellan Rubright ~ sister of Mike Graham; Nicole Snead ~ daughter of Bill VanEck  
Nancy Kreipke ~ mother of Christian; Rich McKenzie ~ son of Jean; Erin Lewis ~ daughter of Pattie Benoit

Phyllis Badman ~ niece of Georgia Hunt; Christie Piastowski ~ daughter of Karen Bright  
Janet Kusuhara ~ cousin of Meta Tulley; Joe Ducsay ~ friend of Mike and Carol Graham  
Mark Osborne ~ son of the late Janet  
Cyndi Knecht ~ daughter of Doris; Joe Perko ~ friend of Wanda Seymour  
David Bonandrini ~ son of Ben; Gideon Janku ~ great nephew of Bob Westbrook  
Judy Siegfried ~ sister-in-law of Pam Phillips; Randy Tillman ~ son of Gloria Rubbo  
Mary Rayes ~ friend of Pat Hutchison; Adam Schilling and Eric Shilling ~ grandsons of Ron and Janet Frank  
Donald Keller III ~ son of Jan Lapenta; Scott Davis ~ son of Sheldon and Marion Davis

# 263 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

Descant

4 O that with yon - der sa - cred throng we at his feet may fall!

1 All hail the power of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall;  
 2 Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, ye ran - sored from the fall,  
 3 Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - ery tribe on this ter - res - trial ball  
 4 O that with yon - der sa - cred throng we at his feet may fall!

We'll join the song, and crown him Lord of all!

bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all!  
 hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!  
 to him all maj - es - ty as - cribe, and crown him Lord of all!  
 We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, and crown him Lord of all!

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This 18th-century text celebrating the sovereignty of Christ has been through several expansions and contractions before reaching its present form. It is set here to the oldest American hymn tune in continuous use since first published in 1793, which was written for it.

# Crown Him with Many Crowns 268

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;  
 2 Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold his hands and side,  
 3 Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a scep - ter sways  
 4 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time;

hark, how the heaven-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own!  
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied:  
 from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise.  
 cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fa - bly sub - lime.

A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
 no an - gel in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,  
 His reign shall know no end; and round his pier - ed feet  
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;

and hail him as thy match-less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
 but down-ward bends his burn-ing eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
 fair flowers of par - a - dise ex - tend their fra-grance ev - er sweet.  
 thy praise shall nev - er, nev - er fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

This text is so familiar that it is easy to miss all its paradox, mystery, suffering, and beauty; it rewards careful reading and meditation outside corporate worship. The tune's composer, chapel organist at Windsor Castle, had much experience in creating a royal sound.

# 740 Lead Me, Guide Me

Capo 1: (D)  
 Refrain E<sup>b</sup> (A7) B<sup>b</sup>7 (Em) Fm 3

Lead me, guide me, a - long the way, for if you

(A) B<sup>b</sup> (D) E<sup>b</sup> (A7) B<sup>b</sup>7 3 (D) E<sup>b</sup> 3

lead me, I can - not stray. Lord, let me walk each

(A7) B<sup>b</sup>7 (B7) C7 (Em) Fm (D) E<sup>b</sup> (A7) B<sup>b</sup>7 (D) E<sup>b</sup> Fine

day with thee. Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

(D) E<sup>b</sup> 3 (B7) C7 (Em) Fm (A7) B<sup>b</sup>7 (Em) Fm

I am weak and I need your strength and power to help me

(A) B<sup>b</sup> (D) E<sup>b</sup> (D) E<sup>b</sup> (D7) E<sup>b</sup>7

o - ver my weak - est hour. Help me through the dark-ness your

(Em) Fm (D) E<sup>b</sup> (A7) B<sup>b</sup>7 (D) E<sup>b</sup> to Refrain

face to see. Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

*Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.*

This African American gospel hymn can well be understood as an updated adaptation of Psalm 5:8, with the "enemies" of the psalm treated as the pressures and temptations of daily life. As with the psalms, the "I" here is understood to express a shared communal experience.

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