

Welcome to Bethany's time of
PRAISE & WORSHIP
Christ the King Sunday
November 20, 2022

“Rise Up and Praise Him”

Let the heavens rejoice
Let the earth be glad
Let the people of God sing his praise all over the land
Everyone in the valley
Come and lift your voice
All those on the mountaintop be glad and shout for joy

Refrain

Rise up and praise Him, He deserves our love
Rise up and praise Him, worship the Holy One
With all your heart, with all your soul,
with all your mind
Rise up and praise Him *Repeat*

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REMEMBERING BETHANY'S MISSION

P: As a community, gathered by God's great grace,
we seek to live our mission of:

**C: being, living as, and making disciples of
Jesus Christ.**

**WELCOME,
MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS,
& REGISTRATION**

.. “I Could Sing of Your Love Forever”

Over the mountains and the sea,
Your river runs with love for me,
And I will open up my heart
And let the Healer set me free.
I'm happy to be in the truth,
And I will daily lift my hands,
For I will always sing
Of when Your love came down.

Refrain

I could sing of Your love forever
I could sing of Your love forever
I could sing of Your love forever
I could sing of Your love forever

Bridge

Oh, I feel like dancing.
It's foolishness I know.
But when the world
Has seen the light,
They will dance with joy
Like we're dancing now. *Refrain*

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**RESPONSIVE READING
for Christ the King Sunday**

L: The LORD reigns, He is robed in majesty;
and is armed with strength.

**C: The world is firmly established;
it cannot be moved.**

L: Your throne was established long ago;
You are from all eternity.

**C: The seas have lifted up, O Lord,
The seas have lifted up their voice;
The seas have lifted up their pounding
waves.**

L: Mightier than the thunder of the great water,
mightier than the breakers of the sea—
the LORD on high is mighty.

**C: Your statutes stand firm;
holiness adorns Your house
for endless days, O Lord.**

PRAYER FOR TODAY

O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to
know you is unending joy. We worship you, we
glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great
glory. Abide with us, reign in us, and make this
world into fit habitation for your divine majesty,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who
lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one
God, now and forever. **Amen.**

BIBLE READINGS

*Jeremiah 23: 1-6
Colossians 1: 11-20*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

**SPECIAL MUSIC: Agape Road
“Live Christ”**

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
He descended to the dead.
On the third day He rose again;
He ascended into heaven,
He is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and He will come to judge the living
and the dead. *over →*

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Response after each petition:

L: Hear us, O God

C: **your mercy is great.**

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 and ever. Amen.

"Open the Eyes of My Heart"

Refrain

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord
Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see you, I want to see you.

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GOSPEL READING

Luke 23: 33-43

MESSAGE

"Cry of My Heart"

Refrain

It is the cry of my heart to follow You
It is the cry of my heart to be close to You
It is the cry of my heart
to follow all of the days of my life.

Teach me Your holy ways oh Lord
So I can walk in Your truth
Teach me Your holy ways oh Lord
And make me wholly devoted to You *Refrain*

Open my eyes so I can see
the wonderful things that You do
Open my heart up more and more
and make me wholly devoted to You *Refrain*

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BLESSING

"I'll Fly Away"

Verse 1

Some glad morning when this life is o'er, I'll fly away
To a home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away

Chorus:

I'll fly away, O glory, I'll fly away
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by
I'll fly away

Verse 2

Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away
To a land where joys shall never end, I'll fly away *chorus*

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DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. With enthusiasm!

C: **Thanks be to God! And we will!**

*Thank you for worshipping
at Bethany today!*