



## CARMICHAEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**January 16, 2022**

***Livestream & In-Person***

**10:00 a.m.**

PRELUDE

**“Allegretto Cantando”**  
Randy Benfield, organ

Franck

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Click [HERE](#) to register your attendance

Pastor Keith L. DeVries

CALL TO WORSHIP

Kathy Lewin

Leader: God, stretching to the heavens—

**People: God, lofty like the clouds—**

Leader: God, mighty like the mountains—

**People: God, immense like the great deep—**

Leader: your salvation is expansive and generous, touching people and creatures alike.

**People: We rejoice in the measures of your steadfast love!**

\* HYMN

**“Sing of God Made Manifest”**

No. 156  
*Glory to God*

# Sing of God Made Manifest 156



1 Sing of God made man - i - fest in a child ro - bust and blest,  
2 Sing of God made man - i - fest when at Jor - dan John con - fessed,  
3 Sing of God made man - i - fest when Christ came as wed - ding guest  
4 Sing of God made man - i - fest on the cloud - capped moun - tain's crest,



to whose home in Beth - le - hem where a star had guid - ed them,  
"I should be bap - tized by you, but your bid - ding I will do."  
and at Ca - na gave a sign, turn - ing wa - ter in - to wine;  
where the law and proph - ets waned so that Christ a - lone re - mained:



ma - gi came and gifts un - bound, signs mys - te - rious and pro - found:  
Then from heaven a dou - ble sign—dove - like Spir - it, voice di - vine—  
fur - ther still was love re - vealed as he taught, for - gave, and healed,  
glimpse of glo - ry, pledge of grace, given as Je - sus set his face



myrrh and frank - in - cense and gold grave and God and king fore - told.  
hailed the true A - noint - ed One: "This is my be - lov - ed Son."  
bring - ing light and life to all who would lis - ten to God's call.  
towards the wait - ing cross and grave, sign of hope that God would save.



## CALL TO CONFESSION

Kathy Lewin

Leader: Let us humbly approach God's throne of grace to confess our sins and present ourselves honestly before our Savior.

## UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(based on 1 Corinthians 12:1-11)*

**You have blessed us with a variety of gifts, Holy God, but we are reluctant to share. We hoard what is most valuable and make excuses for ourselves when called to share. The Spirit has blessed each of us uniquely, but we hide our light under a bushel and fail to rise to our potential. God, forgive us and embolden us. Help us to claim our gifts and put them to good use. Amen.**

## SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Our God is a loving God, full of mercy. In Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. Believe in this forgiveness, be at peace, and respond in grateful service. Amen.

## \* RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

### **"Gloria Patri"**

Traditional

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.

## ANTHEM

### **"Teach Me Thy Song, O Lord"**

Courtney

Sanctuary Choir

(as recorded on October 18, 2015)

Teach me Thy song, O Lord, that song which graced creation's dawn  
And bid the firmament unfurl;

that bathed the newborn world in uncreated light--  
That song so bright. Teach me Thy song, O Lord.

Teach me Thy song, O Lord, that song which burst  
Thy Servant's heart to beat of blows upon the cross;  
His pain and bitterest loss--and death that should be mine--  
His song was Thine. Teach me Thy song, O Lord.

Teach me Thy song, O Lord, that song which swirls to wreath Thy throne,  
And bears the prayers of all Thine own;  
to Thee and thee alone by saints and angels raised--  
Thy name to praise. Teach me Thy song, O Lord.

## TIME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

SONG

**“Our God”**

Redman, Tomlin, Reeves

Water You turned into wine, opened the eyes of the blind  
There's not one like You, none like You  
Into the darkness You shine, out of the ashes we rise  
There's no one like You, none like You  
Our God is greater, our God is stronger  
God, You are higher than any other  
Our God is healer, awesome in power  
Our God, our God

And if our God is for us, then who could ever stop us?  
And if our God is with us, then what could stand against?  
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SCRIPTURE READING

John 2:1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. <sup>2</sup> Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. <sup>3</sup> When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, “They have no wine.” <sup>4</sup> And Jesus said to her, “Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.” <sup>5</sup> His mother said to the servants, “Do whatever he tells you.” <sup>6</sup> Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. <sup>7</sup> Jesus said to them, “Fill the jars with water.” And they filled them up to the brim. <sup>8</sup> He said to them, “Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.” So they took it. <sup>9</sup> When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom <sup>10</sup> and said to him, “Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.” <sup>11</sup> Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

SERMON

***Extravagance!***

Pastor Keith L. DeVries

SONG

**“More Than Amazing”**

Brewster

You're the One who walked on water and you calmed the raging seas  
You command the highest mountains to fall upon their knees.  
You're the One who welcomed sinners and you opened blinded eyes  
You restored the brokenhearted and you brought the dead to life  
Forgetting all our sins, You remember all Your promises  
You are amazing, more than amazing  
Forever our God, You're more than enough. You are amazing  
With authority You've spoken and You've set the captive free  
You're the King who came to serve and You're the God who washed our feet  
You're the One who took our burdens and you bled upon the cross  
In Your kindness and Your mercy You became the way for us  
Forgetting all our sins, You remember all Your promises  
Oh, how marvelous! Oh, how wonderful! Oh, how glorious! You are amazing  
Oh, how marvelous! Oh, how wonderful! Oh, how glorious You are!

## OFFERING

### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER *(based on Psalm 46)*

Pastor: God, our refuge and strength,

Shelter us from life's storms, from pandemic pain, from heartache and loss. Strengthen us to withstand the worry, the exhausting but necessary work, the temptations to stray from you toward idols who only offer fleeting comfort. Hold us close, like the mother hen who covers her chicks with her wing, so we can know we are yours, feel your steady presence, and know your peace.

God, you are in the midst of the city, the nations are in an uproar, the kingdoms totter. Help us to know your presence among us, God, comfort us with the strength of your guidance in a world experiencing so much pain and upheaval. May our world's leaders walk humbly and practice faithful discernment, surrounding themselves with honest truth-tellers who will hold them to your ethic of love and justice.

Come, let us behold the works of God, let us be still and know our God.

God, help us be still. Help us forget about the work still left undone, the chores piling up, the deadlines approaching. Help us to rest here, in your presence. Help us behold you and belong to you. We cannot continue without the rest you provide. Help us embrace this stillness as your great gift.

United as the Body of Christ we lift these prayers to you, Savior God. Hear us now, as we pray the prayer Christ taught us by saying together,

**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.**

## THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

### THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

The Lord whom we love, whom we worship and adore,  
We will serve throughout this coming week. He it is who binds us together,  
And He it is who sends us apart, to be God's people, be God's people. Amen.

## POSTLUDE

### "Postlude"

Polleri

\*Please stand if you are able.

Call to Worship from *Glory to God*

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