

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP - April 23rd, 2023—11:00 a.m.

Song of Ascent

I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord (#505)

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

*Please stand if you are able.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 9:9-11

LEADER: The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed,
a stronghold in times of trouble.

PEOPLE: **And those who know your name put their trust in you,
for you, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you.**

LEADER: Sing praises to the LORD, who sits enthroned in Zion!
Tell among the peoples his deeds!

ALL: **For he who avenges blood is mindful of them;
he does not forget the cry of the afflicted.**

*HYMN OF PRAISE*Father, Father of All Things, #106*

*INVOCATION

GOD INVITES US TO THE MEANS OF GRACE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Titus 2:11-14

Leader: In light of His coming, how now shall we live?

**People: For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people,
training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live
self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, waiting for
our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior
Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness
and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are
zealous for good works.**

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Philippians 2:14-16

*“Do all things without grumbling or disputing, that you may be blameless and innocent,
children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among
whom you shine as lights in the world...”*

SILENT AND PRIVATE CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

2 Corinthians 4:6

“For God, who said, ‘Let light shine out of darkness,’ has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.”

SCRIPTURE READING

Judges 11:29-40

OFFERTORY

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing (#457)

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN OF PREPARATION *My Faith Looks Up To Thee, #528*

SERMON

Matthew 17:14-23
“Your Little Faith”

Rev. David Hina

*HYMN OF RESPONSE *By Faith*

GOD BLESSES US & SENDS US OUT

*BENEDICTION

Jude 24-25

“Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.”

*Closing Hymn *Romans Doxology, v. 1*

**Oh, the depth of the riches, the wisdom of God
How unsearchable are His ways.
How profound are his judgments,
so high above our thoughts,
And His pathways no man can trace.**

**For from Him and through Him,
And to Him are all things!
To Him be glory forevermore!
To Him be glory forever!
Amen! Amen! Amen!**

POSTLUDE

Not What My Hands Have Done

Father, Father of All Things

How can I repay the LORD for all his goodness to me? I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the LORD. Ps. 116:12, 13

Unison D Asus A

1. Fa - ther, Fa - ther of all things, we bless you.
 2. Je - sus, on - ly Son of the liv - ing God,
 3. Spir - it, sent by the Son to dwell in us,

F# Bm G D

Fa - ther, we love and a - dore you. O Fa - ther, your chil - dren
 Je - sus, you will - ing - ly suf - fered that thro' you we might know his
 liv - ing and work - ing with - in us to make us more like

A G D

praise you. Fa - ther, Fa - ther of light and
 love. Je - sus, cleanse us, your peo - ple, and
 Je - sus; Spir - it, fall down up - on us as

A7 A F# Bm Bm/A

pow - er, Fa - ther, your great - ness sur - rounds the earth and
 fill us. Pour down your Spir - it up - on us that
 fi - re. Fill and e - quip us with pow - er and

G D Em7 A7 D 7

all of your chil - dren de - clare you are Lord.
 we as your bod - y may show forth your love.
 draw from us love and praise to the Lord.

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

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Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith. Heb. 12:1, 2

1. My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
2. May thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,
3. While life's dark maze I tread, and griefs a - round me spread,
4. When ends life's tran - sient dream, when death's cold, sul - len stream

Sav - ior di - vine: now hear me while I pray, take all my
my zeal in - spire; as thou hast died for me, O may my
be thou my guide; bid dark - ness turn to day, wipe sor - row's
shall o'er me roll, blest Sav - ior, then, in love, fear and dis -

guilt a - way, O let me from this day be whol - ly thine.
love to thee pure, warm, and change - less be, a liv - ing fire.
tears a - way, nor let me ev - er stray from thee a - side.
trust re - move; O bear me safe a - bove, a ran - sored soul.

By Faith

Words and Music by
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and Stuart Townend

Steadily (♩ = 76)

A D/A A Ama⁷ D/A A F#m⁷

1. By faith we see the hand of God in the light of cre - a - tion's grand de -
 2. By faith our fa - thers...roamed the earth with the pow'r of His prom - ise in their
 3. By faith the pro - phets... saw a day when the longed - for Mes - si - ah would ap -
 4. By faith the church was... called to go in the pow'r of the Spir - it to the
 5. By faith this moun - tain... shall be moved and the pow'r of the gos - pel shall pre -

Esus A/C# D F#m E/G# A F#m E D E F#m⁷

sign, in the lives of those who prove His faith - ful - ness,
 hearts, of a ho - ly cit - y built by God's own hand,
 pear with the pow'r to break the chains of sin and death
 lost to de - liv - er cap - tives and to preach good news
 vail, for we know in Christ all things are pos - si - ble

Dadd⁹ E A D/A A Refrain E/G# F#m D

1.3. 2.4.5.

who walk by faith and not by sight. reign. We will stand as chil - dren of the
 a place where peace and jus - tice reign. We will stand as chil - dren of the
 and rise tri - um - phant from the grave. earth. name.
 in ev - 'ry cor - ner... of the
 for all who call up - on His

A A/C# F#m D A E A E/G# F#m D

prom - ise; We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul's re - ward. Till the race is fin-ished and the

A C#m D Bm7 Dadd9 E A D/A A Ama7 D/A A

D.C. last time

work is done, we'll walk by faith and not by sight.

Providence APRIL Birthdays

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