

SENDING SONG

“Build My Life”

Verse 1
Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You
Verse 2
Jesus the name above ev'ry other name
Jesus the only one who could ever save
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You We live for You
Chorus
Holy there is no one like You
There is none beside You

Open up my eyes in wonder
and show me who You are
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me
(Repeat Verse 2)
(Repeat Chorus)
Bridge x2
I will build my life upon Your love
It is a firm foundation
I will put my trust in You alone
And I will not be shaken
(Repeat Chorus)

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GATHERING SONG

“We Are the Church”

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Refrain
I am the church! You are the church!
We are the church together!
All who follow Jesus, all around the world!
Yes, we're the church together!
1. The church is not a building,
the church is not a steeple,
the church is not a resting place,
the church is a people.
(Repeat Refrain)
2. We're many kinds of people,
with many kinds of faces,
all colors and all ages, too,
from all times and places.
(Repeat Refrain)

3. Sometimes the church is marching,
sometimes it's bravely burning,
sometimes it's riding, sometimes hiding,
always it's learning.
(Repeat Refrain)
4. And when the people gather,
there's singing and there's praying,
there's laughing and there's crying
sometimes, all of it saying:
(Repeat Refrain)
5. At Pentecost some people
received the Holy Spirit
and told the Good News through the world
to all who would hear it.
(Repeat Refrain)

GREETING/WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER

Leader: We gather with grateful hearts, remembering all that God has done.
All: We give thanks for one another and for the work God is doing among us.
Leader: We are not alone in this journey of faith.
All: We are partners—sharing our gifts, our prayers, our lives, and our love.
Leader: Christ calls us to participate in the work of the gospel.
All: With joy, we offer what we have and who we are.
Leader: Let us pray.....Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE

"The Joy"

Verse 1

*This is the day You made
So I'll rejoice and be glad
Rejoice and be glad in it*

*This is where I believe
That You are more than enough
More than enough for me*

Pre-Chorus

*You are faithful to Your promise
You are strong when I am weak
When I'm standing in Your presence
I have everything I need*

Chorus

The joy of the Lord
The joy of the Lord is my strength
The joy of the Lord
The joy of the Lord is my strength
O my soul bless His Name
All that is within me say

The joy of the Lord
The joy of the Lord is my strength

Verse 2

*Jesus come what may
You are worthy of all
Worthy of all my praise
Pre-Chorus
You are faithful to Your promise
You are strong when I am weak
When I'm standing in Your presence*

I have everything I need

(Repeat Chorus)

Bridge

*Let it rise up like a river
Overflowing Holy Spirit
Let it pour out with no limit
Overflowing Holy Spirit
(Repeat Chorus)*

SCRIPTURE READING Philippians 1:3-11

SERMON

"The Joy of Sharing"

Rev. Susan Rang

RESPONSE SONG

"Take My Life and Let It Be"

UMH 399

1. *Take my life, and let it be
consecrated, Lord, to thee.
Take my moments and my days;
let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my hands, and let them move
at the impulse of thy love.
Take my feet, and let them be
swift and beautiful for thee.*

2. *Take my voice, and let me sing
always, only, for my King.
Take my lips, and let them be
filled with messages from thee.*

*Take my silver and my gold;
not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect, and use
every power as thou shalt choose.
3. Take my will, and make it thine;
it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is thine own;
it shall be thy royal throne.
Take my love, my Lord, I pour
at thy feet its treasure-store.
Take myself, and I will be
ever, only, all for thee.*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic, and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power, and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good. We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of Man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death. We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need. We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen

INVITATION

KIDZ CHURCH Children ages 3yrs and up may go to Kidz Church in the Fellowship Hall

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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. Amen.

OFFERING

“Offering”

Choir