

## Sunday Worship Service

May 1, 2022

### Welcome & Announcements

*I'm so glad I'm a part of the family of God  
I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood.  
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,  
For I'm part of the family, the family of God.*

### Call to Worship [from Psalm 147 NIV]

Pastor: Praise the LORD. How good it is to sing praises to our God, how pleasant and fitting to praise Him! The LORD builds up Jerusalem; He gathers the exiles of Israel.

**People: He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds. He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name.**

Pastor: Great is our Lord and mighty in power; His understanding has no limit. The LORD sustains the humble but casts the wicked to the ground.

**People: Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving; make music to our God on the harp. He covers the sky with clouds; He supplies the earth with rain and makes grass grow on the hills.**

Pastor: He provides food for the cattle and for the young ravens when they call. His pleasure is not in the strength of the horse, nor His delight in the legs of a man;

**All: The LORD delights in those who fear him, who put their hope in His unfailing love.**

\*Hymn # 39 "This Is My Father's World"

### \*Presenting the Offering

The Doxology  
Offering Prayer

### Scripture Lessons

1 John 4:7-21  
John 20:19-31

[Pew Bible pg. 1396-97]  
[Pew Bible pg. 1235]

### Prayer:

Requests for those who are in need

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Song of response [Hymn # 204 chorus only]

*Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face, And the things of earth will grow strangely dim, In the light of His glory and grace.*

**Reading of the Text:** Romans 12:1-21 [NASB]

**Hymn # 334** "Be Thou My Vision"

**The Message:** "Keys to Successful Relationships"

**Confession of Faith:** [from The Heidelberg Catechism]

Pastor: What is your only comfort in life and in death?

**People: That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.**

**He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.**

**Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.**

### The Communion

\*Hymn # 243 "Room at the Cross for You"

### \*Singing the Benediction

*May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever,  
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor  
Lift up your eyes and see His face, and His grace forever  
May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.*

\*The Pledge of Allegiance

\*Prayer for our country in song: "God Bless America" [back of hymnal]

Church Calendar

Please join us in the basement for a time of cake and coffee as we say goodbye to Tom and Kelly!

Next Sunday's Hymns: # 441, 38, 176



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Organist: Glorine Hunt

**Praise for continued healing and health:** Kathy Tietz, Butch Jibben, Pat Deeg, Jimmie Christensen, Sandi Moss, Eileen Soli, Thelma Allison, Sarah Hammett, Rosa Stratman, Laura Willard.

## Prayer Needs:

- Mack Harris [Patrick Murphy's brother in law] Cancer treatment and healing
- Jerry Rumpza [Jo Rombough's son-in-law] undergoing cancer treatment
- Rob [Jerry & Harriet Sorum's son] battling lung disease
- Keith and his son Jeff [friends of Butch and Ines] struggling with hard times
- Karen Diekman [diagnosed with lung cancer] as she undergoes chemo and radiation treatment
- Kelli and Demetrius [Kathy Tietz's granddaughter]
- Dave [Glen Crabtree's brother] has Parkinson's disease
- Kenny Willard as he struggles with COPD
- Rhonda [Kathy Tietz's sister] dealing with high blood pressure
- Pat Deeg and Rosa Stratman: continued prayer for their full recovery
- Members of our military
- Ukraine's Christians suffering from the war
- Young Life, Wyld Life, The Gideons, Rainbow Bible Ranch Ministries

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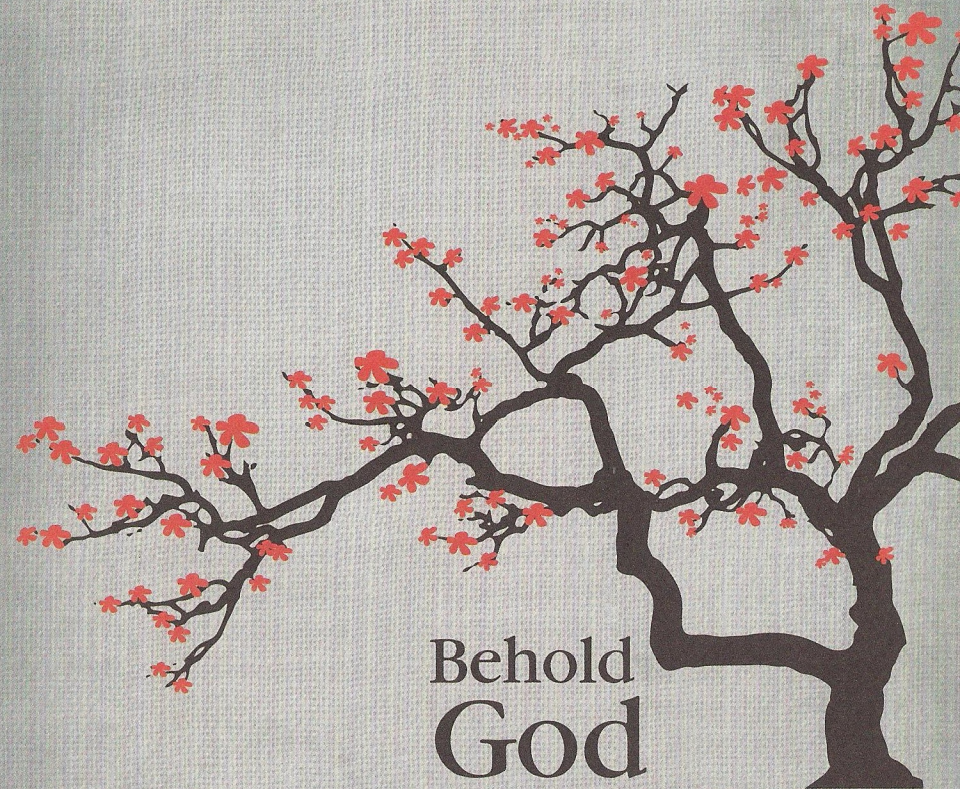
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Behold  
God  
is my helper;  
the **LORD**  
is the upholder  
of my life.

Psalm 54:4 ESV