



April 10, 2024

***Invitation to Praise**

The Praise Team

I Was Glad When They Said Unto Me

I was glad when they said unto me
I was glad when they said unto me
I was glad when they said unto me
Let us go into the house of the Lord

I found love in the house of the Lord
I found love in the house of the Lord
I found love in the house of the Lord
Let us go into the house of the Lord

I found joy in the house of the Lord
I found joy in the house of the Lord
I found joy in the house of the Lord
Let us go into the house of the Lord

I got healed in the house of the Lord
I got healed in the house of the Lord
I got healed in the house of the Lord
Let us go into the house of the Lord

Because He Lives

God sent His son, they called Him, Jesus;
He came to love, heal, and forgive;
He lived and died to buy me pardon,
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives!

Chorus:

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives, all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living
Just because He lives!

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,
And feel the pride and joy he brings;
But greater still the calm assurance:
This child can face uncertain days because He lives!

And then one day, I'll cross the river,
I'll fight life's final war with pain;
And then, as death gives way to victory,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives!

Daily I Will Worship Thee

Daily I will worship Thee
Lamb of God who died for me
Who extended endless mercy
Daily I will worship Thee

***Call to Worship**

Rev. Charlene A. Wingate

Please stand (in body or spirit, as you are able) and join in our Call to Worship.

One: Jesus Christ is in our midst.

***All:* He has risen from the dead.**

One: With love and light Christ makes us new.

***All:* Fresh mercies with each morning dew.**

One: Let us lift our hands, rejoice and sing!

***All:* To heaven's realm, let our praises ring.
Come, let us worship Jesus Christ
together.**

***Opening Prayer**

***Welcome One Another**

Life of the Community

Rev. Charlene A. Wingate

Call for the Offering

Rev. Charlene A. Wingate

Today's Musical Leader: Pastor Terrance L. Kennedy

Offertory Hymn

***Please stand as you are able.**

The Lord is Blessing Me Right Now

The Lord is blessing me right now, Oh right now
The Lord is blessing me right now, Oh right now
God woke me up this morning and started me on my way
The Lord is blessing me right now, Oh right now

Psalter Scripture Lesson

Rev. Jabe Ziino

Psalm 133:1-3

¹How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity! ²It is like the precious oil on the head, running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the collar of his robes. ³It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion. For there the Lord ordained his blessing, life forevermore.

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

***All:* Thanks be to God.**

Sermonic Selection

Pastor Terrance L. Kennedy

Sermon *Unity, Not Uniformity* Rev. Mira Sawlani-Joyner

Moment of Silent Reflection

Holy Communion

Rev. Charlene A. Wingate

Great Prayer Of Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.

***All:* And with your spirit.**

One: Lift up your hearts.

***All:* We lift them up unto the Lord.**

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***All:* It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Prayer

Rev. Charlene A. Wingate

***Benediction**

Rev. Mira Sawlani-Joyner

***Closing Song**

I Feel Like Goin' On

