

# Youth Sunday

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD  
Olney, Maryland

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*Even though times are tough:*

*Jesus*



*You*

*We love because he first loved us.*

*1 John 4:19*

# WELCOME

We welcome you to our Youth Sunday service because even though times are hard, Jesus loves you!

## OPENING HYMN

## Blessed Be Your Name

Matt Redman and Beth Redman

$\text{♩} = 116$

### VERSE

B F# G#m7

1. Bless - ed be \_\_\_ Your name \_ in the land that \_\_\_ is plen -
2. Bless - ed be \_\_\_ Your name \_ when I'm found in \_\_\_ the des -
3. Bless - ed be \_\_\_ Your name \_ when the sun's shin - ing down .
4. Bless - ed be \_\_\_ Your name \_ on the road marked \_ with suf -

4 E B F#

- ti - ful, \_\_\_ where Your streams of \_\_\_ a - bun - dance flow, \_ bless-ed \_  
- ert place, \_ though I walk through \_ the wil - der - ness, \_ bless-ed \_  
- on me, \_\_\_ when the world's "all \_\_\_ as it \_\_\_ should be." \_\_\_ bless-ed \_  
- fer - ing, \_\_\_ though there's pain in \_\_\_ the of - fer - ing, \_\_\_ bless-ed \_

7 E 1, 3. 2, 4. PRE-CHORUS B F#

- \_\_\_ be Your name. \_ Ev-'ry bless - ing You pour out I'll  
\_\_\_ be Your name. \_  
\_\_\_ be Your name. \_  
\_\_\_ be Your name. \_

12 G#m7 E B F#

- turn back to praise. When the dark - ness clos - es in, Lord,

16 G#m7 E B F# CHORUS

- still I will say, "Bless-ed be the name of \_\_\_ the \_ Lord, \_ bless-ed be Your

20 G#m7 E B

name. Bless - ed be the name of \_\_\_ the \_\_\_ Lord, \_

23 F# G#m7 F# E Last time to Coda ⊕

\_ bless - ed be Your glo - ri - ous name." \_

26 1. 2. BRIDGE B F#

You give and take a - way, You

30 G#m7 E B F#

give and take a - way. My heart will choose to say, "Lord,

34 G#m7 1. E 2. E D.S. al Coda

Bless - ed be Your name." \_ You name." \_ Bless - ed be the

37 ⊕ Coda E B

## + CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

*(Please Rise)*

*(The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)*

**L** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** **Amen.**

**L** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C** **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.)

**L** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C** **Most merciful God, you put us in a beautiful world, and you tell us to love one another. Instead, we choose greed and selfishness, we forget to care for your world, and we forget to love one another as you taught us. Please forgive us for our sins, help us remember your plan for your creation. Amen.**

**L** In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. As 1 John 4:19 states: We love because he first loved us. Because he first loved us, he redeemed us so we can go into the world and show his love.

**C** **Amen.**

## HYMN

## He Will Come and Save You

Words and Music by  
Bob Fitts and Gary Sadler

**VERSE**

E B C#m A E B



1. Say to those who are fear - ful heart - ed, "Do not be a - fraid";  
2. Say to those who are bro - ken - heart - ed, "Do not lose your faith";

4 A E B C#m A



The Lord, your God, is strong — with His might - y arms. —  
The Lord, your God, is strong — with His lov - ing arms. —

7 E/G# B A B E A<sup>2</sup>/E



— When you call on His name; — He will come — and save. —  
— When you call on His name; — He will come — and save. —

§ **CHORUS**

11 E A B E E/G#



He will come and save — you, — He will come and

14 A B C#m A E/B



save — you; — Say to the wear - y one, "Your God will sure-

17 B E/G# A B<sup>sus</sup> B E

- ly come, He will come and save you. He will come and

20 A B E E/G# A B

save you, He will come and save you;

23 C#m A E/B B E/G#

Lift up your eyes to Him, you will arise again, He will come and

26 1. A B<sup>sus</sup> B A 2, 3. A B<sup>sus</sup> B E Fine

save you. save you.

**BRIDGE**

30 C#m B/D# E

He is our refuge in the day of trouble, He is our shelter in the

33 F#m<sup>7</sup> E/G# A E/G#

time of storm; He is our tower in the day of sorrow, our

36 F#m B<sup>sus</sup> B E D.S. al Fine

for - tress in the time of war. He will come and

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**+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**L** Dear Jesus, we thank you for your immeasurable love and Holiness that is constantly in our lives. Please help us to appreciate all of your doings and seek to follow your Word, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit always.

**C Amen.**

*(Please Be Seated)*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

*Isaiah 41:8–16*

<sup>8</sup>But you, Israel, my servant,  
    Jacob, whom I have chosen,  
    the offspring of Abraham, my friend;  
<sup>9</sup>you whom I took from the ends of the earth,  
    and called from its farthest corners,  
saying to you, “You are my servant,  
    I have chosen you and not cast you off”;  
<sup>10</sup>fear not, for I am with you;  
    be not dismayed, for I am your God;  
I will strengthen you, I will help you,  
    I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.  
<sup>11</sup>Behold, all who are incensed against you  
    shall be put to shame and confounded;  
those who strive against you  
    shall be as nothing and shall perish.  
<sup>12</sup>You shall seek those who contend with you,  
    but you shall not find them;  
those who war against you  
    shall be as nothing at all.  
<sup>13</sup>For I, the LORD your God,  
    hold your right hand;  
it is I who say to you, “Fear not,  
    I am the one who helps you.”  
<sup>14</sup>Fear not, you worm Jacob,  
    you men of Israel!  
I am the one who helps you, declares the LORD;  
    your Redeemer is the Holy One of Israel.  
<sup>15</sup>Behold, I make of you a threshing sledge,  
    new, sharp, and having teeth;  
you shall thresh the mountains and crush them,  
    and you shall make the hills like chaff;  
<sup>16</sup>you shall winnow them, and the wind shall carry them away,  
    and the tempest shall scatter them.  
And you shall rejoice in the LORD;  
    in the Holy One of Israel you shall glory.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM**

<sup>1</sup>To you, O LORD, I call;  
 my rock, be not deaf to me,  
 lest, if you be silent to me,  
 I become like those who go down to the pit.

**<sup>2</sup>Hear the voice of my pleas for mercy,  
 when I cry to you for help,  
 when I lift up my hands  
 toward your most holy sanctuary.**

<sup>3</sup>Do not drag me off with the wicked,  
 with the workers of evil,  
 who speak peace with their neighbors  
 while evil is in their hearts.

**<sup>4</sup>Give to them according to their work  
 and according to the evil of their deeds;  
 give to them according to the work of their hands;  
 render them their due reward.**

<sup>5</sup>Because they do not regard the works of the LORD  
 or the work of his hands,  
 he will tear them down and build them up no more.

**<sup>6</sup>Blessèd be the LORD!  
 For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.**

<sup>7</sup>The LORD is my strength and my shield;  
 in him my heart trusts, and I am helped;  
 my heart exults,  
 and with my song I give thanks to him.

**<sup>8</sup>The LORD is the strength of his people;  
 he is the saving refuge of his anointed.**

<sup>9</sup>Oh, save your people and bless your heritage!  
 Be their shepherd and carry them forever.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son  
 and to the Holy Spirit;  
 as it was in the be-ginning,  
 is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING***1 Corinthians 13*

<sup>1</sup>If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup>And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup>If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

<sup>4</sup>Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant <sup>5</sup>or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; <sup>6</sup>it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. <sup>7</sup>Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

<sup>8</sup>Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. <sup>9</sup>For we know in part and we prophesy in part, <sup>10</sup>but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. <sup>11</sup>When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. <sup>12</sup>For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.

<sup>13</sup>So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

*(Please Rise)*

## **HOLY GOSPEL**

*John 15:1-13*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifteenth chapter.

**C Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>“I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. <sup>2</sup>Every branch of mine that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. <sup>3</sup>Already you are clean because of the word that I have spoken to you. <sup>4</sup>Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. <sup>5</sup>I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. <sup>6</sup>If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. <sup>7</sup>If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. <sup>8</sup>By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples. <sup>9</sup>As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. <sup>10</sup>If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and abide in his love. <sup>11</sup>These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

<sup>12</sup>“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.

<sup>13</sup>Greater love has no one than this, that someone lays down his life for his friends.

**L** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C Praise to You, O Christ.**

*(Please Be Seated)*

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

By Your Blood

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**HYMN**

Jesus Loves Me

*Sunday Schoolers*

**SKIT**

The Fishy Encounter

*OGSLY*

*(Please Rise)*

**APOSTLES' CREED**

**C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day He rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life † everlasting. Amen.**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**L** Good and gracious God, we pray and give thanks for the gifts we have and will receive. They are more than we can ask for or ever imagine, help us share Your love with everyone.

**C Lord in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

**L** We pray for the public servants and leaders in our country including teachers, doctors, church workers, and Pastors.

**C Lord in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

**L** We pray for our Good Shepherd congregation: For the ministry of the Shepherd's Care preschool, for our Sunday school ministry, children, and teachers, for our Youth groups and leaders, for Pastor Tim, Maria, and their leadership; for the Elders and Church Staff, volunteers, and Lay leaders.

**C** **Lord in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

**L** We pray for the ill, the needy, those who mourn, and for those who need to remember that even though times are tough, Jesus loves you.

**C** **Lord in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

*(Please be seated)*

**HYMN**

**My Lighthouse**

Words and Music by  
Gareth Gilkeson and Chris Llewellyn

*♩ = 110* **INTRO** **VERSE**

C C

1. In my wres - tling, \_ and  
2. In the si - lence, \_ You  
3. I won't fear what \_ to -

4 F<sup>2</sup> C F<sup>2</sup> C G<sup>sus</sup> C

in \_ my doubts, in my fail - ures, \_ You won't walk \_ out. Your great love will \_  
won't \_ let go. In the ques - tions, \_ Your truth will \_ hold. Your great love will \_  
-mor - row brings. With each morn - ing, \_ I'll rise and \_ sing. My God's love will \_

8 F<sup>2</sup> C F<sup>2</sup> C/E G<sup>sus</sup> C

lead me through; You are the peace \_ in my trou - bled sea, whoa oh,  
lead me through; You are the peace \_ in my trou - bled sea, whoa oh,  
lead me through; You are the peace \_ in my trou - bled sea, whoa oh,

11 F<sup>2</sup> C/E G<sup>sus</sup> C

1. You are the peace \_ in my trou - bled sea.  
You are the peace \_ in my trou - bled sea.  
You are the peace \_ in my trou - bled sea.

15 2, 3. **CHORUS** F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> F<sup>2</sup> C

My Light - house, \_ my Light - house \_ shin - ing in the dark - ness,

19 Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup>

I will fol-low You! \_ Oh, \_ my Light - house, \_ my Light - house, \_

22 F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> F<sup>2</sup> C

I will trust the prom - ise: You will car-ry me \_ safe \_ to shore, \_

25 G F<sup>2</sup> C G

\_ safe to shore, \_ safe to

28 F<sup>2</sup> C G C

shore, \_ safe to shore.

32 BRIDGE F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G

Fire \_ be - fore us, \_ You're \_ the bright - est. \_

35 F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G Am<sup>7</sup> G

You \_ will lead us \_ through the storms. through the storms. Hey!

38 Am<sup>7</sup> G F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G

through the storms. Fire \_ be - fore us, \_ You're \_ the bright - est. \_

41 CHORUS F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G F<sup>2</sup> C

You \_ will lead \_ us \_ through the storms. My Light - house, \_

44 Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup>  
 my Light - house \_ shin - ing in the dark - ness, I will fol - low You! \_ Oh, \_\_\_\_

47 F<sup>2</sup> C Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> F<sup>2</sup> C  
 my Light - house, \_ my Light - house, \_ I will trust the prom - ise:

50 Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> F<sup>2</sup> C G  
 You will car - ry me \_ safe \_ to shore, \_\_\_\_\_ safe to

53 F<sup>2</sup> C G  
 shore, \_\_\_\_\_ safe to

55 F<sup>2</sup> C G C  
 shore, \_\_\_\_\_ safe to shore.

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*(Please Rise)*

## 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 and ever. Amen.**

# BLESSING

**L** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.  
 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.

# C Amen

*(Please Be Seated)*

## HYMN TO DEPART

## Awesome God

Words and Music by  
Rich Mullins

*♩=74* VERSE  
Cm

1. When He rolls up His sleeves — He ain't just "put-tin' on the ritz"— Our  
 (2. When the) sky — was star - less in the void — of the night— Our

3 Fm<sup>7</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> Cm Gm<sup>7</sup>/C Cm<sup>7</sup>

God is an awe - some God! There is thun - der in His foot - steps — and  
 God is an awe - some God! He spoke in — to the dark-ness and cre -

6 Fm<sup>7</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> Cm

light - ning in His fists— Our God is an awe - some God! The  
 - a - ted the — Our God is an awe - some God!

9 Fm<sup>7</sup>

Lord — was - n't jok - ing when He kicked 'em out of E - den, it  
 Judg - ment and wrath — He poured — out on Sod - om,

11 Gm<sup>7</sup> A<sup>b</sup>

was -n't for no rea-son that He shed — His — blood; His re - turn is ver - y close and so you'd  
 mer - cy and grace — He — gave — us at the cross. I hope that we have — not — too

14 **CHORUS**  
 Fm<sup>7</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> Cm A<sup>b</sup>  
 bet - ter be be - liev - in' that our God is an awe - some God! Our God is an  
 quick - ly for - got - ten that our God is an awe - some God!

18 E<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup> Cm A<sup>b</sup>  
 awe - some God, He \_ reigns from \_ heav - en a - bove; With \_ wis - dom, \_

22 **CHORUS**  
 E<sup>b</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>+</sup> G<sup>7</sup> Cm A<sup>b</sup>  
 pow'r and love— our God is an awe - some God. Our \_ God is an

26 E<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup> Cm A<sup>b</sup>  
 awe - some God, He \_ reigns from \_ heav - en a - bove; With \_ wis - dom, \_

30 **INSTRUMENTAL**  
 E<sup>b</sup> Fm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>+</sup> G<sup>7</sup> Cm Fm<sup>7</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup>  
 pow'r and love— our God is an awe - some God! 2. When the

36 2.  
 Fm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>+</sup> G<sup>7</sup> Cm  
 God is an awe - some God! Our

38 **ENDING**  
 Fm<sup>7</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> 1. Cm 2. Cm  
 God is an awe - some God! Our God!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### DISMISSAL

**L** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**G** Thanks be to God.

### POSTLUDE

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**We are very thankful for the Youth who led our Worship Service today  
and for the Adults who mentor our young people.**

#### **OGLSY Youth**

Lena Wilson  
Connor Wilson  
Hannah Ehrlich  
Grace Haddad  
Adam Reinhold  
Eli Reinhold  
Christopher Cannady

Silas Reinhold  
Elizabeth Rajnik  
Jake Wald  
Lucas Wald  
Emma Baker  
Vittoria Satterlee

Luca Satterlee  
Melissa Deedy  
Elle Ruspi  
Nicole Carrasco  
Regan Carrasco  
Marquise Young

#### **Sunday Schoolers**

Treasure  
Alex  
Patrick  
Lillian  
Khloe

Sophie  
Thaddaeus  
Marissa  
Ele  
Benny

Matthew  
Eliza  
Rosie  
Joan

#### **OGLSY Leadership Team**

Colette Carter  
Steve Gordon  
David Reinhold  
Adam Hillhouse  
Barbara Gordon  
Andy Carpenter  
Alexa Ruspi

#### **Sunday School Leadership Team**

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## + SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

*(Stand)*

### **PREFACE**

*LSB 208*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** **We lift them to the Lord.**

**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C** **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

### **THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

### **PAX DOMINI**

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** **Amen.**

### **DISTRIBUTION**

Take, eat; this is the true body of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, given into death for your sins.

**Amen.**

Take, drink; this is the true blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, shed for the forgiveness of your sins.

**Amen.**

*(In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:)*

**P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart ✠ in peace.

**C** **Amen.**