



RESURRECTION OAKLAND

Sunday, August 2, 2020

Resurrection Oakland is a church that welcomes those who are convinced of the claims of Christianity, those who are unconvinced, and those who are somewhere in between. We don't have all the answers, nor do we have it all together. Rather, we are broken, messy people who are learning the way of Jesus and seeking to love our neighbor and city. We are so glad you are here and would love for you to join us in this mission.



PRELUDE

My Jesus, I Love Thee

My Jesus, I love thee I know thou art mine
For thee, all the follies of sin, I resign
My gracious Redeemer, my Savior, art thou
If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now

I love thee because thou hast first loved me
And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree
I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow
If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now

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CALL TO WORSHIP (1 John 4)

Leader: God has shown his love to us!

All: *Father, you sent your only Son into the world so we might live through him.*

Leader: Jesus has given us life from his life,
from his very own Spirit.

All: *Jesus, let us continue to live in your love.*

Leader: Everyone who confesses that Jesus
is God's Son is in intimate relationship with
the Father.

All: *Holy Spirit, let us confess and sing of
your love! Amen.*

SONGS OF PRAISE

Hosanna

As you rode into Jerusalem
The city filled the street with palms
Now you've come here like a rushing wind
And we will join with their response
(We'll sing)

Chorus

Hosanna, hosanna in the highest
When you come, everything must change
Hosanna, now that you're here
This place will never be the same

As you walked the road to Calvary
The cross weighed down with all our sins
Your death paid what you did not owe
So we can sing in freedom
(We'll sing)

Bridge

You are welcome here
You are welcome here
Life is changed forevermore
As you've come before
Now you have appeared
Life is changed forevermore

Now we wait for you expectantly
You promised us you would return
The prophets said, "Your King will come"
So, we rest our hope on that sure Word

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CONFESSION OF FAITH

from the *Apostles' Creed* (4th century)

All: *I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and buried;
He descended into hell.
On the third day,
he rose again from the dead,
ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand
of God, the Father Almighty.
From there, he will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.*

King of Kings

In the darkness, we were waiting
Without hope, without light
Till from heaven, you came running
There was mercy in your eyes
To fulfill the law and prophets
To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

Chorus

Praise the Father, praise the Son
 Praise the Spirit: Three in One
 God of glory, Majesty
 Praise forever to the King of kings

To reveal the kingdom coming
 And to reconcile the lost
 To redeem the whole creation
 You did not despise the cross
 For even in your suffering
 You saw to the other side
 Knowing this was our salvation
 Jesus, for our sake, you died

And the morning that you rose
 All of heaven held its breath
 'Till that stone was moved for good
 For the Lamb had conquered death
 And the dead rose from their tombs
 And the angels stood in awe
 For the souls of all who'd come
 To the Father are restored
 And the Church of Christ was born
 Then, the Spirit lit the flame
 Now this Gospel truth of old
 Shall not kneel, shall not faint
 By his blood and in his name
 In his freedom I am free
 For the love of Jesus Christ
 Who has resurrected me

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CONFESSION OF SIN

All: *Mighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak and abuse the earth you made. We ask for your forgiveness. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of abundant life in Christ, the risen King. Amen.*

Silent confession

Word of Assurance (Romans 8)

Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, can separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

SONG OF ASSURANCE**There is a Fountain**

There is a fountain filled with blood
 Drawn from Immanuel's veins
 And sinners plunged beneath the flood
 Lose all their guilty stains
 Lose all their guilty stains
 Lose all their guilty stains
 And sinners plunged beneath the flood
 Lose all their guilty stains

Dear dying Lamb, your precious blood
 Will never lose its power
 Until all the ransomed Church of God
 Be saved, to sin no more
 Be saved, to sin no more
 Be saved, to sin no more
 Until all the ransomed Church of God
 Be saved, to sin no more

When this poor lisping, stammering tongue
 Lies silent in the grave
 Then, in a nobler, sweeter song
 I will sing your power to save
 I will sing your power to save
 I will sing your power to save
 Then, in a nobler, sweeter song
 I will sing your power to save

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COMMUNITY LIFE

During this time of announcements & virtually greeting one another, find the resources below and more by visiting our website and clicking on the **"Weekly Ministries"** & **"Sunday Broadcast"** buttons on our home page banner:

- **Newcomers + Weekly Email:** Stay up to date by signing up for our weekly updates.
- **Broadcast Services through August:** We will continue to have broadcasted services through August. Please sign up for our weekly email to get updates on gathered services.
- **ResKids Back to School Gift Bags:** Families of ResKids, get your masks & drive by the church on August 9th between 3-5pm for a school gift!
- **MLK Jr. Elementary:** Our neighbors at MLK Jr. Elementary are looking for volunteers to help with chrome book distribution to families next week August 3-7th from 9am-1pm. Contact Amanda to help: amanda.e.collison@gmail.com.
- **Do You Need Care:** If you have spiritual, financial, or other practical needs, let us know.
- **Congregational Prayer:** Prayer via Zoom every Tues from 12-12:30pm.
- **Instagram:** If you're watching, follow & tag @resoakland in an Instagram story or two!

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
 Praise him, all creatures here below
 Praise him above, ye heavenly host
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost
 Amen, amen, amen, amen

*Words: Thomas Ken (1674); Tune: "Old Hundredth";
 Arrangement: David Crowder*



A READING FROM PHILIPPIANS 1

1 Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, to all the saints in Christ Jesus at Philippi, together with the overseers and deacons: 2 Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

3 I thank my God every time I remember you. 4 In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy 5 because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, 6 being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

7 It is right for me to feel this way about all of you, since I have you in my heart and, whether I am in chains or defending and confirming the gospel, all of you share in God's grace with me. 8 God can testify how I long for all of you with the affection of Christ Jesus. 9 And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, 10 so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, 11 filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God.

This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Sermon & Series: Discovering Joy
Preaching Pastor: Rev. Brent Webster



OFFERING

In response to God's goodness, we will have a time to offer our gifts and our praises to God.

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Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer
 There is no more for heaven now to give
 He is my joy, my righteousness & freedom
 My steadfast love
 My deep and boundless peace
 To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
 For my life is wholly bound to his
 Oh how strange and divine
 I can sing: all is mine
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken
 For by my side, the Savior, he will stay
 I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
 For in my need, his power is displayed
 To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me
 Through the deepest valley, he will lead
 Oh the night has been won & I shall overcome
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven
 The future sure, the price it has been paid
 For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
 And he was raised to overthrow the grave
 To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
 Jesus now and ever is my plea
 Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
 For he has said that he will bring me home
 And day by day I know he will renew me
 Until I stand with joy before the throne
 To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
 All the glory evermore to him
 When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat
 Yet not I, but through Christ in me

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BLESSING & SENDING

***All:** Our Father, who is in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*