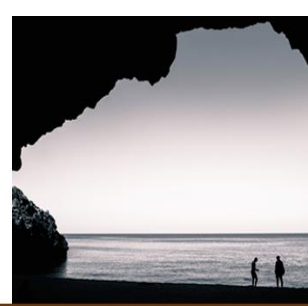


WORSHIP *at Home*



BETHEL CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Sunday, April 11, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Praise: "We Believe"

Opening Prayer:

God of grace:

We come with all we have; bodies, souls, minds, all here to worship you. We have come for a glimpse of your kingdom of kindness-- a world where love rules overall, a world where enemies embrace, distinctions between friend and foe evaporating in the light of your love. We dedicate this hour of worship to you and to your kingdom come. Amen.

Gathering Song: "Build Your Kingdom Here"

God's Greeting

Song of Praise: "Spirit of the Living God"

Call to Confession

Jesus said, "If you love me, you will obey what I command and I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever—the Spirit of truth. Whoever has my commands and obeys them, he is the one who loves me.

He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him."

Let us confess our sin to God.

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God,

you made us in your image,

with a mind to know you,

a heart to love you,

and a will to serve you.

But our knowledge is imperfect,

our love inconstant,

our obedience incomplete.

Day by day, we fail to grow into your likeness.

In your tender love, forgive us

through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Song of Assurance:

"Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)"

Children's Blessing: [Children's Video](#)

Offering: *Bethel Budget & Christian Education*

Prayer for Illumination

Hearing God's Word

Scripture:

Genesis 18:16-33

Message:

"God's Friend"

Song of Response:

"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

Prayers of God's People

Closing Praise:

"Now Blessed be the Lord Our God."

Parting Blessing

Doxology: "Our God is an Awesome God"

Online Update

We will be livestreaming from our Facebook page via this link:

[Direct link to the service](#)

You can also watch it later thru Vimeo, through our [website](#), or on

[RightNow Media](#)