

Refrain: But I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I've committed unto him against that day.
2. I know not how this saving faith to me he did impart, nor how believing in his word wrought peace within my heart. [Refrain]
3. I know not how the Spirit moves, convincing us of sin, revealing Jesus through the word, creating faith in him. [Refrain]
4. I know not when my Lord may come, at night or noonday fair, nor if I walk the vale with him, or meet him in the air. [Refrain]

SCRIPTURE READING
MATTHEW 25:1-13

SERMON
"BE PREPARED"

ANTHEM
GLORY TO THE LAMB
LARRY DEMPSEY
ARR. BY KEN BARKER

***HYMN OF INVITATION**
FREELY, FREELY

#389
WORDS AND MUSIC BY CAROL OWENS
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1. God forgave my sin in Jesus' name, I've been born again in Jesus' name, and in Jesus' name I come to you, to share his love as he told me to.

Refrain: He said, "Freely, freely you have received, freely, freely give. Go in my name, and because you believe, others will know that I live."

2. All power is given in Jesus' name, in earth and heaven in Jesus' name, and in Jesus' name I come to you, to share his power as he told me to.
[Refrain]

***BENEDICTION**

***SENDING FORTH**
ON JORDAN'S STORMY BANKS I STAND

#724, v. 4
WORDS BY SAMUEL STENNETT
MUSIC FROM *THE SOUTHERN HARMONY*
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4. When I shall reach that happy place, I'll be forever blest, for I shall see my Father's face, and in his bosom rest.

Refrain: I am bound for the promised land, I am bound for the promised land; oh, who will come and go with me? I am bound for the promised land.

POSTLUDE
ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS
BY ARTHUR SULLIVAN
ARR. BY FRED BOCK



"Be Prepared"
Matthew 25:1-13

March 13, 2022
Second Sunday in Lent
Scout Sunday Worship
in the Sanctuary & Online
10:00 AM



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE
THE OLD RUGGED CROSS
JERRY RAY

WELCOME HOME!

*FLAG PRESENTATION & PLEDGE
BOY SCOUTS TROOP 30

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP
SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL
GLORIA & WILLIAM GAITHER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O merciful Father, in compassion for your sinful children
you sent your Son Jesus Christ to be the Savior of the world.
Grant us grace to feel and to lament our share of the evil
that made it necessary for him to suffer and to die for our salvation.
**Congregation: Help us by self-denial, prayer, and meditation
to prepare our hearts for deeper penitence and a better life.
And give us a true longing to be free from sin, through the
deliverance won by Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.**

*HYMN OF PRAISE
ON JORDAN'S STORMY BANKS I STAND
#724, v. 1-3
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1. On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye to Canaan's
fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.
Refrain: I am bound for the promised land, I am bound for the
promised land; oh, who will come and go with me? I am bound for the
promised land.
2. O'er all those wide extended plains shines one eternal day; there God
the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away. [Refrain]
3. No chilling winds or poisonous breath can reach that healthful shore;
sickness and sorrow, pain and death, are felt and feared no more.
[Refrain]

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Leader: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic
and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:
**Congregation: We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power,
and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever
directed to his children's good. We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God
and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace,**

the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and
death. We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives,
whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and
find strength and help in time of need. We believe that this faith should
manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our
blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the
earth. Amen.

RELIGIOUS AWARDS
GIRL SCOUT TROOP 229

SHARING OF OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER
MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE

#452, v. 1 & 2
WORDS FROM RAY PALMER
MUSIC FROM LOWELL MASON
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1. My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine! Now
hear me while I pray, take all my guilt away, O let me from this day be
wholly thine!
2. May thy rich grace impart strength to my fainting heart, my zeal
inspire! As thou hast died for me, O may my love to thee pure, warm,
and changeless be, a living fire!

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING PRAYER & RETURN OF GOD'S TITHES & GIFTS

*DOXOLOGY
PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

#94
WORDS BY THOMAS KEN
MUSIC FROM *GEISTLICHE KIRCHENGESANGE*
ARR. BY RALPH VAUGHAN WILLIAMS
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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here
below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise
Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia!

DISMISSAL OF CHILDEN FOR CHILDREN'S CHURCH

HYMN OF FAITH
I KNOW WHOM I HAVE BELIEVED

#714
WORDS BY DANIEL W. WHITTLE
MUSIC BY JAMES MCGRANAHAN
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1. I know not why God's wondrous grace to me he hath made known,
nor why, unworthy, Christ in love redeemed me for his own.