



Worship of God in Christ July 17, 2022



"The Jubilee Year" by Yoram Raanan

6th Sunday after Pentecost

Marking of the Hour Barbara Moore
*We mark the hour, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us to the voice of Christ,
and centering us in the embrace of the Holy Spirit.*

Opening Words Rev. William Brown

Prelude – “All People That On Earth Do Dwell” (arr. Drischner) B. Moore

Lighting the Candles
*We light these candles to welcome the Spirit, for they represent how Jesus is the
Light of the world which guides us through life.*

Opening the Bible
We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to us through the Holy Word.

Call to Worship Rev. Val Fisk

Leader: God says, “Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters.

People: Come, you who have no money. Come, buy, and eat!”

Leader: We have come to feast on the living bread, that we might
minister to the world’s hungers.

**People: We have come to drink from the waters of life, that we might
minister to the world’s thirst.**

Leader: Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for
they shall be filled.

People: Let us worship God, the Source of every blessing. Amen.

*Hymn – “When the Poor Ones”

*Invocation Will Cooke

Greeting Will Cooke

*Please take a moment to pass and sign the red booklets found in each row
so that we have a record of your presence with us today.*

Missions Moment – Dinner with Andrew Colleen Baber

Children’s Sermon Erin Brown

*Hymn – “Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

Gospel Lesson – Luke 4:16-20 David Waters

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Morning Prayer and Blessing

Rev. Fisk

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*Doxology

Old Testament Lesson – Deuteronomy 15:12-18

Laura Martindale

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Anthem – “Lord, Here Am I” (arr. Beck)

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon – “The Sabbatical Year”

Dr. Matthew Tennant

Meditation

Barbara Moore

Invitation

Dr. Tennant

*If you are interested in joining University Baptist Church or speaking
with a minister, please come forward as we sing our final hymn.*

*Hymn – “Live into Hope”

Reflection

Rev. Brown

Sending Prayer

Dr. Tennant

Choral Benediction – “Beautiful Savior” (arr. Fettke)

Sanctuary Choir

*Postlude – “Whatever God Ordains Is Right” (arr. Cherwein) Barbara Moore

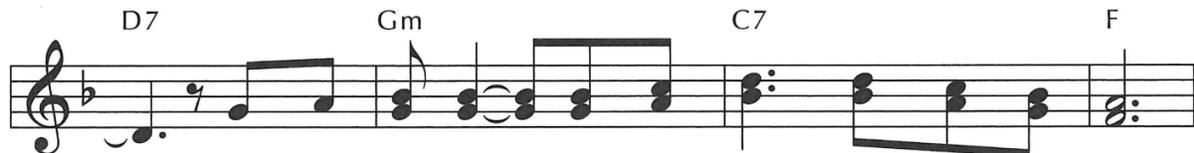
** Please rise as you are able, in body or spirit.*

When the Poor Ones

Quando el pobre



1 When the poor ones who have noth - ing share with strang - ers,
2 When at last all those who suf - fer find their com - fort,
3 When our joy fills up our cup to o - ver - flow - ing,
4 When our homes are filled with good - ness in a - bun - dance,



when the thirst - y wa - ter give un - to us all,
when they hope though e - ven hope seems hope - less - ness,
when our lips can speak no words oth - er than true,
when we learn how to make peace in - stead of war,

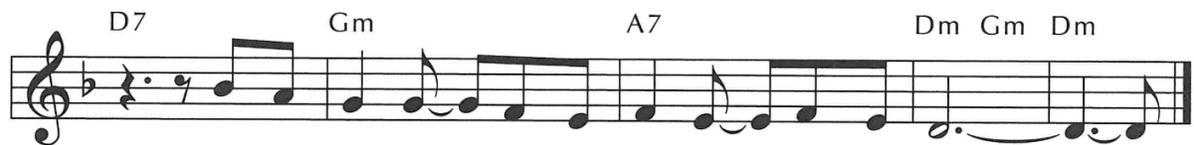


when the crip - pled in their weak - ness strength - en oth - ers,
when we love though hate at times seems all a - round us,
when we know that love for sim - ple things is bet - ter,
when each strang - er that we meet is called a neigh - bor,

Refrain



then we know that God still goes that road with us,



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Drawing on the parable revealing Christ's presence in "the least of these" (Matthew 25:31–46), the stanzas here give examples (the "when") while the refrain affirms the promise (the "then"). The journey imagery of the refrain may be based on the Emmaus story (Luke 24:13–35).

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

1 Pre - cious Lord, take my hand; lead me on, help me
2 When my way grows drear, pre - cious Lord, lin - ger

stand; I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.
near; when my life is al - most gone,

Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the
hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I

light; take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.
fall; take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.

This black gospel song, like much hymnody, sprang out of the author's deep personal loss (the death of his wife and newborn son), yet it has brought solace to many. He thought his fingers were playing new music, but they unlocked a deep memory of a tune almost a century old.

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MUSIC: George N. Allen, 1844; arr. Thomas A. Dorsey, 1938

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PRECIOUS LORD

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Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise Christ, all peo - ple

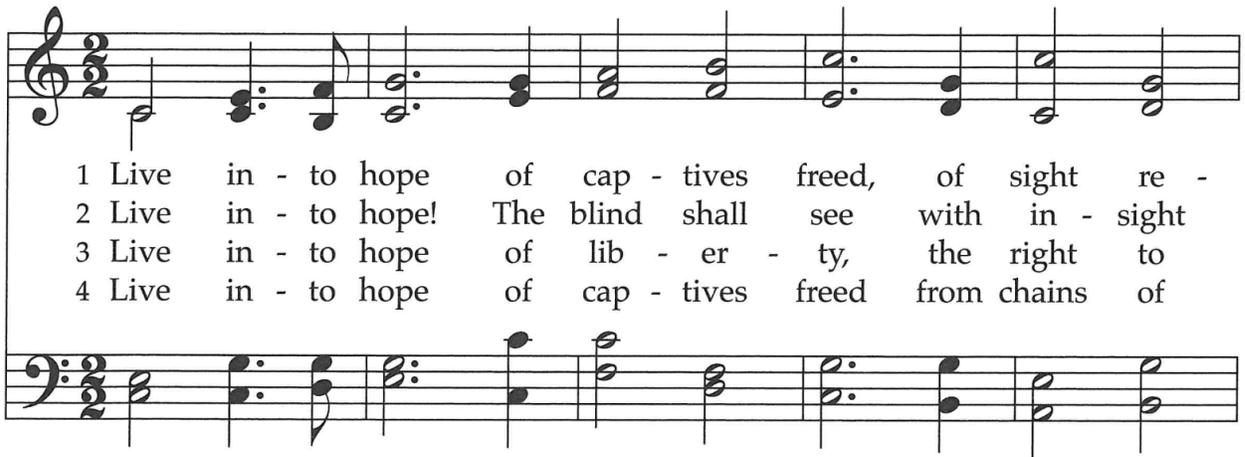
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praise Tri - une God, whom we a - dore. A - men.

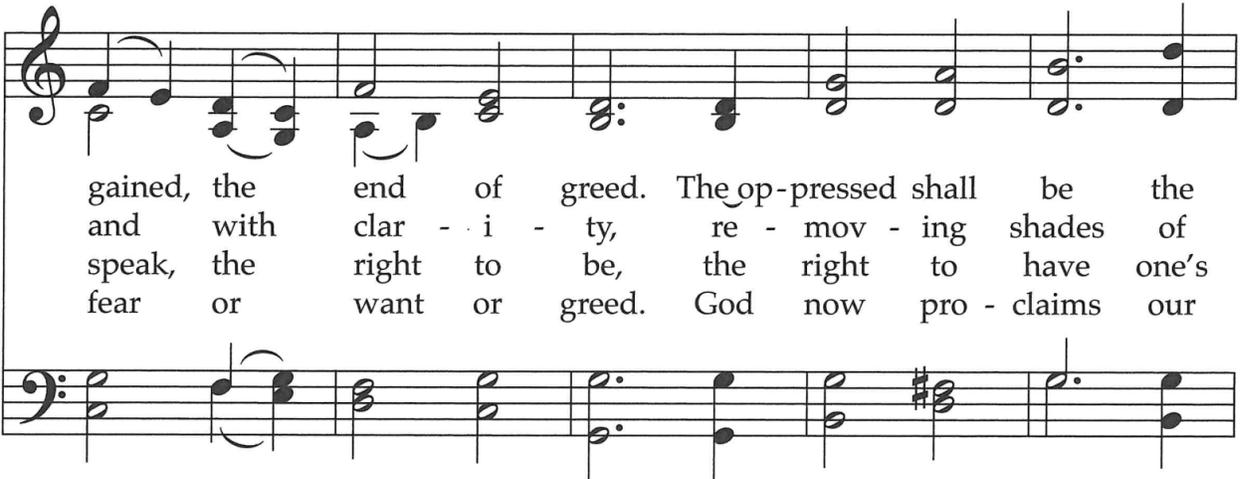
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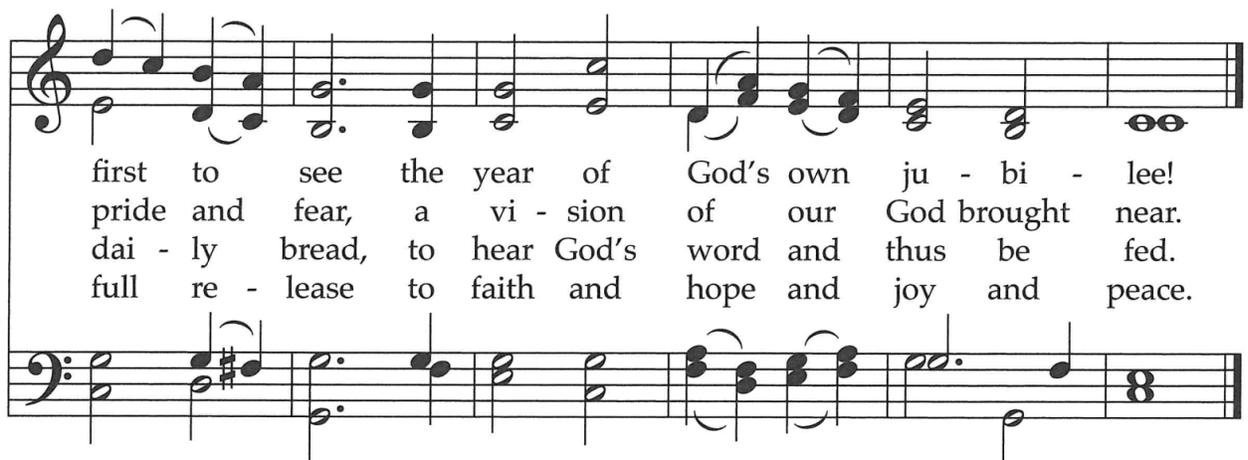
Live into Hope



1 Live in - to hope of cap - tives freed, of sight re -
2 Live in - to hope! The blind shall see with in - sight
3 Live in - to hope of lib - er - ty, the right to
4 Live in - to hope of cap - tives freed from chains of



gained, the end of greed. The op - pressed shall be the
and with clar - i - ty, re - mov - ing shades of
speak, the right to be, the right to have one's
fear or want or greed. God now pro - claims our



first to see the year of God's own ju - bi - lee!
pride and fear, a vi - sion of our God brought near.
dai - ly bread, to hear God's word and thus be fed.
full re - lease to faith and hope and joy and peace.

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