

Final as of 5/22/12
May 27, 2012 † 8:30 & 11:30 a.m.

The Worship Of God

Pentecost Sunday

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

[organ]
Prelude *Elegy* J. Biery
Dr. Christopher Cook, Director
Traditional Music & Worship

[Bruce's Mic]
Time for Community Dr. Bruce Humphrey

- Welcome
- Jesus transforms us so that we can help change the world
- Memorial Day weekend

[Bruce's Mic]
Opening Prayer Bruce

WE SING TOGETHER IN PRAISE TO GOD

[Bruce - invite the congregation to please stand]

[lights up for choir loft]

[organ]

†* **Hymn of Invocation** *God of the Ages* #728 vs. 1,2

God of the ages, whose almighty hand
Leads forth in beauty all the starry band
Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies,
Our grateful songs before your throne arise.

Your love divine has led us in the past,
In this free land by you our lot is cast;
Be now our ruler, guardian, guide, and stay,
Your Word our law, your paths our chosen way.

[Neal's Mic]

† **Litany for Memorial Day** Dr. Neal Nybo

*Pastor: Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth
with all its chartered liberties. For all the wonder
of our country's story:*

People: We give you thanks, O God.

*Pastor: For leaders in nation and state, and for those who
in days past and in these present times have labored
for the commonwealth:*

People: We give you thanks, O God.

Rehearsal Schedule 5/27/12

7:00 Chris/Organ Warm-up
7:00 "Quiet" sound tech set-up
7:30 Grace Notes mic check
7:45 Platform checks
8:10 Pastor mic check
8:00 Alize Rozsnyai mic check
8:22 Organ Prelude
8:30 Service begins

11:00 Chancel Choir arrives
11:00 Reset platform/tech
11:05 Quick sound check
11:10 Pastor mic check
11:20 Pastor prayer with choir
11:22 Organ Prelude
11:25 Chancel Choir to loft
11:30 Service begins

In Worship Today

PP – Bruce Humphrey

AP – Neal Nybo

Guest - Carlos Nicasio (UYC)

Music Groups/Special:

8:30 Alize Rozsnyai

11:30 Chancel Choir

8:30/11:30 Grace Notes

Ushers:

8:30 Patti Neumann

11:30 Jim McNabb

Volunteers:

Donna Prather/Pew Angels

Christopher Cook/ Director of
Traditional Music & Worship

Nina Flowers

Youth Music Ministries

Mike Tierce

Tech. Services

Amy Wazny

Production Coordinator

Pastor: *For those who in all times and places have been true and brave, and in the world's common ways have lived upright lives and ministered to their fellows:*

People: We give you thanks, O God.

Pastor: *For those who served their country in its hour of need, and especially for those who gave even their lives in that service:*

People: We give you thanks, O God.

[Neal's Mic]

[Neal - invite the congregation to please be seated]

[remembrance video -- 2 minutes]

[Neal's Mic]

A Prayer for the Fallen (unison) Neal

Almighty God and most merciful Father, we remember these, your servants, with gratitude for their courage and strength. We also hold before you those who mourn them. Look upon your bereaved servants with your mercy. As this day brings them memories of those they have lost, may it also bring your consolation and the assurance that their loved ones are alive now and forever in your living presence. Trusting in the promises of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

[lights up for choir loft]

[organ]

Hymn of Response

God of the Ages #728 vs. 3

From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence,
Be your strong arm our ever sure defense;
Your true religion in our hearts increase,
Your bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.

[Neal's Mic]

[Podium Mic]

Time for Offering

Neal

Carlos Nicasio

Urban Youth Collaborative

Neal - comments re Pentecost offering, introduce Carlos

Carlos - comments re Urban Youth Collaborative

[video - 70 sec.]

Neal - Prayer of dedication

Neal - Ushers please come forward...

[lights up for choir loft]

[piano]

Offering of Music

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

[Bruce's Mic]

Scripture Lesson

Philippians 1:21-26
(page 1084)

Message

PHILIPPIANS: "Heaven"
Dr. Bruce Humphrey

Today's message may be found @ www.rbpc.org/about-us/sermons/

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Ministry of Music

[lights up for soloist mic]

8:30 ***He's Got the Whole World in His Hands*** Traditional
[piano] Alize Rozsnyai, vocalist

[lights up for choir loft]

11:30 ***A Great Joy*** B. Mason
[piano] Chancel Choir
Roger Alden Anderson, Director

[Neal's Mic]

Prayer of God's People

Neal

8:30 service -- conclude prayer by 9:22 to allow adequate time between services

These things we pray in the name of our Lord, Jesus, who taught us this prayer, "Our Father..."

The 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the
kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE DEPART TO SERVE

[Neal's Mic]

[Neal - invite the congregation to please stand]

[lights up for choir loft]

[organ]

† **Closing Hymn**

Let There Be Peace on Earth #614

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me;

Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.
With God our creator, children all are we.
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.
Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow:
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

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[Neal's Mic]

† **Benediction**

Neal

Mention prayer teams
Dismiss congregation

*The prayer team invites you to the front of the church
after this service to pray for your joys and concerns.*

[organ]

Postlude

Finale from "First Symphony"

L. Vierne



*Thank you for worshiping with us today.
We pray you encountered Jesus in a meaningful way.
We invite you to return to worship with us next week.*

