



**Greystone**  
Baptist Church

*With Christ as the Cornerstone, we will build a church of living stones,  
where every member is a minister and is equipped to express God's love  
by word and deed to all people.*

*Based on 1 Peter 2:5, 6*

# The Worship of God

Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 14, 2024

## Gathering Music

“Open the Eyes of My Heart”

Words and Music by  
Paul Baloche

“Together We Serve”

SAN ANSELMO;  
Words and Music by  
Daniel Charles Damon

“You Are My Vision”

Words by Eleanor Henrietta Hull  
and Mary Elizabeth Bryne (alt.),  
Irish Melody arr. Rend Collective

“Firm Foundation (He Won’t)”

Words and Music by  
Cody Carnes, Austin  
Davis, and Chandler Moore

## Prelude

“Nearer, Still Nearer”

Cynthia Griesedieck

## Welcome

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

## † Call to Worship

One: I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; says the Lord.

**All: Your sons and daughters will prophesy,**

One: The old among you will dream dreams

**All: and the young will see visions.**

One: Even on the lowest of low,

**All: The stranger we’ve never met and the children we’ve known since birth,**

One: I will pour out my spirit, says the Lord.

**All: May God open our ears, our eyes, our minds, and our hearts so that we may notice  
and go along with where the Spirit is leading.**

† Please rise in body or spirit.

Open my eyes that I may see glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;  
Place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free.  
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see; Open my eyes,  
illumine me, spirit divine.

Open my ears that I may hear voices of truth Thou sendest clear;  
And while the wavenotes fall on my ear, everything false will disappear.  
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see; Open my ears,  
illumine me, spirit divine.

Open my mouth and let me bear gladly the warm truth everywhere;  
Open my heart, and let me prepare love with Thy children thus to share.  
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see; Open my heart,  
illumine me, spirit divine.

## Children’s Sermon

April Alston

## Pastoral Prayer

Steve Rose

## Offertory Anthem

“Walk Along Beside Me, O My Lord”  
GBC Choir

by Don Besig

Walk along beside me, O my Lord,  
lead me on every step of the way and help me find the joy in each new day.  
Take my life and use it, O my Lord,  
help me find and help me share the gifts You have given, gifts so rare.  
Build my faith and watch me from above.  
Guide me patiently and teach me how to love.

And when day is over, O my Lord,  
keep me safe through the dark of night; and waken me again to see the light  
of a new tomorrow, the peace I'm searching for.  
Walk along beside me, O my Lord

Guide me patiently and teach me how to love.

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keep me safe through the dark of night; and waken me again to see the light  
of a new tomorrow, the peace I'm searching for.  
Walk along beside me, O my Lord.

## †Doxology

“O Bless the Gifts”

LAMB OF GOD  
Words by Samuel Longfellow, alt.  
Music by Twila Paris

**O bless the gifts our hands have brought;  
and bless the work our hearts have planned.  
Ours is the faith, the will, the thought;  
The rest, O God, is in Your hand.**

## Prayer of Dedication

Michael-David Rowe

## Scripture

Mark 6:1-13

Elizabeth Worley

One: The Word of God, for the people of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## Sermon

*“Family Dynamics: Isn’t This Mary’s Son?”*

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

## Silent Reflection

## Invitation

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

**Verse 1:**

**We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord;  
we are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord,  
and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:**

**Refrain:**

**And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.**

**Verse 2:**

**We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand;  
we will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand,  
and together we’ll spread the news that God is in our land:  
(Refrain)**

**Verse 3:**

**We will work with each other; we will work side by side;  
we will work with each other; we will work side by side,  
and we’ll guard human dignity and save human pride:  
(Refrain)**

**Verse 4:**

**All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,  
and all praise to Christ Jesus, God’s only Son,  
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one:  
(Refrain)**

**Celebrating Community**

Anna Beth Cross

**Benediction**

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

**Postlude**

“God Will Take Care of You”  
Cynthia Griesedieck

arr. Cindy Berry

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