

First Presbyterian Church
Lake Charles



5th Sunday of Easter
April 28, 2024

Welcome

+ Call to Worship: (Responsive)

Leader: We come to you, O God, to thank you for what is good.

All: We come to you, O God, to cry out for what is wrong.

Leader: We come to you, O God, to ask for help and restoration.

All: We come to you, O God, with aching hearts and glad souls. Let us worship God.

+ *Be Thou My Vision* #339(PH)

Be Thou my Vision O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me save that Thou art
Thou my best thought by day or by night
Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

Riches I heed not nor vain empty praise
Thou mine inheritance now and always
Thou and Thou only first in my heart
Great God of heaven my Treasure Thou art

Be Thou my Wisdom and Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my Vision O ruler of all

High King of heaven my victory won
May I reach Heaven's joys O bright Heav'n's Sun
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my Vision O Ruler of all

Prayer of Adoration & Confession

Build My Life

P. Barrett

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You (chorus)

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name
Jesus the only one who could ever save
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe
We live for You We live for You (chorus)

Chorus

Holy there is no one like You
There is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder
And show me who You are
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me

Bridge

I will build my life upon Your love
It is a firm foundation
I will put my trust in You alone
And I will not be shaken (chorus)

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture *1 John 2:18-3:10*

Special Music: Bryce Louviere
"May the Peoples Praise You" by D. Zimmer

Message: Willie Bellard
"Do Not Go Astray"

+ Affirmation of Faith Pg.#14(PH)
"The Apostles' Creed"

Time of Offering in Service and Prayer

+ *Crown Him With Many Crowns* #151(PH)

Crown Him with many crowns
The Lamb upon His throne
Hark how the heavenly anthem drowns
All music but its own
Awake my soul and sing
Of Him who died for thee
And hail Him as thy matchless King
Through all eternity

Crown Him the Lord of love
Behold His hands and side
Rich wounds yet visible above
In beauty glorified
No angel in the sky
Can fully bear that sight
But downward bends his burning eye
At mysteries so bright

Crown Him the Lord of peace
Whose power a scepter sways
From pole to pole
That wars may cease
Absorbed in prayer and praise
His reign shall know no end
And round His pierced feet
Fair flowers of Paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet

Crown Him the Lord of years
The Potentate of time
Creator of the rolling spheres
Ineffably sublime
All hail Redeemer hail
For Thou hast died for me
Thy praise shall never fail
Throughout eternity

Charge and Dismissal

***We are so glad you joined us for worship
today! Please come again!***

Fellowship & Worship Opportunities

Prayer time each Sunday, 10:30-10:45am

**Edie Ausmus will lead prayer time
in the large classroom.**



**PW's Bag Lunch & Bible Study,
Wednesday, May 8th
(only one gathering in May.)
Bag lunch@ Noon &
Bible Study @12:30**



**Saturday, April 27th, 2PM-5PM
Mission Mart at the Art Walk**
Please contact Angie Dilmore if you
Are available to help at the
Mission Mart booth.

Lunch With Friends following worship

**Sunday, May 5th, 1PM
Jason's Deli**



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**Bryce Louviere, Music Director
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