

# UPTOWN CHURCH

## Worship Guide

### THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 22, 2025

#### Welcome & Announcements

Seth Van Dyke  
*Director of Youth & Kids*

#### Call to Worship

Jordan Olshefski  
*Senior Pastor*

#### Grace Alone

*Dustin Kensrue*

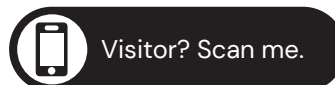
I was an orphan lost at the fall, Running away when I'd hear You call  
But Father, You worked Your will  
I had no righteousness of my own, I had no right to draw near Your throne  
But Father, You loved me still

*And in love before You laid the world's foundation  
You predestined to adopt me as Your own  
You have raised me up so high above my station  
I'm a child of God by grace and grace alone*

You left Your home to seek out the lost, You knew the great and terrible cost  
But Jesus, Your face was set  
I worked my fingers down to the bone, Nothing I did could ever atone  
But Jesus, You paid my debt

*By Your blood, I have redemption and salvation  
Lord, You died that I might reap what You have sown  
And You rose that I might be a new creation  
I am born again by grace and grace alone*

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I was in darkness all of my life, I never knew the day from the night  
But Spirit, You made me see  
I swore I knew the way on my own, Head full of rocks, a heart made of stone  
But Spirit, You moved in me

*And at Your touch my sleeping spirit was awakened  
On my darkened heart the light of Christ has shone  
Called into a Kingdom that cannot be shaken  
Heaven's citizen by grace and grace alone*

So I'll stand in faith by grace and grace alone  
I will run the race by grace and grace alone  
I will slay my sin by grace and grace alone  
I will reach the end by grace and grace alone

## **Grace Greater Than Our Sin**

*Julia Harriette Johnston | Daniel Brink Towner*

Grace, grace, God's grace  
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within  
Grace, grace, God's grace  
Grace that is greater than all our sin

## Confession of Sin

# All Sufficient Merit

Bethany Barnard | Bryan Fowler | Shane Barnard

All sufficient merit shining like the sun  
A fortune I inherit by no work I have done  
My righteousness I forfeit at my Savior's cross  
Where all sufficient merit did what I could not

In love He condescended, Eternal now in time  
A life without a blemish, the Maker made to die  
The law could never save us, our lawlessness had won  
Until the pure and spotless Lamb had finally come

## **chorus**

*It is done, it is finished! No more debt I owe  
Paid in full, all sufficient merit now my own*

I lay down my garments, any empty boasts  
Good works all corrupted by the sinful host  
Dressed in my Lord Jesus, a crimson robe made white  
No more fear of judgment, His righteousness is mine

## **chorus**

All sufficient merit, firm in life and death  
The joy of my salvation shall be my final breath  
And when I stand accepted before the throne of God  
I'll gaze upon my Jesus, and thank Him for the cross  
Yes, I'll thank You for the cross

## **chorus**

## Extending Peace

Because we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, we also are reconciled to each other.

**Leader:**     *The peace of Christ be with you.*

**People:**     **And also with you.**

## Baptism

Rev. Jordan Olshefski

**Adam James Berry**

*Sarah Marie & Jonathan Berry*

**Macie Mae Bartek**

*Ali & Drew Bartek*

## Doxology

*Thomas Ken | Louis Bourgeois*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures hear below  
Praise Him above, Ye heavenly hosts  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost  
Amen

# The Giving of Tithes & Offerings



Giving? Scan me.



## Song of Preparation

### Here Is Love

*Robert S. Lowry | Matt Redman | William Rees*

Here is love vast as the ocean, Loving-kindness as the flood  
When the Prince of Life, our ransom, shed for us His precious blood  
Who His love will not remember, Who can cease to sing His praise  
He will never be forgotten throughout heavens eternal days

On the mount of crucifixion, fountains opened deep and wide  
Through the floodgates of God's mercy flowed a vast and gracious tide  
Grace and love like mighty rivers poured incessant from above  
Heaven's peace and perfect justice kissed a guilty world in love

Here is love that conquered evil, Christ, the firstborn from the grave  
Death has failed to be found equal to the life of Him who saves  
In the valley of our darkness dawned His everlasting light  
Perfect love, in glorious radiance, has repelled death's hellish night

No love is higher, No love is wider  
No love is deeper, No love is truer  
No love is higher, No love is wider  
No love is deeper, No love is truer

In the valley of our darkness dawned His everlasting light  
Perfect love, in glorious radiance, has repelled death's hellish night

Here is love vast as the heavens, Countless as the stars above  
Are the souls that He has ransomed, Precious daughters, treasured sons  
We are called to feast forever on a love beyond our time  
Glorious Father, Son and Spirit, now with man are intertwined

## Scripture Reading **Ephesians 2:1–10**

Ashley Mink

<sup>1</sup> And you were dead in the trespasses and sins <sup>2</sup> in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience— <sup>3</sup> among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the bod and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. <sup>4</sup> But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, <sup>5</sup> even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved— <sup>6</sup> and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, <sup>7</sup> so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. <sup>8</sup> For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, <sup>9</sup> not a result of works, so that no one may boast. <sup>10</sup> For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

**Leader:**     *This is the Word of the Lord.*

**People:**     **Thanks be to God.**

**“Telling Our Story”**  
Ephesians 2:1–10

I. Who you were

II. What happened to you

III. Who you are now

Confession of Faith  
**Corporate Confession**

Scripture reading from Romans 11:32–36

**All:** For God has consigned all to disobedience,  
that he may have mercy on all.  
Oh, the depth of the riches  
and wisdom and knowledge of God!  
How unsearchable are his judgments  
and how inscrutable his ways!

“For who has known the mind of the Lord,  
or who has been his counselor?”

“Or who has given a gift to him  
that he might be repaid?”

For from him and through him and to him are all things.  
To him be glory forever. Amen.



# Song of Response

## Goodness Of God

*Ed Cash | Jenn Johnson*

I love You Lord, Oh Your mercy never fails me  
All my days, I've been held in Your hands  
From the moment that I wake up, Until I lay my head  
Oh I will sing of the goodness of God

### ***chorus***

*All my life You have been faithful  
All my life You have been so so good  
With every breath that I am able  
I will sing of the goodness of God*

I love Your voice, You have led me through the fire  
In darkest night, You are close like no other  
I've known You as a father, I've known You as a friend  
I have lived in the goodness of God

### ***chorus***

Your goodness is running after, It's running after me  
Your goodness is running after, It's running after me  
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now, I give You everything  
Your goodness is running after, It's running after me

### ***chorus***

# Be Thou My Vision

*Mary Elizabeth Byrne | Eleanor Henrietta Hull*

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

Be Thou my wisdom and Thou my true Word  
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord  
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son  
Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one

Be Thou my battleshield, sword for the fight  
Be Thou my dignity, Thou my delight  
Thou my soul's shelter, Thou my high tow'r  
Raise Thou me heav'nward, O pow'r of my pow'r

Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise  
Thou mine inheritance now and always  
Thou and Thou only first in my heart  
High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art

High King of heaven, my victory won  
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright Heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall  
Still be my vision, O ruler of all

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## Take the Next Step



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## Musicians

Worship Leader – Luke Johnson | Front Vocalist – Christy Talamo | Drums – Dave Rich |

Bass Guitar – Paul Winter | Piano – Nate Pratt

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