# UPTOWN CHURCH

# **Worship Guide** FOURTH SUNDAY IN EASTER

April 21, 2024

## Welcome & Announcements

**Rev. Tyler Miller** Assistant Pastor

## **Call to Worship**

Rev. Jordan Olshefski Senior Pastor

# All Creatures Of Our God And King D. Crowder | W. H. Draper | B. Milligan | St. Francis of Assisi

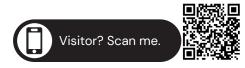
All creatures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us sing O praise Him, Alleluia Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in heaven along O praise Him, Alleluia Thou rising morn in praise rejoice, ye lights of evening find a voice O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship Him in humbleness O praise Him, Alleluia Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three in One O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

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#### **Carry Your Love**

A. Senseman

We are called out, we are ransomed We are not of the world we're in We are chosen, we are blessed To bring light to the lives of men So Father sow your seed Give us life in community Wake us from our sleep This is Your time, this is Your place And we are vessels for breaking

#### chorus

Under Your grace, we are led by Your Spirit You have redeemed us by the blood of Your Son Send down Your Word, we are eager to hear it Ready our hearts to carry Your love

You are sunlight, You are morning You're the hope of a brand new day You are comfort, You are blessing And You wipe all our tears away So change us from within Render miracles from our sin Remind us once again This is Your time, this is Your place We are vessels for breaking **chorus** 

**Confession of Sin** 

#### I Am Set Free

Leslie Jordan

You broke my chains of sin and shame And You covered me with grace You mend my life with Your holy fire You cover me with grace And You are the hand that reaches out to save

#### chorus

I am set free oh, I am set free oh It is for freedom that I am set free

You broke my chains of sin and shame And You covered me with grace You mend my life with Your holy fire You cover me with grace And You are the hand that reaches out to save *chorus* 

Yes Lord we are grateful for Your grace and for Your love Yes Lord we are grateful for Your grace and for Your love Yes Lord we are grateful for Your grace and for Your love Yes Lord we are grateful for Your grace and for Your love 'Cause You are the hand that reaches out to save **chorus** 

The Giving of Tithes & Offerings

#### Song of Preparation We Labor Unto Glory

C. Harris | I. Wardell

My God my God where e'er I go, glory! Where I reap and where I sow, glory! When my hands they grip the thorn, glory! In the still and in the storm, glory! Glory!

#### chorus

Oh we labor unto glory, till heaven and earth are one Oh we labor unto glory, until God's kingdom comes

The sun it shines and then goes down, glory! Rain it pours and beats the ground, glory! Dust it blows and ends my days, glory! Hearts they burn beneath Your gaze, glory! Glory! *chorus* 

My heart my hands they're kingdom bound, glory! Where thorns no longer curse the ground, glory! Trim the wick ignite the flame glory! My work it will not be in vain, glory! Glory! *chorus* 

Until God's kingdom comes, until God's kingdom comes

Children Pre-K up to 2nd grade are dismissed for Children's Church. Pre-K and K come to the front doors on your left and 1st and 2nd graders to the front doors on your right.

#### **The Pastoral Prayer**

Forde Britt, Elder

The Sermon

# "Mission's Mandate: the Great Commission"

Matthew 28:16-20

I. Mandate

II. Model

III. Means

# Confession of Faith Corporate Confession

People: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:

> Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

#### Amen.

The Apostles' Creed is one of the oldest universally agreed upon statements of Christian faith outside of scripture, from the first few centuries of the church. It is not in addition to scripture, but rather a summary of doctrines which are clear in scripture. It was used for baptismal candidates in the early church.

\*In this context, "catholic" means "universal": the church in all places at all times.

#### Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Song for the Supper All Ye Refugees C. Scott | F. Paris | K. Haddock

I am the One, the earth is My handmade work And the skies I laid them wide beauty unfurled Horizon to horizon, creation to creation sings you home

#### chorus

Welcome home, gather round, all ye refugees come in Welcome home, gather round, all ye refugees come in

Oh refugee, I did not cast you out In death and broken ground salvation springs My body and My blood the healing that you need, come and receive *chorus* 

Watch and wait and see, what is yet to be Watch and wait and see, for the morning

Go out in joy, join the great procession The mountains and the heavens all will rejoice Horizon to horizon, creation to creation Horizon to horizon, creation to creation with one voice *chorus* 

Song of Response Let Your Kingdom Come

B. Kauflin

Your glorious cause O God, engages our hearts May Jesus Christ be known wherever we are We ask not for ourselves but for Your renown The cross has saved us so we pray, Your kingdom come

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#### chorus

Let Your kingdom come; let Your will be done So that everyone might know Your Name Let Your song be heard everywhere on earth Till Your sovereign work on earth is done, Let Your kingdom come

Give us Your strength O God, and courage to speak Perform Your wondrous deeds through those who are weak Lord use us as You want whatever the test By grace we'll preach Your Gospel, till our dying breath chorus

### **Benediction**

Rev. Jordan Olshefski

# Take the Next Step



• New to Uptown? We'd love to hear from you.

**Looking for community?** Life Groups are always open.





Want to connect? Check out our upcoming events.

# **Musicians**

Worship Leader - Paul Winter | Front Vocalist - Brooke Doss | Bass Guitar - Tim Shorey | Piano - John Humcke | Drums - Brad Shensky

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