



# Community Worship

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Tuesday, April 15, 2014

Davis Chapel



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# Today in Worship

Please silence all electronic devices during worship.

## Gathering

Prelude

Call to Worship

Marlena Del Hierro (MDiv '17)

Listen up, everyone!

God has given us work to do.

**God has called each of us  
before we were even born.**

It was God who named us.

**It is God who claims us.**

The light of God's love shines in us.

**Let's shine God's love into all the world!**

\*Song: "The Servant Song" [VU #596]

## Centering

\*Confession

Helena Epstein (MDiv '16)

Love that knows no boundaries: we crowd our lives with so much activity, that it is hard to find time for you. We become so focused on ourselves, we can overlook those around us who are searching for hope. We fill our spiritual emptiness with junk, rather than feasting on your Word.

Abundant Mercy, forgive us. Open our eyes, that we may see your new covenant written in plain sight on our hearts. Open our hearts, that we may join you in serving the broken of the world. Open our love, so we may pour it out as abundantly and graciously as your love is given to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 71

Lance Henry (MDiv/JD '16)

In you, O Lord, I take refuge;

let me never be put to shame.

**In your righteousness deliver me and rescue me;**

**incline your ear to me and save me.**

**Be to me a rock of refuge,**

**a strong fortress, to save me,**

**for you are my rock and my fortress.**

## Refrain

*Alternate Refrain*

Latin O - cu - li nos - tri ad Do - mi - num Je - sum,  
English Our eyes are turned to the Lord Je - sus Christ.

o - cu - li nos - tri ad Do - mi - num nos - trum.  
Our eyes are turned to the Lord God, our Sav - ior.

Rescue me, O my God, from the hand of the wicked,  
from the grasp of the unjust and cruel.

For you, O Lord, are my hope,  
my trust, O Lord, from my youth.

Upon you I have learned from my birth;  
it was you who took me from my mother's womb.  
My praise is continually of you.

## Refrain

I have been like a portent to many,  
but you are my strong refuge.

My mouth is filled with your praise,  
and with your glory all day long.

Do not cast me off in the time of old age;  
do not forsake me when my strength is spent.

For my enemies speak concerning me,  
and those who watch for my life consult together.

They say, "Pursue and seize that person  
whom God has forsaken,  
for there is no one to deliver."

## Refrain

O God, do not be far from me;  
O my God, make haste to help me!  
**Let my accusers be put to shame and consumed;  
let those who seek to hurt me  
be covered with scorn and disgrace.  
But I will hope continually,  
and will praise you yet more and more.**

## Refrain

## Proclaiming

Gospel: John 12:20-36

Sermon

Rev. Shonda Jones

## Embodying

\*Song: "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" [see page 6]

Prayers of the People

Love' Lemon (MDIV '15)

## Sending

\*Song: "What Wondrous Love Is This" [VU #147]

\*Benediction

Rev. Shonda Jones

As you leave the chapel, please be mindful of those who are working and learning in the building.

\* Please stand in body and/or spirit.

# Notes for Today's Worship

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## ABOUT THE WORSHIP LEADER

Rev. Shonda Jones is the Dean of Admissions and Student Services at WFU School of Divinity. She is an ordained Elder in the United Methodist Church.

## Music

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Special thanks to Alan Suber for serving as accompanist for the service.

## WORSHIP

Today's worship service was planned by Ken Pettigrew (MDiv '16) and Analyse Triolo (MDiv '15). Today's Call to Worship is by Carole Penner of Leading in Worship. Today's confession is by Thom Shuman of Lectionary Liturgies.

The altar design was created by Analyse Triolo (MDiv '15) and Emily Hedrick (MDiv '16).

## ABOUT THE ALTAR

The six candles on the altar represent the six weeks of preparation between Ash Wednesday and Easter Sunday. Each week a candle will be extinguished.

Purple is the liturgical color for the season of Lent.

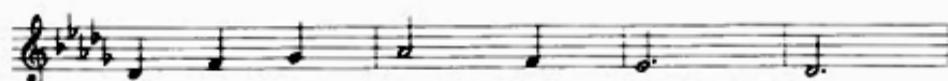
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# I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light 651



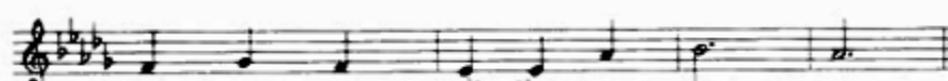
1. I want to walk as a child of the light.  
2. I want to see the bright-ness of God.  
3. I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.



I want to fol - low Je - sus.  
I want to look at Je - sus.  
I want to be with Je - sus.



God set the stars to give light to the world. The  
Clear sun of right-cous-ness shine on my path, And  
When we have run with pa-tience the race, We



star of my life is Je - sus.  
show me the way to the Fa - ther.  
shall know the joy of Je - sus.



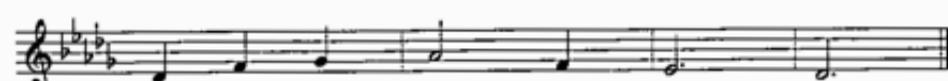
In him there is no dark - ness at all. The



night and the day are both a - like. The



Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God.



Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

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