

# GSBC Worship

February 28, 2021

# Our Mission Statement

The mission of Good Shepherd Baptist Church is to be a supportive, open, growing Christian community that reaches out to all in a spirit of unconditional love.

## Our Statement of Core Values

We value and support:

- ▶ A variety of viewpoints, biblical interpretations, and Christian expression
- ▶ The dignity of each individual as an unduplicated child of God
  - ▶ Following the way of Jesus and absolute love

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*We respectfully acknowledge that our services are being held on the traditional lands of the Snohomish and other Coast Salish Tribes.*

# HYMN #CH 284 “Gather Us In” (1, 2, 4)

- ▶ Here in this place the new light is streaming Shadows of doubt are vanished away See in this space our fears and our dreamings Brought here to you in the light of this day Gather us in, the lost and forsaken Gather us in, our spirits inflame Call to us now and we shall awaken We shall arise at the sound of our name
- ▶ We are the young, our lives are a mystery We are the old who yearn for your face We have been sung throughout all of history Called to be light to the whole human race Gather us in, the rich and the haughty Gather us in, the proud and the strong Give us a heart so meek and so lowly Give us the courage to enter the song
- ▶ Not just in buildings small and confining Not in some heaven light years away Here in this place the new light is shining Now is God present, and now is the day Gather us in and hold us forever Gather us in and make us your own Gather us in, all peoples together Fire of love in our flesh and our bones

# CALL TO WORSHIP—from Psalm 138

- ▶ LEADER: Though the LORD be high, God cares for the lowly.
- ▶ PEOPLE: God perceives the haughty from afar.
- ▶ LEADER: Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe.
- ▶ PEOPLE: You stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.
- ▶ LEADER: The LORD will make good a purpose for me.
- ▶ PEOPLE: O LORD, your love endures forever; do not abandon the works of your hands.
- ▶ LEADER: Our lives, O Lord, are in your hand.
- ▶ PEOPLE: Hold us up that we might stand.

# Lord Be Glorified

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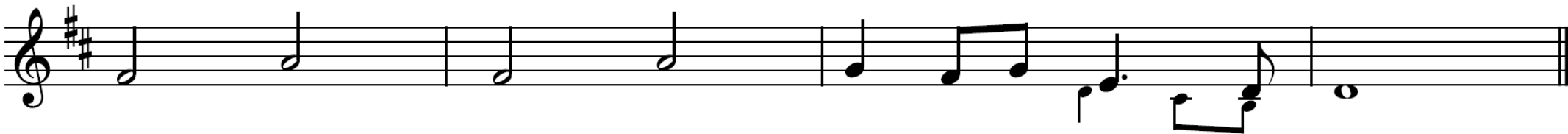
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1. In my life, Lord, be glo - ri - fied, be glo - ri - fied;  
2. In my song, Lord, be glo - ri - fied, be glo - ri - fied;  
3. In Your church, Lord, be glo - ri - fied, be glo - ri - fied;  
4. In our home, Lord, be glo - ri - fied, be glo - ri - fied;

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# Receiving Of Our Offerings

- ▶ *Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Whose constant love and grace we know.  
Bless now, O God, these gifts we give  
That others may in your peace live. Amen.*

# HYMN #CH586 “Open My Eyes, That I May See” (1, 2, 3)

- ▶ 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!

# Scripture & Message “Unwarranted Grace” Pastor Aanenson

- ▶ Genesis 42:18-28
- ▶ On the third day Joseph said to them, “Do this and you will live, for I fear God: if you are honest men, let one of your brothers stay here where you are imprisoned. The rest of you shall go and carry grain for the famine of your households, and bring your youngest brother to me. Thus your words will be verified, and you shall not die.” And they agreed to do so.
- ▶ They said to one another, “Alas, we are paying the penalty for what we did to our brother; we saw his anguish when he pleaded with us, but we would not listen. That is why this anguish has come upon us.” Then Reuben answered them, “Did I not tell you not to wrong the boy? But you would not listen. So now there comes a reckoning for his blood.” They did not know that Joseph understood them, since he spoke with them through an interpreter. He turned away from them and wept; then he returned and spoke to them. And he picked out Simeon and had him bound before their eyes. Joseph then gave orders to fill their bags with grain, to return every man’s money to his sack, and to give them provisions for their journey. This was done for them. They loaded their donkeys with their grain, and departed. When one of them opened his sack to give his donkey fodder at the lodging place, he saw his money at the top of the sack. He said to his brothers, “My money has been put back; here it is in my sack!” At this they lost heart and turned trembling to one another, saying, “What is this that God has done to us?”



## With the Wings of Our Mind

*Unison*

1. With the wings of our mind on the new wind fly - ing,  
 2. With the wings of our tears on the new wind flow - ing,  
 3. With the wings of our song on the new wind ring - ing,

to the si - lent breath - less world our love send - ing,  
 to the dry and thirst - y earth our love send - ing,  
 to the drea - ry de - so - late earth our love send - ing,

let the brave jus - tice flag wave high a - bove,  
 let the foun - tain of love spring forth with joy,  
 let the vi - sion of light o - pen wide our hearts,

to the heav'ns and the earth free - dom bring - ing.  
 'til the flow'rs of our hearts ad - vent bloom - ing.  
 'til the song of our hope free - dom bring - ing.

# Shalom Circle

- ▶ Shalom, my friend; Shalom, my friend;  
Shalom, Shalom. We'll see you again; We'll  
see you again; Shalom, Shalom.