

## **Bless His Holy Name**

### **Chorus**

Bless the Lord, O my soul And all that is within me Bless His holy name

### **Verse**

He has done great things He has done great things He has done great things Bless His holy name

### **Chorus**

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## **Love Divine, All Loves Excelling**

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heaven, to earth come down; fix in us thy humble dwelling; all thy faithful mercies crown! Jesus thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art; visit us with thy salvation; enter every trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit into every troubled breast! Let us all in thee inherit; let us find that second rest.

Take away our bent to sinning; Alpha and Omega be; end of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty.

## **O Lord, Your Tenderness**

O Lord Your Tenderness,  
Melting all my bitterness,  
O Lord, I receive Your love.  
O Lord, Your loveliness,  
Changing my unworthiness,  
O Lord, I receive Your love.  
O Lord, I receive Your love,  
O Lord, I receive Your love.

Graham Kendrick

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## **Shout to the North**

1. Men of faith rise up and sing  
Of the great and glorious King  
You are strong when you feel weak  
In your brokenness complete

### **Chorus**

Shout to the north and the south  
Sing to the east and the west  
Jesus is Savior to all  
Lord of heaven and earth

2. Rise up women of the truth  
Stand and sing to broken hearts  
Who can know the healing pow'r  
Of our awesome King of love

### **Chorus**

3. Rise up church with broken wings  
Fill this place with songs again  
Of our God who reigns on high  
By His grace again we'll fly

### **Chorus**

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Lord of heaven and earth  
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## **EVANGEL HEIGHTS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

*A Stephen Ministry Congregation*

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Worship 9:30 am

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## **Stephen Ministry**

Stephen Ministry is a lay caring ministry offered by thousands of congregations to care for hurting people. Through Stephen Ministry, congregations equip and empower a team of Stephen Ministers who provide one-to-one, Christ-centered care to people experiencing grief, unemployment, hospitalization, loneliness, divorce, financial stress, a terminal illness, or other life difficulties.

We want to care for people at Evangel Heights United Methodist Church.

*To learn more, contact Pastor Michelle.*

## Fourth Sunday after Easter

Welcome Pastor Michelle Cobb

Breakthrough Prayer

**People: Lord, interrupt us to be fearlessly obedient to your plans; Challenge us to act on those opportunities.**

Prelude Kelsey Clear

Call to Worship Pastor Michelle Cobb

Leader: We are branches of the Vine—sustained, nurtured, and pruned by Love.

**People: We have no life apart from Love, the life-giving Vine.**

Leader: When we make our home in the Vine, and the Vine makes a home in us, we bear the fruit of Love.

**People: We produce the fruit of Love, the life-giving Vine.**

Leader: People, how shall we bear the fruit of Love, the life-giving Vine?

**People: We will love and learn to love as we rest, play, work, and build community with God and one another. Amen.**

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, November 2023.

Opening Hymn *To God Be the Glory* - UMH 98 Vs. 1&2 All  
*Bless His Holy Name*

Prayers of the People Kevina Clear

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.**

**Amen**

Prayer Song *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* - UMH 384 Vs. 1&2 All  
*O Lord, Your Tenderness*

Scripture Lesson 1 John 4:7-21 NIV Pg. 1902 Kevina Clear

Children's Message Barb Dickerson

Gospel Lesson John 15:1-8 NIV Pg.1678 Kevina Clear

Message *Abide in Christ* Part 2 Pastor Michelle Cobb

Special Music *Remain in Me, I Am the Vine* Kelsey Clear  
-C. Stephan & S. Angrisano

Giving of our First Fruits Pastor Michelle Cobb

Offertory Kelsey Clear

Doxology UMH 95 All  
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.**

Missional Moment

Closing Hymn *Shout to the North* – W&S 3042 All

Benediction Pastor Michelle Cobb

Postlude Kelsey Clear

**Thank you to Kevina Clear, Barb Dickerson, Dennis Doverspike, and Kelsey Clear for your assistance in leading worship today!**

**To God Be the Glory**

To God be the glory, great things he hath done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the lifegate that all may go in.

**Refrain:**

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,

let the people rejoice! O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son, and give him the glory, great things he hath done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood, to every believer the promise of God; the vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

**Refrain**