

**NEW LIFE METROPOLITAN
COMMUNITY CHURCH**

10:45 a.m.
MORNING WORSHIP

July 05, 2020
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IS THERE REALLY ANY HOPE?

GATHERING CALL Job 36:5 Jer.17:7-8 Ps. 103:1,6,8
Behold! God is mighty, and yet despises no one nor regards anything as trivial; **God is mighty in power of understanding and heart.** *Dios es poderoso en poder de comprensión y corazón.*

The LORD works righteousness; does justice for all who are oppressed. The LORD is compassionate and merciful, very patient, and full of faithful love.

Blessed are those who trust in the LORD
Bienaventurados los que confían en Jehová
Blessed are those and have made the LORD their hope and confidence.

Bienaventurados los que han hecho de Jehová su esperanza y confianza.

They are like trees planted along a riverbank, with roots that reach deep into the water. Such trees are not bothered by the heat or worried by long months of drought. Their leaves stay green, and they never stop producing fruit.

Let my whole being bless the LORD! Let everything inside me bless his holy name! ¡Que todo mi ser bendiga a Jehová! ¡Que todo dentro de mí bendiga su santo nombre!

Job 17:15

...where then is my hope— who can see any hope for me?

1 Thessalonians 4:13

Now we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who are asleep, **so that you will not grieve like the rest who have no hope.**

Psalms 121:1-8

I look up toward the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the Lord, the Creator of heaven and earth. May he not allow your foot to slip. May your Protector not sleep. Look! Israel's Protector does not sleep or slumber. The Lord is your protector; the Lord is the shade at your right hand. The sun will not harm you by day, or the moon by night. The Lord will protect you from all harm; he will protect your life. The Lord will protect you in all you do, now and forevermore.
Psalm 121:1-8

Proverbs 23:18

There is surely a future hope for you, and your hope will not be cut off.

Jeremiah 29:11

I know the plans I have in mind for you, declares the LORD; they are plans for peace, not disaster, to give you a future filled with hope.

Hebrews 11:1

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.

Romans 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

OUR MISSION:

We are an inclusive, diverse, Christ-centered church, in which you have the freedom to be who you are, participate in community, explore spiritual transformation, and be part of social action.

OUR VISION:

We Are... **ORDINARY PEOPLE**

Somos... **PERSONAS REGULAR**

Believing... **GOD'S LOVE IS FOR ALL**

Creemos... **EL AMOR DE DIOS ES PARA TODOS**

Called To... **REVEAL GOD'S PRESENCE IN**

EVERYONE

Llamados... **A REVELAR PRESENCIA DE DIOS EN**

TODO Y TODA

NLMCC Song Sheet

Sunday, July 05, 2020

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OPENING CELEBRATION

What a Mighty God We Serve

What a mighty God we serve.
Angels bow before God. Heaven
and earth adore God. What a
mighty God we serve.

B: I command you, Satan, in the
name of the Lord to take up your
weapons and flee, for the Lord has
given me authority to walk all over
thee.

GATHERING CALL

Choral Response: **Bless the Lord**

R: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and
all that is within me, bless God's
holy name! Bless the Lord, O my
soul, and all that is within me,
bless God's holy name!

C1: God has done great things,
God has done great things, God
has done great things, bless God's
holy name! [R]

WELCOME

OUR PRAYERS TOGETHER

Choral Response:

Come, Ye Disconsolate

V1: Come, ye disconsolate,
where'er ye languish – Come to
the mercy-seat, fervently kneel;
Here bring your wounded hearts,
here tell your anguish; Earth has
no sorrow that heav'n cannot heal.

V2: Joy of the desolate, light of the
straying, Hope of the penitent,
fadeless and pure! Here speaks
the Comforter, tenderly saying,
"Earth has no sorrow that heav'n
cannot cure."

LIFTING OUR VOICES in Scripture & Song

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

V1: Great is thy faithfulness, O God
my Creator; there is no shadow of
turning with thee; thou changest
not, thy compassions, they fail not;
as thou hast been thou forever wilt
be.

R: Great is thy faithfulness! Great
is thy faithfulness! Morning by

morning new mercies I see: all I
have needed thy hand hath
provided--Great is thy faithfulness,
God, unto me!

V2: Pardon for sin and a peace that
endureth, thine own dear presence
to cheer and to guide, strength for
today and bright hope for
tomorrow, blessings all mine, with
ten thousand beside! [R]

OFFERTORY

Praise Him

C1: Praise Him (4x); Jesus,
blessed Savior, He's worthy to be
praised.

V1: From the rising of the sun, Until
the going down of the same; He's
worthy, Jesus is worthy, He's
worthy to be praised.

C2: Glory (2x), In all things give
Him glory; Jesus, blessed Savior,
He's worthy to be praised.

V2: God is our rock, hope of
salvation, a strong deliverer, in
Him will I always trust. [C1]

Congregational Response:
Doxology

MORNING MESSAGE

HOLY COMMUNION

One: The Lord is with you!

All: And also with you!

One: Lift up your hearts!

All: We lift them up to the Lord!

**One: Let us give thanks to the
Lord!**

**All: It is right to give God
thanks and praise!**

**All: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God
of power and might. Heaven
and earth are full of Your
glory. Hosanna in the
highest! Blessed is the One
Who comes in the Name of
The Lord! Hosanna in the
highest!**

Proclamation of our faith:

All: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ shall come again.

Hallelujah!

Communion Meditation:

Let Us Break Bread Together

V1: Let us break bread together on
our knees, on our knees, Let us
break bread together on our knees,
on our knees,

R: When I fall on my knees, with
my face to the rising sun, O Lord
have mercy on me, on me.

V2: Let us drink wine together...[R]

V3: Let us praise God...[R]

THE LORD'S PRAYER - unison

CLOSING SONG

America the Beautiful

V1: O beautiful for spacious skies,
for amber waves of grain; for
purple mountain majesties above
the fruited plain! America! America!
God shed sweet grace on thee,
and crown thy good with
neighborhood from sea to shining
sea.

V2: O beautiful for heroes proved
in liberating strife, who more than
self their country loved, and mercy
more than life! America! America!
May God our hearts refine, till
racism and hatefulness, no longer
plague our mind.

BENEDICTION

Choral Response:

We'll Understand it Better

V1: We are often tossed and driv'n
On the restless sea of time.
Somber skies and howling
tempests oft succeed a bright
sunshine. In that land of perfect
day, When the mists have rolled
away, We will understand it better
by and by.

R: By and by when the morning
comes, When the saints of God
are gathered home, We will tell the
story how we've overcome; For
we'll understand it better by and
by.

V2: We are often destitute Of the
things that life demands. Want of
food and want of shelter, thirsty
hills and barren lands. We are
trusting in the Lord, And according
to God's Word, We will understand
it better by and by. [R]