

**NEW LIFE METROPOLITAN
COMMUNITY CHURCH**

10:45 a.m.
September 6, 2020

MORNING WORSHIP

Rev. Mark Byrd

*"Would You Like Another Lamb Chop...
or My Knife In Your Back?!"*

GATHERING CALL

**Jeremiah 30:17 Psalm. 103:1-6
Acts 10:38-39**

I will restore your health, and I will heal your wounds, declares the Lord, because you were labeled an outcast...

Let my whole being bless the Lord!

Let everything inside me bless his holy name!

*¡Que todo mi ser bendiga al Señor!
¡Que todo dentro de mí bendiga su santo nombre!*

Let my whole being bless the Lord and never forget all his good deeds:

How God forgives all your sins, heals all your sickness...

Cómo Dios perdona todos tus pecados, sana toda tu enfermedad,

How God saves your life from the pit, crowns you with faithful love and compassion...

Cómo Dios salva tu vida de la fosa, te corona con amor y compasión fieles,

How God satisfies you with plenty of good things so that your youth is made fresh like an eagle's...

Cómo Dios te satisface con un montón de cosas buenas para que tu juventud se haga fresca como la de un águila.

The Lord works righteousness; does justice for all who are oppressed...

El Señor obra con rectitud; hace justicia por todos los que son oprimidos.

You know about Jesus of Nazareth, whom God anointed with the Holy Spirit and endowed with power. Jesus traveled around doing good and healing everyone oppressed by the devil because God was with him. We are witnesses of everything he did, both in Judea and in Jerusalem...

And all that God does through Christ even today!

Exodus 12:1-14 The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, "This month will be the first month; it will be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole Israelite community: On the tenth day of this month they must take a lamb for each household, a lamb per house. If a household is too small for a lamb, it should share one with a neighbor nearby. You should divide the lamb in proportion to the number of people who will be eating it. Your lamb should be a flawless year-old male. You may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You should keep close watch over it until the fourteenth day of this month. At twilight on that day, the whole assembled Israelite community should slaughter their lambs. They should take some of the blood and smear it on the two doorposts and on the beam over the door of the houses in which they are eating. That same night they should eat the meat roasted over the fire. They should eat it along with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Don't eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over fire with its head, legs, and

internal organs. Don't let any of it remain until morning, and burn any of it left over in the morning. This is how you should eat it. You should be dressed, with your sandals on your feet and your walking stick in your hand. You should eat the meal in a hurry. It is the Passover of the LORD. I'll pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I'll strike down every oldest child in the land of Egypt, both humans and animals. I'll impose judgments on all the gods of Egypt. I am the LORD. The blood will be your sign on the houses where you live. Whenever I see the blood, I'll pass over you. No plague will destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. "This day will be a day of remembering for you. You will observe it as a festival to the LORD. You will observe it in every generation as a regulation for all time.

Matthew 18:15-20 "If your brother or sister sins against you, go and point out their fault, just between the two of you. If they listen to you, you have won them over. But if they will not listen, take one or two others along, so that 'every matter may be established by the testimony of two or three witnesses.' If they still refuse to listen, tell it to the church; and if they refuse to listen even to the church, treat them as you would a pagan or a tax collector. "Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be^[e] loosed in heaven. "Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."

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.

NLMCC Song Sheet

Sunday, September 6, 2020
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OPENING CELEBRATION

Every Time I Feel the Spirit

C: Every time I feel the Spirit moving in my heart I will pray (2x)

V1: Upon the mountain, when my Lord spoke. Out of God's mouth came fire and smoke. Looked all around me, it looked so fine. Till I asked my Lord if all was mine. [C]

V2: Jordan River, chilly and cold. It chills the body but not the soul. There is but one train upon this track. It runs to heaven and then right back [C]

GATHERING CALL

Choral Response:

I Am the God that Healeth Thee

V1: I am the God that healeth thee; I am the Lord your Healer
I sent My Word and healed your disease, I am the Lord your Healer

V2: You are the God that healeth me; You are the Lord my Healer
You sent Your Word and healed my disease; You are the Lord my Healer

WELCOME

OUR PRAYERS TOGETHER

Choral Response:

There Is a Balm in Gilead

R: There is a balm in Gilead, To make the wounded whole; There is a

balm in Gilead, To heal the sin-sick soul.

V1: Sometimes I feel discouraged, And think my work's in vain, But then the Holy Spirit, Revives my soul again. [R]

V2: If you cannot preach like Peter, If you cannot pray like Paul, You can tell the love of Jesus and say, "He died for all!" [R]

LIFTING OUR VOICES IN SCRIPTURE & SONG

Exodus 12:1-14
Matthew 18:15-20

Let there be Peace on Earth

V1: Let there be peace on earth ~ And let it begin with me ~ Let there be peace on earth ~ The peace that was meant to be ~ With God as our Creator ~ Family all are we ~ Let me walk with my family ~ In perfect harmony

V2: Let peace begin with me ~ Let this be the moment now ~ With ev'ry step I take ~ Let this be my solemn vow ~ To take each moment ~ And live each moment ~ In peace eternally ~ Let there be peace on earth ~ And let it begin with me

OFFERTORY

Let there Be Love

C: Let there be love shared among us ~ Let there be love in our eyes ~ May now Your love sweep this nation ~ Cause us O Lord to arise ~ Give us a fresh understanding ~ Of family love that is real ~ Let there be love shared among us ~ Let there be love

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:

Healer

You hold my every moment ~ You calm my raging seas ~ You walk with me through fire ~ And heal all my disease

PC: I trust in You ~ I trust in You

C: I believe You're my healer ~ I believe You are all I need ~ I believe You're my portion ~ I believe You're more than enough for me ~ Jesus You're all I need

THE LORD'S PRAYER - unison

CLOSING SONG

Send it on Down

V1: Send it on down. Send it on down. Lord, let the Holy Ghost come on down. Send it on down. Send it on down. Lord, let the Holy Ghost come on down.

V2: We can't do nothing, til' You send it on down. Lord, let the Holy Ghost come on down. We can't do nothing, til' You send it on down. Lord, let the Holy Ghost come on down.

B: Living He loved me; dying He saved me; Buried He carried my sins far away; Rising He justified freely forever; One day He's coming back; O glorious day (V1)

BENEDICTION

I Saw the Light

I wandered so aimless life filled with
sin, I wouldn't let my dear Savior in
Then Jesus came like a stranger in
the night, Praise the Lord I saw the
light

C: I saw the light I saw the light
No more in darkness no more in night
(And) now I'm so happy no sorrow in
sight Praise the Lord I saw the light

Just like a blind man I wandered
along Worries and fears I claimed for
my own Then like the blind man that
God gave back his sight Praise the
Lord I saw the light [C]

I was a fool to wander and stray
Straight is the gate and narrow the
way Now I have traded the wrong for
the right Praise the Lord I saw the
light [C]

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