

NORTH OAK CHRISTIAN CHURCH-DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

46th Anniversary Celebration Sunday

June 13, 2021

Interim Minister-Reverend Brett Winters, Music Director-Jeff Nunn,

CELEBRATION OF GOD'S PRESENCE

Choral Call to Worship

Call to Worship (based upon Acts 3:1-10)--- Brett Winters

Opening hymn: He is Exalted

**He is exalted
The King is exalted on high
I will praise Him
He is exalted, forever exalted
And I will praise His name**

**He is the Lord
Forever His truth shall reign
Heaven and earth
Rejoice in His holy name
He is exalted
The King is exalted on high**

Prayer of Invocation--Rev. Brett Winters

Time of Gratitude... "We Are Stronger Together"

(You continue to be a part of what makes North Oak Christian Church great. When instructed, please add the flower you received upon entry to a vase in the worship space.)

Special Music— Piano Solo

Celebrating God's presence on the journey... "A Retrospective of Church Zoom Gatherings"

Special Music - NOCC Choral Ensemble

Prayers of the People

Having endured this last year, we have many things for which we have gained appreciation. Let us lift these things before God in prayer

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

(We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world. As part of the one body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.)

Communion Meditation... "What I have I give you"--Rev. Brett Winters
The Words of Institution--Rev. Brett Winters

Communion hymn: The Summons

**Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown? Will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?**

**Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?**

**Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?**

**Will you love the "you" you hide if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?**

**Lord your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In Your company I'll go where Your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.**

The Communion Prayer- Wes Tyree

The Lord's Prayer

**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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
for thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever, Amen**

Invitation to Partake together--Rev. Brett Winters

Partaking of Communion

***(All are welcome at the table of our Christ. Please come forward and receive the elements of
communion. Return to your seats, and partake of the bread and cup.)***

CELEBRATION OF THE PEOPLE'S RESPONSE

Stewardship Moment---Rev. Brett Winters

Offering

(Please pass the offering trays to your neighbor as we present our gifts before God)

Hymn during offering: From the Rising of the Sun

**From the rising of the sun
to the going down of the same,
the name of the Lord shall be praised.**

**From the rising of the sun
to the going down of the same,
the name of the Lord shall be praised.**

So praise ye the Lord.

Praise ye the Lord.

**From the rising of the sun
to the going down of the same,
the name of the Lord shall be praised.**

A Blessing... "Celebrating our Campers and Tall Oaks Conference Center"--Rev. Brett Winters

Gratitude... "Thanking Vicki Catt for Her Work"

Closing hymn: Here I am Lord

**I, the Lord of sea and sky
I have heard my people cry
All who dwell in dark and sin
My hand will save
I who made the stars of night
I will make their darkness bright
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?
Here I am, Lord
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night
I will go, Lord
If You lead me
I will hold Your people in my heart
I, the Lord of wind and flame**

I will tend the poor and lame
I will set a feast for them
My hand will save
Finest bread I will provide
'Til their hearts be satisfied
I will give my life to them
Whom shall I send?
Here I am, Lord
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night
I will go, Lord
If You lead me
I will hold Your people in my heart
I will hold Your people in my heart

Benediction---Rev. Brett Winters

Postlude---Jeff Nunn

TO OUR GUESTS---WELCOME!
SHAPED BY GOD'S WORD AND GRACED AT CHRIST'S TABLE
WE WALK HUMBLY, LOVE DEEPLY, LIVE SIMPLY, AND SERVE JOYFULLY
More information about NOCC and the Disciples of Christ is available via Facebook & these
websites:
www.nocckc.org www.kcdisciples.org www.disciples.org

Please join us after worship for an all-church picnic and time of fellowship.

Congregational Meeting

A congregational meeting will be held on June 27th after worship, to share the results of the quantitative survey and the small group meetings to help us shape the vision for NOCC. We will record the presentation and make the link available to NOCC members and those who call NOCC their church home that cannot attend in person.