

Order of Worship
May 15th 2022 ~ 5th Sunday of Easter

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements, and Peace

Call to Worship

You are making all things new.

A new heaven
A new earth
A new way of thinking
A new way of being.

You are making all things new.

No more Death
No more mourning
No more crying
No more pain.

You are making all things new.

Renew our minds
to renew the world
by living out your
commandment of love.

**You are making all things new.
Amen.**

~ From Weekly Worship

Hymn

Shine Jesus Shine

Verse 1

Lord the light of Your love is shining
In the midst of the darkness shining
Jesus Light of the world shine upon
us
Set us free by the truth You now
bring us
Shine on me shine on me

Chorus

Shine Jesus shine
Fill this land
With the Father's glory
Blaze Spirit blaze
Set our hearts on fire
Flow river flow
Flood the nations
With grace and mercy
Send forth Your word Lord
And let there be light

Verse 2

Lord I come to Your awesome
presence
From the shadows into Your
radiance
By the blood I may enter Your
brightness
Search me try me consume all my
darkness
Shine on me shine on me

Chorus

Shine Jesus shine
Fill this land
With the Father's glory
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Set our hearts on fire
Flow river flow
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Verse 3

As we gaze on Your kingly
brightness
So our faces display Your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here may our lives tell Your
story
Shine on me shine on me

Chorus

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Opening Prayer

Draw me today into fresh encounters with Jesus, O God.
Make me a servant of love
so that others may know how much You love them
and I may know how much You love me.
Let me not be afraid of new pastures,
whether they be green or brown or parched.
And as I pass through whatever the day's valleys,
keep my head lifted up to the mountain,
from whence my help comes.
Never let me forget the people Jesus welcomed...
the greedy and the great,
the bad and the good,
the respected and the cheats.
Even as the world becomes more callous and chaotic,
may I never underestimate Your capacity
to fashion the miraculous from the monstrous,
even to make me a choice masterpiece
from the mire and the clay.
Amen.

~ written by Leonard Sweet

Special Music

All Are Welcome (All Belong)
Jesse & Jennah Manibusan

Scripture Reading

Travis Buckner, reader

Acts 11:1-18

NRSV

Now the apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, "Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?" Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.' And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?" When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, "Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life."

John 13:31-35

NRSV

At the last supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Associate Pastor Charla Belinski

Pastoral Prayer

Prayers of the People

Marion Garrett, Reader

Offertory

Church of Justice

Ken Canedo, Robert Feduccia, ValLimar Jansen, Sarah Kroger, Ted Miles, Ben Walther and Greg Walton

Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost
Amen**

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Communion

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Communion Hymn

Make Us One

Chorus

Make us one Lord
Make us one
Holy Spirit make us one
Let Your love flow
So the world will know
We are one in You

Chorus

Make us one Lord
Make us one
Holy Spirit make us one
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I Love You With The Love Of The Lord

Chorus

I love you
With the love of the Lord
Yes I love you
With the love of the Lord
I can see in you
The glory of my King
And I love you
With the love of the Lord

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Closing Prayer

Almighty, all-merciful God,
through Christ Jesus you have taught us to love one another,
to love our neighbors as ourselves,
and even to love our enemies.
In times of violence and fear,
let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts,
so that we may not be overcome with evil
but overcome evil with good.
Help us to see each person in light of the love and grace
you have shown us in Christ.
Put away the nightmares of terror
and awaken us to the dawning of your new creation.
Establish among us a future where peace reigns,
justice is done with mercy, and all are reconciled.
We ask these things in the name
and for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

~ PCUSA website

Blessing

Postlude

Our love in action now begins...

This Sunday's Special Music is brought to you by
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Coffee Service: Sue de Campo

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