

RESURRECTION CHURCH

Worship Gathering | 7.31.22

Ordinary Time

CALLED BY GOD INTO WORSHIP

The Greeting - Sarah

One: The Lord be with you!

Many: And also with you!

One: El Señor este contigo!

Many: ¡Y contigo también!

Welcome / Introduction

The Call to Worship - based on Psalm 108:1-4 - Sarah

One: Our hearts are ready, O Lord, our hearts are ready!

Many: We will sing and make melody! We will awaken the dawn!

One: We will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples,

we will sing praises to you among the nations.

All: For your steadfast love is great above the heavens,

and your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.

Song of Adoration: Jubilee

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"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me; I'm anointed to bring hope" The promise fulfilled in a moment We're still watching it unfold There's good news for the captive A proclamation for every soul This liberty is for the broken

An invitation to be made whole

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There is true joy in His freedom So open your heart and receive it There is a hope to believe in: Jesus! Jesus!

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Corporate Confession of Sin - from The Book of Common Prayer - Peter

Almighty and merciful God,

we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.

We have followed too much

the devices and desires of our own hearts.

We have offended against your holy laws.

We have left undone those things which we ought to have done;

and we have done those things which we ought not to have done.

O Lord, have mercy upon us.

Spare those who confess their faults.

Restore those who are penitent,

according to your promises declared to the world

in Christ Jesus, our Lord.

And grant, O merciful God, for his sake,

that we may live a holy, just, and humble life

to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Grace - based on Romans 8:34; 2 Corinthians 5:17 - Peter

Hear the good news!

Who is in a position to condemn?

Only Christ;

and Christ died for us,

Christ rose for us.

Christ reigns in power for us,

Christ prays for us.

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The old life has gone; a new life has begun.

Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

Song of Response: Aleluya

Cuando pienso en todo lo que has hecho Mi alma canta, "Aleluya" [When I think about everything You've done My soul sings, "Hallelujah"]

Tu me asombras con tus maravillas Por eso canto, "Aleluya"

[You amaze me with Your wonders That's why I sing, "Hallelujah"]

Yo no temeré de acercarme Perfume a tus pies vengo a entregarte No me cansaré de enamorarte Tuyo seré ahora y por siempre Aleluya

[I won't be afraid to get close
I come to give You perfume at your feet
I will not get tired of falling in love
I will be yours now and forever
Hallelujah]

Yo perdido; corriste hasta encontrarme Y Ahora canto, "Aleluya" [I was lost, You ran until You found me And now I sing, "Hallelujah"]

Ni la muerte podrá silenciarme Mi canto es siempre, "Aleluya" [Not even death can silence me My song is always, "Hallelujah"]

¿Donde estaría yo si no fuera por tu amor? Por siempre es tu misericordia [Where would I be if not for your love? Your mercy is forever]

Gracia me rescato; gloria al Rey Hijo de Dios Por siempre es tu misericordia [Grace rescued me; glory to the King, Son of God Your mercy is forever

Song of Thanksgiving: The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise him all creatures here below Praise him above you heavenly hosts Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

INVITED BY GOD INTO COMMUNITY

Passing of Peace - Sarah

One: The peace of Christ be with you

Many: And also with you!

Uno: La paz de Cristo este contigo

Todos: ¡Y contigo también!

Res Kids Dismissal - Sarah

- Parents, if you've already checked your kids in, you can send them down with our volunteer at the back of the room. If you haven't checked them in, please go down with them.
- There is a space for feeding children in the side room to your right.
- Our kids will rejoin us after the close of the sermon, so keep an eye out for your little one.
- OPTIONAL PRAYER: "Almighty God, heavenly Father, thank you for the joy and care of children. Give us courage, patience, and wisdom as we bring them up in the faith that they might never know a day apart from you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Greeting

Community Prayer Time - Laura

- Where do we need God to meet us? (pray for needs, griefs, burdens, etc)
- What are we celebrating? (birthdays, anniversaries, new jobs, etc) answers to prayer?
- Neighborhood Spotlight Pueblo Viejo and Pan De Bono are two restaurants who we worked with through the food voucher program for the homeless to have a place for hot, fresh meals during the pandemic. This program continues on - every week, our neighbors without homes

line up to receive these food voucher tickets at the soup kitchen - and we want to bless these two restaurants and they continue this good work of caring for those in need.

The Lord's Prayer - Laura

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Announcements - Sarah

- If you're new, welcome! Our Online Connect Card is an easy way to get connected.
- Join our **Email List**. This is the primary way that we communicate about the life of our church.
- Join our **Slack Space** to connect with others and stay in the loop on organic community life!
- Serve Form Whether you have been at Res for years or just recently joined our community, we hope you'll employ your gifts in our church! We schedule Sunday Service opportunities 4 times a year, and we're making the next schedule this week. If you want to serve in the next three months, take a few minutes to fill out the Aug-Oct Serve Form by no later than Tuesday!
- Serve at the East Boston Community Soup Kitchen A group of us went this Monday and put in some good work carrying 50lb bags of produce and helping prepare grocery bags for those in need. We have two more slots on Monday mornings 9-12pm on 8/8 or 8/29. Registration link is on the weekly email!
- Church Campout, August 20-21st + optional night of camping on 8/19 We're headed to our second annual church campout, and it's going to be a blast! Registration opens next week!
- To give to our church, visit www.resbos.org/give to make a one-time or recurring gift.

ADDRESSED BY GOD THROUGH SCRIPTURE

Scripture Reading (English) - Ezekiel 37:1-14 (ESV) - Joel

¹The hand of the Lord was upon me, and he brought me out in the Spirit of the Lord and set me down in the middle of the valley; it was full of bones. ² And he led me around among them, and behold, there were very many on the surface of the valley, and behold, they were very dry. ³ And he said to me, "Son of man, can these bones live?" And I answered, "O Lord God, you know." ⁴ Then he said to me, "Prophesy over these bones, and say to them, O dry bones, hear the word of the Lord. ⁵ Thus says the Lord God to these bones: Behold, I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. ⁶ And I will lay sinews upon you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the Lord."

⁷ So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I prophesied, there was a sound, and behold, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. ⁸ And I looked, and behold, there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them. But there was no breath in them. ⁹ Then he said to me, "Prophesy to the breath; prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, Thus says the Lord God: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." ¹⁰ So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army.

¹¹ Then he said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are indeed cut off.' ¹² Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord God: Behold, I will open your graves and raise you from your graves, O my people.

And I will bring you into the land of Israel. ¹³ And you shall know that I am the Lord, when I open your graves, and raise you from your graves, O my people. ¹⁴ And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you shall know that I am the Lord; I have spoken, and I will do it, declares the Lord."

One: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

Lectura Bíblica (Spanish) - Ezequiel 37:1-14 (RVC) - Lilian

La mano del Señor vino y se posó sobre mí, y en el espíritu del Señor me llevó hasta un valle que estaba lleno de huesos, y me puso en medio de ese valle. 2 Luego me hizo dar de vueltas y pasar cerca de los huesos, los cuales eran muchísimos y bastante secos, y estaban a flor de tierra. 3 Y el Señor me preguntó: «Hijo de hombre, ¿cobrarán vida estos huesos?» Yo le contesté: «Señor y Dios, tú lo sabes.»

⁴ Entonces el Señor me dijo: «Profetiza sobre estos huesos, y diles: "Huesos secos, oigan la palabra del Señor. ⁵ Esto es lo que Dios el Señor les dice: 'Huesos, voy a hacer que entre en ustedes el espíritu, y ustedes volverán a vivir.' 6 Voy a poner tendones en ustedes, y volveré a cubrirlos de carne y de piel; pondré también el espíritu en ustedes, y volverán a vivir." Así sabrán que yo soy el Señor.» ⁷ Yo profeticé, tal y como se me ordenó, y mientras yo profetizaba hubo un ruido y un temblor, y los huesos se juntaron el uno con el otro. 8 Me fijé, y vi que ya tenían tendones, y que se cubrían de carne, y que se iban revistiendo de piel. Pero aún no había en ellos espíritu. 9 Entonces el Señor me dijo: «Hijo de hombre, profetiza al espíritu. Háblale y dile que así ha dicho Dios el Señor: "Espíritu, ven de los cuatro vientos y sopla sobre estos huesos muertos, para que cobren vida."» ¹⁰ Yo profeticé, tal y como se me ordenó, y el espíritu entró en ellos y cobraron vida, y se pusieron de pie. Eran un ejército bastante numeroso. 11 Entonces el Señor me dijo: «Hijo de hombre, todos estos huesos son el pueblo de Israel. Ellos dicen: "Nuestros huesos se han secado; ha muerto nuestra esperanza; ¡hemos sido destruidos por completo!" 12 Por eso, profetiza y diles que yo, su Señor y Dios, he dicho: "Pueblo mío, voy a abrir los sepulcros de ustedes; voy a levantarlos de sus sepulturas para traerlos de nuevo a la tierra de Israel. 13 Y cuando yo abra sus sepulcros y los saque de sus sepulturas, ustedes, pueblo mío, sabrán que yo soy el Señor. 14 Entonces pondré mi espíritu en ustedes, y volverán a vivir." Sí, yo los haré reposar en su tierra, y así sabrán que yo, el Señor, lo dije y lo cumplí.» —Palabra del Señor.

One: La palabra del Señor *All: Gracias a Dios!*

Message: NEW LIFE FOR DRY BONES - Pastor Kat Hampson

SENT BY GOD INTO THE WORLD

Song of Response: Great Are You Lord

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You give life; You are love You bring light to the darkness You give hope; You restore Every heart that is broken Great are You Lord!

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

All the earth will shout Your praise Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing, "Great are You Lord!

Song of Response: <u>Such an Awesome God - Maverick City Music</u>

You call the sun to rise

You lay it down to rest Such an awesome God

You hold this heart of mine So mighty, so holy, so wonderful

You hold my every breath Such an awesome God

So selfless, so generous, so faithful you are

Such an awesome God

So mighty, so holy, so wonderful

Such an awesome God

So selfless, so generous, so faithful you are

Nothing comes close to the Lord almighty Nothing as sweet as His love and mercy

Jesus the Son of God Hung on a cross to die

Not even death itself could hold You down

For You rose to life

Seated in majesty
Reigning in holiness
The table is set for me

For You are the living bread

Scriptural Blessing - Hebrews 13:20-21 - Sarah

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Sending - Sarah

One: Let us go forth to love and serve the world as those who love

our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

All: Thanks be to God!