

First Up

Dear Children of God: OMG!

June 29, 2025



First
Church

Worship

Song

"Freedom is Here"

Centering Words

Leader: Our freedom comes as life in the Spirit.

People: We reject the works based only on our fleshly desires.

Leader: We live a new life of spirit and truth.

People: Let us worship the Lord in full spirit. Amen.

Song

"Great Are You Lord"

The New Testament Lesson

Galatians 5: 1, 13-25

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another. Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the

Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

Leader: The Word of God in scripture, for the Word of God
among us, for the Word of God within us.

People: Thanks be to God.

Song

"To Live is Christ"

Prayer

God of all life and love: we are your children, and you made us
free to live in joyful relationship with you and one another.
Your grace empowers us to love our neighbors as we love
ourselves. Give us the courage to love ourselves as much as
you love us and to love others with the same compassion.
Amen.

Service

Message

"Called to Freedom"
Pastor Duane Carlisle

Pastoral Prayer

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
trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

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SCHELLINGERHOUT

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Song

“So Will I (100 Billion X)”

Ending

Benediction

Freedom Is Here

Verse 1

The future comes alive
You speak Your word and I
I'm running into Your hope
Because I've seen Your light
You bring my world to life
I'm comin' after Your love

Pre-Chorus

I'm not shaken
I'm not letting go

Chorus 1

And everything comes alive in my life
As we lift You higher
Let Your freedom arise in our lives
As we lift You up
Sing it out Sing it out
(Your freedom is here)

Verse 2

So take the limits off
No matter what the cost
I'm running after Your call
And I will run this race
See You face to face
So let Your pow'r overflow

Bridge

I will not fear
I will not hide Your love
Your love
All of my life
I cannot deny Your love
Your love

Chorus 2

Everything comes alive in my life
As we lift You higher
Let Your freedom arise in my life
As we lift You up
Sing it out Sing it out
Your freedom is here

Ending

Your freedom is here
Your freedom is here
Your freedom is here

Great Are You Lord

by Leslie Jordan and David Leonard

Verse 1

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are You Lord

Chorus 1

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

Misc 1 (Bridge)

And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord
(REPEAT)

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To Live Is Christ

by David Frey, Casey Brown, Jonathan Smith, and
Ben McDonald

Verse 1

If I rise let me rise on You
Not on all of my successes
My esteem or my pursuits
If I lose let me lose my life
'Cause if I belong to Jesus
The flesh is crucified

Chorus 1

For me to live is Christ
For me to live is Christ
For me to live is Christ
To die is gain

Verse 2

If I grow let me grow in You
Wilt the seeds of wanting more
Ripping pride out by the roots
And if I'm still let me hear You speak
Not the tone of my transgressions
But the song of the redeemed

Bridge 1

My great desire is to be with You
But this is the place You chose for me
This is the place You chose for me
To lift my cross and give ev'rything
This is the time You gave to me
This is the time You gave to me

Chorus 2

For me to live is Christ
For me to live is Christ
For me to live is Christ
To die is gain
I'll never be the same
I'll never be the same
For me to live is Christ
To die is gain

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So Will I (100 Billion X)

by Michael Fatkin, Benjamin Hastings, and Joel Houston

Verse 1

God of creation
There at the start before the beginning of time
With no point of ref'rence
You spoke to the dark
And fleshed out the wonder of light

Chorus 1

And as You speak
A hundred billion galaxies are born
In the vapour of Your breath the planets form
If the stars were made to worship so will I
I can see Your heart in ev'rything You've made
Ev'ry burning star a signal fire of grace
If creation sings Your praises so will I

Verse 2

God of Your promise
You don't speak in vain no syllable empty or void
For once You have spoken
All nature and science
Follow the sound of Your voice

Chorus 2

And as You speak
A hundred billion creatures catch Your breath
Evolving in pursuit of what You said
If it all reveals Your nature so will I
I can see Your heart in ev'rything You say
Ev'ry painted sky a canvas of Your grace
If creation still obeys You so will I
So will I So will I

Misc 1 (Bridge)

If the stars were made to worship so will I
If the mountains bow in rev'rence so will I
If the oceans roar Your greatness so will I
For if ev'rything exists to lift You high so will I

Misc 2 (Bridge)

If the wind goes where You send it so will I
If the rocks cry out in silence so will I
If the sum of all our praises still falls shy
Then we'll sing again a hundred billion times

Verse 3

God of salvation
You chased down my heart
Through all of my failure and pride
On a hill You created the light of the world
Abandoned in darkness to die

Chorus 3

And as You speak
A hundred billion failures disappear
Where You lost Your life so I could find it here
If You left the grave behind You so will I
I can see Your heart in ev'rything You've done
Ev'ry part designed in a work of art called love
If You gladly chose surrender so will I
I can see Your heart eight billion diff'rent ways
Ev'ry precious one a child You died to save
If You gave Your life to love them so will I

Misc 3 (Ending)

Like You would again a hundred billion times
But what measure could amount to Your desire
You're the One who never leaves the one behind

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