

All my life I have been called unworthy,  
Named by the voice of my shame and regret.  
But when I hear You whisper, "Child, lift up your head."  
I remember, O God, You're not done with me yet.

I am redeemed, You set me free.  
So I'll shake off these heavy chains,  
Wipe away every stain,  
Now I'm not who I used to be.

Because I don't have to be the old man inside of me,  
'Cause his day is long dead and gone.  
Because I've got a new name, a new life, I'm not the same,  
And a hope that will carry me home!

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So I'll shake off these heavy chains  
Wipe away every stain,  
I'm not who I used to be.  
Oh, God, I'm not who I used to be.  
Jesus, I'm not who I used to be!

'Cause I am redeemed.  
Thank God, redeemed.

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## \*BLESSING

### \*SONG OF BLESSING (sung by all)

#### BE EXALTED, O GOD

*(Psalm 57:9-11; Psalm 97:9)*

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens,  
Let Thy glory be over all the earth.  
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Let Thy glory, let Thy glory,  
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## POSTLUDE

# Sermon Notes

Sunday, May 17, 2015

## "The God Who Kneels" • Pastor Tim Shaw

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The Rev. Steve Peich—Assistant Pastor

Alicia Takushi Andes & Hilary Mileur—Cellists

Roslyn Catracchia—Director of Worship and Performing Arts

David Chang—Director of Ministry Support

Robert Chesbro—Assisting in Worship

Greg Chow—Assisting in Worship

Ben Fowler—Soloist

Beebe Freitas—Organist

Cindy Fujiwara—Assisting in Leading Worship

Scott Harada—Assisting in Worship

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Nina Oishi—Assisting in Worship

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Sunday, May 17, 2015 • 8:00 AM & 9:30 AM

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# Worship

## PRELUDE

Beebe Freitas, Organist

*(Let us please take this time to quietly prepare our hearts for worship)*

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Tim Shaw

## \*OPENING PRAYER

David Chang

## \*PRAISE MEDLEY (sung by all)

### IN CHRIST ALONE

In Christ alone, my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song.  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!

My Comforter, my All in All,  
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones He came to save.

Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied,  
For every sin on Him was laid.  
Here in the death of Christ I live.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
This is the power of Christ in me.  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand.  
Till He returns or calls me home,  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

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\*congregation may stand

### WE ARE GOD'S PEOPLE

We are God's people, the chosen of the Lord,  
Born of His Spirit, established by His Word.  
Our cornerstone is Christ alone,  
And strong in Him we stand.  
O let us live transparently,  
And walk heart to heart and hand in hand.

We are the Body of which the Lord is Head,  
Called to obey Him, now risen from the dead.  
He wills us be a family,  
Diverse yet truly one.  
O let us give our gifts to God,  
And so shall His work on earth be done.

We are a Temple, the Spirit's dwelling place,  
Formed in great weakness, a cup to hold God's grace.  
We die alone, for on its own  
Each ember loses fire.  
Yet joined in one the flame burns on  
To give warmth, and light, and to inspire.

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### \*MEET AND GREET

### BAPTISM

8:00 AM

#### ELLE MADELEINE EIDSON

*(Parents: Robert & Cora Eidson)*

#### ROBERT PERRY EIDSON

### PREPARATION FOR PRAYER (sung by all)

Alicia Takushi Andes and Hilary Mileur, Cellists

### MY HOPE

My hope rests firm on Jesus Christ, He is my only plea.  
Though all the world should point and scorn,  
His ransom leaves me free, His ransom leaves me free.

My hope sustains me as I strive and strain towards the goal.  
Though still I stumble into sin,  
His death paid for it all, His death paid for it all.

My hope provides me with a spur to help me run this race.  
I know my tears will turn to joy  
The day I see His face, the day I see His face.

My hope is to be with my Lord,  
To know as I am known,  
To serve Him gladly all my days,  
In praise before His throne, in praise before His throne.

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### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastor Steve Peich

### EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE

### MUSICAL OFFERING (sung by choir)

Chancel Choir

### WE WOULD SEE JESUS

*We would see Jesus; Lo! His star is shining  
Above the stable while the angels sing.  
There in a manger on the hay reclining.  
Haste, let us lay our gifts before the King.*

*We would see Jesus, Mary's Son most holy,  
Light of the village life from day to day;  
Shining revealed through every task most lowly.  
The Christ of God, the life, the truth, the way.*

*We would see Jesus, on the mountains teaching,  
With all the listening people gathered round.  
While birds and flowers and sky above are preaching  
The blessedness which simple trust has found.*

*We would see Jesus, in His work of healing,  
At eventide before the sun was set;  
Divine and human in His deep revealing  
Of God made flesh, in loving service met.*

*We would see Jesus, in the early morning  
Still as of old He calleth "Follow Me!"  
Let us arise, all meaner service scorning;  
Lord, we are Thine, we give ourselves to Thee!*

*We would see Jesus, Shepherd, Savior, Cornerstone;  
The Bread of Life, beloved Son of God.  
The risen Lord who claims me as His very own,  
Bids me to follow where His feet have trod.*

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### \*SONG OF THANKSGIVING (sung by all)

### GLORY AND HONOR

Glory and Honor and Wisdom and Power  
Be unto Him that sitteth upon the Throne,  
And unto the Lamb forever and ever,  
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb,  
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain!

*Composer Unknown*

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Scott Harada—8:00 AM

Greg Chow—9:30 AM

### SCRIPTURE READING

Robert Chesbro—8:00 AM

Nina Oishi—9:30 AM

### EPHESIANS 1:1-14

*(Pages 191-192 in the second half of the house Bible)*

### MESSAGE

Pastor Tim Shaw

### "THE GOD WHO KNEELS"

*WORTHY Sermon Series*

### SONG OF RESPONSE (sung by soloist)

Ben Fowler, Soloist

### REDEEMED

*Seems like all I could see was the struggle,  
Haunted by ghosts that lived in my past,  
Bound up in shackles of all my failures,  
Wondering how long is this gonna last.  
Then You look at this prisoner and say to me,  
"Son, stop fighting a fight that's already been won."*

*I am redeemed, You set me free.  
So I'll shake off these heavy chains,  
Wipe away every stain,  
Now I'm not who I used to be,  
I am redeemed, I'm redeemed.*