

Sermon Notes

Sunday, July 16, 2017 • Christopher Pan

“Transformation Part 2: Community Transformation”

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The Rev. Steve Peich—Assistant Pastor

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Beebe Freitas—Pianist

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Marianna Meachen—Director of Care Ministries

Christopher Pan—Executive Director

Rosella Shishido—Director of Communications

Leon Williams—Assisting in leading worship

Sunday, July 16, 2017 • 8:00 AM and 9:30 AM

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF HONOLULU AT KO'OLAU

Worship

PRELUDE

Beebe Freitas, Pianist

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

CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER

Christopher Pan

*PRAISE MEDLEY (sung by all)

CHRISTIANS, WE HAVE MET TO WORSHIP

Christians, we have met to worship,

To adore the Lord and God.

Will you pray with expectation

As we preach the living Word?

All is vain unless the Spirit

Of the Holy One comes down.

Christians, pray, and God's great blessing

Will be showered all around.

Let us love our God supremely,

Let us love each other, too.

Let us pray and care for people

'Til God makes their lives anew.

When at last we're called to heaven,

In His presence we'll sit down,

And the Lord will then reward us

Giving us a heavenly crown.

BE UNTO YOUR NAME

We are a moment, You are forever,

Lord of the ages, God before time.

We are a vapor, You are eternal,

Love everlasting, reigning on high!

Holy, holy Lord God Almighty,

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.

Highest praises honor and glory

Be unto Your name,

Be unto Your name.

We are the broken, You are the Healer,
Jesus Redeemer, mighty to save.
You are the love song we'll sing forever,
Bowing before You, blessing Your name.

Holy, holy Lord God Almighty,
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Highest praises honor and glory
Be unto Your name,
Be unto Your name.

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WE GATHER TOGETHER

We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing.
He chastens and hastens His will to make known.
The wicked oppressing now cease from distressing.
Sing praises to His name—He forgets not His own.

Beside us to guide us, our God with us joining,
Ordaining, maintaining His kingdom divine;
So from the beginning the fight we were winning.
Thou Lord, was at our side—all glory be Thine.

We all do extol Thee, Thou leader triumphant,
And pray that Thou still our defender wilt be.
Let Thy congregation escape tribulation
Thy name be ever praised! O Lord, make us free!

*MEET AND GREET

PREPARATION FOR PRAYER (sung by all)

GOD OF THIS CITY

You're the God of this city.
You're the King of these people.
You're the Lord of this nation.
You are.
You're the light in this darkness.
You're the hope to the hopeless.
You're the peace to the restless.
You are.

There is no one like our God.
There is no one like our God.

Chorus—Greater things have yet to come,
And greater things are still to be done in this city.
Greater things have yet to come,
And greater things are still to be done in this city.

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Marianna Meachen—8:00 AM
Rosella Shishido—9:30 AM

PRAYERFUL RESPONSE (sung by all)

SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD

Spirit of the Living God fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the Living God fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the Living God fall afresh on me.

Written by Daniel Iverson

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EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE

Pastor Steve Peich—8:00 AM
Karen Makishima—9:30 AM

MUSICAL OFFERING (sung by choir)

PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

*Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace, of Thy peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love.
Where there is injury, let me show pardon,
As an instrument of Thy peace.
Where there is doubt, let me plant faith.
Where there is despair,
Let me weave hope.
Where there is darkness, let me shine light.
Where there is sadness, let me bring joy.*

*For it is in giving that we receive,
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
And it is in dying that we are born,
That we are born to Eternal Life,
Eternal Life.*

*Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace,
O Lord, of Thy peace.*

Words by St. Francis of Assisi, Word adaptation and music by Carl J. Nygard, Jr.

MESSAGE

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"TRANSFORMATION PART 2: COMMUNITY TRANSFORMATION"

How to Pray sermon series

JEREMIAH 29:7

(Page 731 in the front half of the house Bible)

But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

SONG OF RESPONSE (sung by all)

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?

Chorus—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 snow and rain, I have borne My people's pain.
I have wept for love of them, they turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
Who will speak My word to them? Whom shall I send?

Chorus

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 till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give My life to them. Whom shall I send?

Chorus

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*BLESSING

*SONG OF BLESSING (sung by all)

THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE

(Traditional)

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!

Following the Song of Blessing, please feel free to come forward for prayer.