

**SONG OF RESPONSE** (sung by soloist)

Leon Williams, Soloist

**GRACE**

*Soloist—I was lost when You found me here,  
You pulled me close and held me near.  
And I'm a fool, but still You love.  
I'll be a fool for the King of love.  
You gave me wings so I could fly,  
And gave me a song to color the sky.  
And all I have is all from You,  
And all I want is all of You.*

*Chorus—It's grace, Your grace,  
I'm nothing without You.  
Your grace, Your grace shines on me.*

*And there've been days when I've walked away,  
Too much to carry, nothin' left to say.  
Forgive me, Lord, when I'm weak and lost,  
You traded Heaven for a wooden cross.  
And all these years You've carried me.  
You've been my eyes when I could not see.  
And beauty grows in the driving rain.  
Your oil of gladness in the times of pain.*

**All—Your grace, Your grace,  
I'm nothing without You.  
Your grace, Your grace shines on me.  
Your grace, Your grace,  
I'm nothing without You.  
Your grace, Your grace shines on me.**

**Shines on me, Shines on me,  
Your grace, it shines on me.  
Shines on me, shines on me,  
It's Your grace.**

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**\*BLESSING**

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

**MAY THE ROAD RISE TO MEET YOU**

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind blow at your back,  
May the sun shine warmly on your face.  
May the rain fall softly on your field.  
And until we meet again, until we meet again,  
May God hold you in the palm of His hand. Amen.

**POSTLUDE**

# Sermon Notes

**Sunday, November 24, 2013**

**"Be Like Stephen" Pastor Dan Chun**

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Arlene Koh—Violinist

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Ryan Souza—Soloist

Leon Williams—Soloist and Assisting in Leading Worship

Sunday, November 24, 2013 • 8:00 AM & 9:30 AM

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# Worship

**HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

**PRELUDE**

Arlene Koh, Violinist

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

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor Dan Chun

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

David Chang—8:00 AM

Rosella Shishido—9:30 AM

**\*PRAISE MEDLEY** (sung by all)

**SIMPLE GIFTS**

'Tis the gift to be simple, tis the gift to be free,  
'Tis the gift to come down where we ought to be.  
And when we find ourselves in the place just right,  
'Twill be in the valley of love and delight.

When true simplicity is gained,  
To bow and to bend we shant be ashamed.  
To turn, turn will be our delight,  
'Til by turning, turning, we come round right.

**LET ALL THINGS NOW LIVING**

Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving  
To God the Creator triumphantly raise,  
Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,  
Who guideth us on to the end of our days.  
His banners are o'er us, His light goes before us,  
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night,  
'Til shadows have vanished and darkness is banished,  
As forward we travel from light into light.

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\*congregation may stand

His law He enforces: the stars in their courses,  
The sun in His orbit, obediently shine;  
The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,  
The deeps of the ocean proclaim Him divine.  
We, too, should be voicing our love and rejoicing,  
With glad adoration a song let us raise,  
'Til all things now living unite in thanksgiving  
To God in the highest, hosanna and praise!

### BLESSED BE YOUR NAME

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful,  
Where Your streams of abundance flow,  
Blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name  
When I'm found in the desert place,  
Though I walk through the wilderness,  
Blessed be Your name.

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise.  
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say—

(Chorus): Blessed be the name of the Lord.  
Blessed be Your name.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord.  
Blessed be Your glorious name.

Blessed be Your name  
When the sun's shining down on me.  
When the world's all as it should be,  
Blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name  
On the road marked with suffering.  
Though there's pain in the offering,  
Blessed be Your name.

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise.  
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say—

Chorus

You give and take away. You give and take away.  
My heart will choose to say  
Lord, blessed be Your name.

Chorus

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## MEET AND GREET

## PREPARATION FOR PRAYER (sung by all)

### LORD, YOU HAVE MY HEART

Lord, You have my heart,  
And I will search for Yours.  
Jesus, take my life and lead me on.  
Lord, You have my heart,  
And I will search for Yours.  
Let me be to You a sacrifice.

And I will praise You, Lord.  
And I will sing of Love come down.

And as You show Your face,  
We'll see Your glory here.

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## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastor Sim Fulcher

## PRAYERFUL RESPONSE (sung by soloist)

Ryan Souza, Soloist

### THANKFUL

*Some days we forget to look around us.  
Some days we can't see the joy that surrounds us.  
So caught up inside ourselves,  
We take when we should give.*

*Chorus—So for today we pray for what we know can be.  
And on this day we hope for what we still can't see.  
It's up to us to be the change.  
And even though we all can still do more,  
There's so much to be thankful for.*

*Look beyond ourselves. There's so much sorrow.  
It's way too late to say I'll cry tomorrow.  
Each of us must find His truth.  
It's so long overdue.*

Chorus

*Even with our differences  
There is a place we're all connected.  
Each of us can find the Father's Light.*

Chorus

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## EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE

## MUSICAL OFFERING (sung by choir)

Chancel Choir

### FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

*For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies,  
Over and around us lies.  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light,  
Sun and moon and stars of light.  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,  
Friends on earth, and friends above,  
For all gentle thoughts and mild;  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For each perfect gift of Thine to our race so freely given,  
Graces human and divine, flowers of earth and buds of heav'n.  
Lord of all, to Thee we raise  
This our joyful hymn of praise.*

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

### GIVE THANKS

Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
Give thanks to the Holy One,  
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.

And now, let the weak say, "I am strong,"  
Let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us."

Give thanks. Give thanks. Give thanks.  
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## \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Helen de Leon Palmore

## MESSAGE

Pastor Dan Chun

### "BE LIKE STEPHEN"

*Book of Acts Sermon Series*

### ACTS 6:7-15

*(Page 124 in the second half of the house Bible)*