



# FOURTH AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

## Pursuing Jesus...Sharing Jesus

October 17, 2021

**Prelude**  
**Welcome, Announcements, & Prayer Requests**  
**Call to Worship**

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### The Bond of Love

**Vs. 1:** We are one in the bond of love; we are one in the bond of love. We have joined our spirit with the Spirit of God; we are one in the bond of love.

**Vs. 2:** Let us sing now, everyone; let us feel His love begin. Let us join our hands that the world will know, we are one in the bond of love.

### Weave

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Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together in unity and love. Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together, together in love.

### Prayer

**Sonny**

In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage... (Phil. 2)

### He Is Exalted

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high. I will praise Him.

He is exalted, forever exalted and I will praise His name!

He is the Lord, forever His truth shall reign. Heaven and earth rejoice in His holy name.

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high!

In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. (Phil. 2)

### Make Me A Servant

Make me a servant, humble and meek; Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.

And may the prayer of my heart always be: make me a servant, make me a servant, make me a servant today.

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### O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

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**Vs. 1:** O sacred Head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down; now scornfully surrounded with thorns, thine only crown; how pale thou art with anguish, with sore abuse and scorn! How does that visage languish which once was bright as morn!

**Vs. 2:** What thou, O Christ hast suffered was all for sinners' gain: mine, mine was the transgression, but thine the deadly pain. Lo, here I fall, my Savior! 'Tis I deserve thy place; look on me with thy favor, and keep me in thy grace.

**Vs. 3:** What language shall I borrow to thank thee, dearest Friend, for this thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end? O make me thine forever; and should I fainting be; O, let me never, never outlive my love to thee.

### Communion Meditation & Prayer

**Pastor and Linda**

### The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power

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**Vs. 1:** The blood that Jesus shed for me... 'way back on Calvary, the blood that gives me strength from day to day, it will never lose its power.

**Chorus:** It reaches to the highest mountain, it flows to the lowest valley. The blood that gives me strength from day to day, it will never lose its power.

**Vs. 2:** It soothes my doubts and calms my fears... and it dries all my tears; the blood that gives me strength from day to day, it will never lose its power.

### Pastoral Prayer

**Pastor Ken**

#### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which 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. Amen.

### **You Are My Hiding Place**

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You are my hiding place, you always fill my heart with songs of deliverance.

Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in you. I will trust in you; let the weak say, “I am strong in the strength of my God.”

You are my hiding place, you always fill my heart with songs of deliverance.

Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in you.

### **Scripture:**

**Philippians 2:1-8 (NIV)**

Therefore if you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any common sharing in the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind. Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus:

Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death—even death on a cross!

### **Message: “Developing the Right Mindset”**

**Pastor Ken**

### **They’ll Know We Are Christians**

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**Vs. 1:** We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord (2x); and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:

**Chorus:** And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love; yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.

**Vs. 2:** We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand (2x); and together we’ll spread the news that God is in our land:

**Vs. 3:** We will work with each other, we will work side by side (2x); and we’ll guard each one’s dignity and save each one’s pride:

**Vs. 4:** All praise to the Father, from whom all things come; and all praise to Christ Jesus, God’s only Son; and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one:

### **Offering Meditation and Prayer**

**Pastor Ken**

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### **Announcements/Benediction**

**Pastor Ken**

### **Thy Word** (Psalm 119:105)

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Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.