

WELCOME TO ELK LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

June 28, 2009

“BE STRONG IN THE LORD”

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Entering Into God’s Presence

Call to Worship - Ps. 18: 1-2
Prayer of Invocation
Hymn #359 - “Alleluia, Alleluia ”
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of God’s Forgiveness and Love

Worshipping God

Song - “*The Battle Belongs to The Lord*”
Song - “*As I Abide in You*”
Song - “*A Shield About Me*”
Special Music – Kathy Alexander
Pastoral Prayer
Song - “*Hear our Prayer*”
Offering
Prayer for children and leaders
Children leave
The following programs are offered:
- Nursery care for children ages 0-3
- Adventure Program for children ages 4-10
- TweenTeam for ages 10 and up

Listening To God

Scripture Reading - Ephesians 6:10-18
{**Red Bible** - pg. 1137; **Burgundy Bible** - pg. 1404}
Leader: “This is the word of the Lord”
People: “Thanks be to God”
Taize Song - “*Nothing Can Trouble*”
Sermon

We are Sent Into The World

Closing Hymn #444 - “I Love to Tell the Story”
Benediction
Dispersal - “Go in Peace”

Postlude

TO OUR GUESTS

We welcome those who are visiting with us this morning as we celebrate the Lord’s presence. Please sign the guest book in the foyer and join us after the service for coffee and conversation in our Fellowship Hall.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to be an outreaching Christian community that is learning to follow the teaching of Jesus and growing together in passionate, worshipful love for God. Prayerfully listening to God, and energized by the Holy Spirit, we will serve Him where He leads us, locally and globally, bearing witness to the gospel in word and deed, with the abundant resources and gifts God has granted us.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ~ **We welcome to our service this morning Kathy Alexander** who will be singing the song “On my Knees”. Kathy started to sing in church as a teenager and eventually became the worship leader and Music Director at Grace Lutheran Church, where she often sang with George Roberts. She graduated from UVIC with a BMus. in 1998. Kathy has taught music at a number of schools in Victoria and is currently Choir Director with the Victoria Children’s Choir. When she isn’t doing that, Kathy has three small children under the age of four who keep her busy .
- ~ **This summer the C.E. Committee** is planning to offer another edition of “**Adventure Camp**”. Talk to Samantha Johnston for more information. The Camp will be held July 13 – 17th from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Helpers are still needed.
- ~ **David and Cathie Phillips and CBM** will lead an unforgettable **tour of Turkey** next October 18th to October 30th. See the Bulletin Board for more information if you think you might be able to join the Phillips on this amazing tour!

- ~ The **church building is being rented** on Thursday evening.
- ~ **The Art Club meets for the final time** next Saturday, July 4th, for the last time this season and will resume again on Saturday, August 29th.

*****Reminders*****

Used Stamps for the Leprosy Mission, and Bar Codes for Island Farms Products can be dropped off at boxes located on the table near the coat rack. Mustard Seed food donations are also collected in the same area, near the coat rack.

THIS WEEK AT ELK LAKE BAPTIST

Saturday	9:30 a.m.	Art Club
Saturday		Worship Team

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

- ~ The Adventure Camp
- ~ Eliza Winston
- ~ Hugh Bradford is scheduled for hip surgery on July 17th

THE BATTLE BELONGS TO THE LORD

Chorus 1

*And we sing glory honor
Power and strength to the Lord
We sing glory honor
Power and strength to the Lord*

Verse 1

In heavenly armor
We'll enter the land
The battle belongs to the Lord
No weapon that's fashioned
Against us will stand
The battle belongs to the Lord

Verse 2

When the power of darkness
Comes in like a flood
The battle belongs to the Lord
He's raised up a standard
The pow'r of His blood
The battle belongs to the Lord

Verse 3

When your enemy presses in hard
Do not fear
The battle belongs to the Lord
Take courage my friend
Your redemption is near
The battle belongs to the Lord

AS I ABIDE IN YOU

You make my joy complete
As I abide in You
You fill my every need
As I abide in You

I will remain in You for all of my days
You will shelter me as I give you praise

I will sing of Your love
I will bring all my love to You
You answer every prayer
As I abide in You
I feel Your love and care
As I abide in You

A SHIELD ABOUT ME

Thou, O Lord, art a shield about me,
You're my glory, You're the lifter of my head.

(repeat)

Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
You're the lifter of my head.

(repeat)

HEAR OUR PRAYER, O LORD

Hear our prayer, O Lord,
Hear our prayer, O Lord,
Incline Thine ear to us,
And grant us Thy peace.

NOTHING CAN TROUBLE

Nothing can trouble, nothing can frighten.
Those who seek God shall never go wanting.
Nothing can trouble, nothing can frighten.
God alone fills us.

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