

WELCOME TO ELK LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

March 20, 2011

“My Help Comes From The Lord”

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Entering into God’s Presence

Call to Worship: Psalm 30:2-4

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn #737 - *“Like a Rive Glorious”*

Lent Reading: Week 2 Genesis 12:1-4

Lent Prayer

Worshipping God

Song - *“Holy”*

Song - *“Amazing Love – You Are My King”*

Song - *“Here By The Water”*

Pastoral Prayer

Song - *“He Is Lord”*

Offering

Song with the Children and Leaders - #750 *“Peace Like a River”*

Children leave

The following programs are offered:

- Nursery care for children ages 0-3

- Adventure Program for ages 4-7

Listening to God

Scripture Reading: John 3: 1-17

{Red Bible - pg. 1029: Burgundy Bible - pg. 1283

Leader: “This is the word of the Lord”

People: “Thanks be to God”

Taize Song – *“Wait For The Lord”*

Sermon

We are Sent into the World

Closing Hymn - #712 *“Be Still My Soul”*

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...

ANNOUNCEMENTS

~ **Adult Sunday School** meets at 10:00 a.m. each Sunday.

You are welcome to join in the discussion.

~ **The Canadian Baptists of Western Canada Assembly 2011**

will be held in Banff on April 28-30. See the literature table for brochures.

~ **Steve Bell CD Release Concert** will be held on Saturday, March 26 at 7:30 p.m. at Lambrick Park Church. See Bulletin Board for more info.

~ There will be a **Building & Grounds** meeting here at the Church, Wednesday, March 23 at 7 p.m.

~ **For your information:** At the Annual general Meeting, the congregation approved a full review of the ELB Constitution. This is a “routine” review in light of the fact that the Constitution has not been reviewed for quite some time. This is now underway. Joanna Richards, Greg Hatton and Les Biggs are leading this process. If you would like to raise any issues about the constitution, please speak to one of these members of the

Constitution Review Committee. Copies of the constitution are available in the church office.

~ **Pacific Christian School** is offering – **FREE OF CHARGE** – a **computer course for seniors** who have no experience with computers. This free course will run for six weeks on Tuesdays and Fridays from 12:45 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. starting on April 5. The teacher is the son and son-in-law of two octogenarians who

have recently learned to send emails and use Facebook. If interested, contact the school at 250-479-4531 ext. 101.

~ **Canadian Baptist Ministries** is involved in relief work in Japan in response to the recent devastating earthquake and tsunami. Donations can be made to the Sharing Way Japan Earthquake Fund by designating money to this fund on your ELB giving envelope (available in the pocket on the back of the chairs or from Lu Funk).

THIS WEEK AT ELK LAKE BAPTIST

Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Building & Grounds
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Men’s Breakfast
Saturday	9:30 a.m.	Art Club

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near.
Wait for the Lord: be strong, take heart!

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

- ~ For those affected by the earthquake & tsunami in Japan
- ~ Arnold Brenton waiting for surgery
- ~ Charlotte- Ann Sekul

HOLY

Holy, holy are you Lord.
As sinners pardoned we are called,
Casting off these heavy days
We're trading up for a yoke of praise

Chorus

***You are holy
You will ever be
As you have forever been***

Holy, holy great and wise,
And by your grace every day we rise
To fall upon our faces and
Come crawling back to your feet again

Holy, holy healing Word
For in this mercy we have been burned
And sealed for everlasting life
With our King and Redeemer, Jesus Christ.

AMAZING LOVE - You Are My King

I'm forgiven, because You were forsaken
I'm accepted, You were condemned
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me
Because you died and rose again

***Amazing love, how can it be
That You my king would die for me?
Amazing love, I know it's true
And it's my joy to honor You
In all I do, I honor You***

You are my king, You are my king
Jesus, You are my king, Jesus, You are my king

HEre by the Water

(1) Soft field of clover
Moon shinning over the valley
Joining the song of the river
To the great giver
Of the great good

(Chorus)

***Here by the water
I'll build an altar to praise Him
Out of the stones that I've found here
I'll set them down here
Rough as they are***

(2) As it enfolds me
Somehow it holds me together
I realize I've been singing
Still it comes ringing
Clearer than clear

(3) I think how a yearning
Kept on returning to move me
Down roads I'd never have chosen
Half the time frozen
Too numb to feel

(4) I know it was stormy
Hope it was for me a learning
Blood on the road wasn't mine though
Someone that I know
Has walked here before

(End) Knowing You can make them holy (x3)

HE IS LORD

He is Lord, He is Lord.
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord.

WAIT FOR THE LORD

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