



***CELEBRATION  
OF  
FREEDOM***

July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016 5:00pm  
July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016 10:00am

Greetings! Welcome to the 2016 Celebration of Freedom Old Time Religion worship service. Let us praise our God together for this great country in which we live, for this wonderful, thought-provoking music, and for His many blessings.

## \* GATHERING MUSIC

*Patriotic Medley*

*Every Time I Feel the Spirit*

*Somebody's Knockin'*

*Grace That is Greater*

## WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

### © OPENING HYMN

*My Lord, What a Morning*

Refrain

My Lord, what a morning!  
My Lord, what a morning!  
O my Lord, what a morning!  
When the stars begin to fall.

When you hear the trumpet sound,  
to wake the nations underground,  
looking to my God's right hand  
when the stars begin to fall.

Refrain

You'll hear a sinner cry,  
To wake the nations underground,  
Looking to my God's right hand,  
When the stars begin to fall.

Refrain

You'll hear a Christian shout,  
To wake the nations underground,  
Looking to my God's right hand,  
When the stars begin to fall.

Refrain

## ¶ THE LESSONS

Psalm 139:1-6

Galatians 6:7-10

## \*SPECIAL MUSIC

*Just A Closer Walk*

*Peace Like a River*

## ¶ THE GOSPEL

John 1:14-18

## © SERMON HYMN

*Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

O soul, are you weary and troubled?  
No light in the darkness you see?  
There's light for a look at the Savior,  
And life more abundant and free!

Refrain:

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,  
Look full in His wonderful face,  
And the things of earth will grow  
strangely dim,  
In the light of His glory and grace.

Through death into life everlasting  
He passed, and we follow Him there;  
O'er us sin no more hath dominion—  
For more than conqu'rors we are!

Refrain

His Word shall not fail you—He promised;  
Believe Him, and all will be well:  
Then go to a world that is dying,  
His perfect salvation to tell!

Refrain

# THE SERMON “Do You Know God’s Grace?”

*\*Amazing Grace*

*\*Grace That is Greater*

## THE OFFERING and OFFERING HYMN

### © *When the Roll is Called Up Yonder*

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound, and time shall be no more,  
And the morning breaks, eternal, bright and fair;  
When the saved of earth shall gather over on the other shore,  
And the roll is called up yonder, I’ll be there.

#### *Refrain*

*When the roll, is called up yon-der,  
When the roll, is called up yon-der,  
When the roll, is called up yon-der,  
When the roll is called up yonder I’ll be there.*

On that bright and cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise,  
And the glory of His resurrection share;  
When His chosen ones shall gather to their home beyond the skies,  
And the roll is called up yonder, I’ll be there.

#### *Refrain*

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun,  
Let us talk of all His wondrous love and care;  
Then when all of life is over, and our work on earth is done,  
And the roll is called up yonder, I’ll be there.

#### *Refrain*

\* - Band Sings

© - Congregation Hymn

¶ - Leader/Preacher

*\* I'll Fly Away*

*\*One Day at a Time*

¶ THE PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

¶ THE BENEDICTION

THE CLOSING HYMN

© *Oh Happy Day*

Oh, happy day (oh, happy day)

Oh, happy day (oh, happy day)

When Jesus washed (when Jesus washed)

oh when he washed (when Jesus washed)

when Jesus washed (when Jesus washed)

he washed my sins away! (oh, happy day)

Oh, happy day (oh, happy day)

Oh, happy day (oh, happy day)

oh, happy day (oh, happy day)

When Jesus washed (when Jesus washed)

oh when he washed (when Jesus washed)

when Jesus washed (when Jesus washed)

he washed my sins away! (oh, happy day)

He taught me how to watch, fight and pray, fight and pray

And live rejoicing every, everyday.

Oh happy day....

He taught me how....

Oh happy day (oh happy day)

Oh happy day (oh happy day)

Oh happy day (oh happy day)

## THE CLOSING HYMN (continued)

*\*I Saw the Light*

*\*O Beautiful For Spacious Skies*

*\*When the Saints Go Marching In*

Thanks to Johns Koziol, Jr., The Fishin' Musician,  
Pat Balder, and Sherri Lohmann for sharing  
their gifts of music with us today.

A *Free Will* offering basket will be found as you enter  
the Fellowship Hall to help offset the cost of the band.

*Thanks for joining us today.*  
Enjoy your holiday. Stay Safe.

We hope you enjoyed our Celebration of Freedom Service. It is important to take some time to remember our country and its leaders in prayer. We are blessed to be able to live freely in the United States. But we find our true freedom in the person of Jesus Christ. Let us join together in worshipping our Lord and King.

Don't forget to join us at the Glen Parade on Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30am.

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### ***MISSION STATEMENT***

*We will LIVE and SERVE through FAITH*

*we will ACT with LOVE and KINDNESS*

*we will GIVE hope and SUPPORT to all.*

## **THIS WEEK AT BETHESDA**

July 4 – July 10

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Monday	7/4	HAPPY 4 <sup>TH</sup> OF JULY! 10:30 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm	Glen 4 <sup>th</sup> of July Parade Double Deck Pinochle AA/Alanon
Tuesday	7/5	7:30-10:00 9:00 am 1:00 pm	Pastor Text Study Crafters Bridge
Wednesday	7/6	8:30 am 9:30am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Bible Study Stitchers Choir Practice Praise Team
Thursday	7/7	8:00 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm 6:00 pm	Romeos W&M meeting Fun Timers Bell Choir Practice
Friday	7/8	10:00am	Bones
Saturday	7/9	8:00 am	Veggie Stand
Sunday	7/10	8:30 am 10:00 am	Worship Worship

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**VEGGIE STAND** The Veggie Stand was opened as usual on July 2nd. Mary Vukelich, Emily and Will very graciously volunteered to staff the stand at least during the month of July. Of course any extra help will be appreciated. So keep those donations of baked goods and veggies coming and help them have a profitable and fun experience. Many thanks to our Bethesda family.

**COFFEE SERVERS NEEDED** Please check the hospitality host chart for coffee fellowship. If you can help out in this way, please find a partner and sign up. Thanks.

**GLEN 4<sup>th</sup> OF JULY PARADE** Everyone is invited to join in a bit of Americana. Monday, July 4, 2016. Parade starts at 10:30am.