

**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**Ascension Sunday**

**May 29, 2022**

**10:00 AM**

Prelude: Worship Melody Betsy Wagner

**Welcome and Church Life**

Rev. Liz Jensen

\* Call to Worship

Pastor: We gather today to recall the life of the man from Nazareth.

**People: The hour has come to glorify Jesus Christ.**

Pastor: We gather today to hail the victory of our Lord over the grave.

**People: The hour has come to magnify Jesus Christ.**

Pastor: We gather today to celebrate the coronation of the Savior of the world.

**People: The hour has come to exalt Jesus Christ, to become one with Christ, as Christ became one with God.**

\* Invocation

\* Hymn # 220 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

**Offering** \* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

**Prayers of the People** and the Lord's Prayer

\* Hymn # 224 Crown Him with Many Crowns

**Scripture Lesson** Acts 1:1-11 Diane Carl

**Special Music** I Believe Norma Goodwin

**Today's Message:** "He Ascended into Heaven" Rev. Liz Jensen

\* Closing Hymn # 222 Jesus Shall Reign

\* **Benediction**

Postlude:

**Church Bell Chimes indicate the start of worship**

\* You may choose to stand or remain seated.

**CHURCH LIFE**

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

**Global Mission Emphasis:** Evangelical Covenant Churches around the world  
**Local Mission Emphasis:** Pray for the Body of Christ serving in churches in our local community.

Pray for our Pastor Search committee.

Pray for local, national and world leaders, that they would seek God's wisdom as they lead.

Pray for your neighbors. Continue to pray for the members of our congregation who are dealing with illness, recovering from surgery, or unable to attend currently.

Pray for Dick and Linda Cross, Bill Whitman, Jim Black

**\*\*Notice** if you have a prayer request send to office. If you know of someone who has been sick or needs cheering up that we could deliver flowers to let us know. Name and address.

Ask God to use you in His Service to this community. *You are His Church.*

**Sun. May 29 at 8 p.m. on PBS** Tune in to the 33rd annual broadcast of the National Memorial Day Concert, America's national night of remembrance. On the eve of Memorial Day, a star-studded lineup will grace the stage for one of the highest-rated programs on PBS.

**On Sunday June 5 (NEXT Sunday)** Christians around the world will celebrate Pentecost, the day the Holy Spirit came and those present heard "a sound like the blowing of a violent wind ... and saw what seemed to be tongues of fire" (Acts 2:2-3). The fans and the air-conditioning system may approximate a "sound like the blowing of a wind". Let us approximate the "fire" by wearing clothing with fire colors, i.e., yellows, oranges, and reds. Let's make Pentecost visible!

**BIRTHDAYS**

Betty Ballard 5/31, Janet VanGilder 5/31, Barb Atkins 6/3,  
Jane McKenzie 6/4,

## SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 1:1-11

Acts 1:1 In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach 2 until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. 3 During the forty days after his crucifixion, he appeared to the apostles from time to time and proved to them in many ways that he was actually alive. On these occasions he talked to them about the Kingdom of God. 4 On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. 5 For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

6 So when they met together, they asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?"

7 He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. 8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

9 After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight.

10 They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. 11 "Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you

**Head Usher:** George Alexander

**Usher/Greeters:**

Jane McKenzie & Pam Walton

Diane Hartley & Misty McDuffie

**Attendance Last Sunday:**

**In-Person: 45**

**Online: 26**

**CHURCH WEBSITE**

**[WWW.BAYINDIESCHURCH.COM](http://WWW.BAYINDIESCHURCH.COM)**

You will find video recordings of previous services, copies of the worship folders, and photos of events.



## **EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF BAY INDIES**



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# All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

First Tune

Edward Perronet, 1726-1792  
 Alt. by John Rippon, 1751-1836

CORONATION C.M.  
 Oliver Holden, 1765-1844

1 All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall;  
 2 Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, Ye ran - somed from the fall,  
 3 Let ev - 'ry kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe, On this ter - res - trial ball,  
 4 O that with yon - der sa - cred throng We at his feet may fall!

Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And crown him Lord of all; Bring  
 Hail him who saves you by his grace, And crown him Lord of all; Hail  
 To him all maj - es - ty as - crite, And crown him Lord of all; To  
 We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, And crown him Lord of all; We'll

forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And crown him Lord of all!  
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 him all maj - es - ty as - crite, And crown him Lord of all!  
 join the ev - er - last - ing song, And crown him Lord of all! A - men.

Matthew Bridges, 1800-1894  
 Godfrey Thring, 1823-1903, St. 3

DIADEMATA S.M.D.  
 George J. Elvey, 1816-1893

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, The Lamb up - on his throne:  
 2 Crown him the Lord of love: Be - hold his hands and side,  
 3 Crown him the Lord of life: Who tri - umphed o'er the grave,  
 4 Crown him the Lord of heav'n: One with the Fa - ther known,  
 5 Crown him the Lord of years: The po - ten - tate of time,

Hark! how the heav'n - ly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own!  
 Rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, In beau - ty glo - ri - fied;  
 Who rose vic - to - rious to the strife For those he came to save;  
 One with the Spir - it through him giv'n From yon - der glo - rious throne.  
 Cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, In - ef - fa - bly sub - lime.

A - wake, my soul, and sing Of him who died for thee; And  
 No an - gel in the sky Can ful - ly bear that sight, But  
 His glo - ries now we sing, Who died and rose on high, Who  
 To thee be end - less praise, For thou for us hast died; Be  
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me; Thy

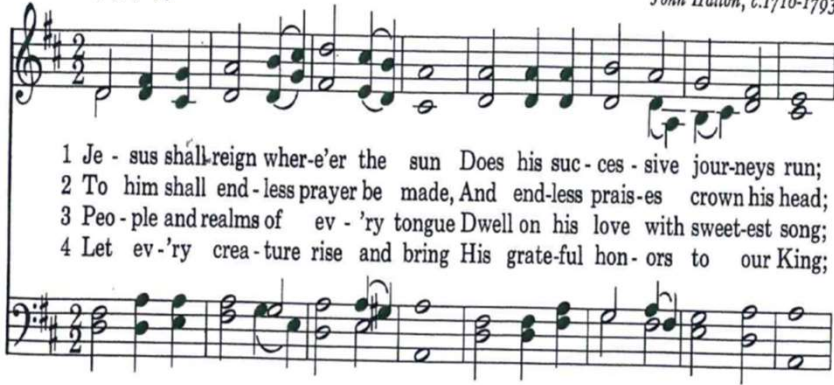
hail him as thy match - less King Thru all e - ter - ni - ty.  
 down - ward bends his won - d'ring eye At mys - ter - ies so bright.  
 died e - ter - nal life to bring, And lives that death may die.  
 thou, O Lord, thru end - less days A - dored and mag - ni - fied.  
 praise and glo - ry shall not fail Thru - out e - ter - ni - ty. A - men.

# Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

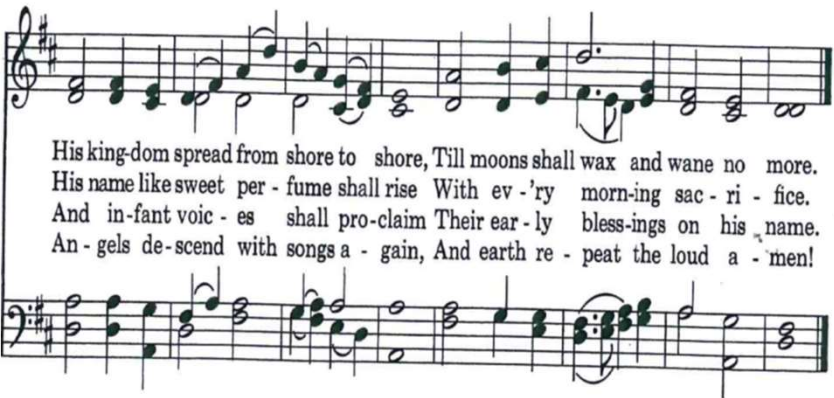
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Based on Psalm 72  
Isaac Watts, 1674-1748

DUKE STREET L.M.  
John Hallon, c.1710-1793



1 Je - sus shall-reign wher-e'er the sun Does his suc - ces - sive jour-neys run;  
2 To him shall end - less prayer be made, And end-less prais-es crown his head;  
3 Peo - ple and realms of ev - 'ry tongue Dwell on his love with sweet-est song;  
4 Let ev - 'ry crea - ture rise and bring His grate-ful hon - ors to our King;



His king-dom spread from shore to shore, Till moons shall wax and wane no more.  
His name like sweet per - fume shall rise With ev - 'ry morn-ing sac - ri - fice.  
And in - fant voic - es shall pro-claim Their ear - ly bless-ings on his name.  
An - gels de-scend with songs a - gain, And earth re - peat the loud a - men!