### Sunday Praise and Worship Service

### Matthew 8:23-27 (ESV) Jesus Calms a Storm

<sup>23</sup> And when he got into the boat, his disciples followed him. <sup>24</sup> And behold, there arose a great storm on the sea, so that the boat was being swamped by the waves; but he was asleep. <sup>25</sup> And they went and woke him, saying, "Save us, Lord; we are perishing." <sup>26</sup> And he said to them, "Why are you afraid, O you of little faith?" Then he rose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm. <sup>27</sup> And the men marveled, saying, "What sort of man is this, that even winds and sea obey him?"

### Matthew 14:28-33 (ESV) Jesus Walks on the Water

<sup>28</sup> And Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." <sup>29</sup> He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. <sup>30</sup> But when he saw the wind, <sup>[c]</sup> he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, "Lord, save me." <sup>31</sup> Jesus immediately reached out his hand and took hold of him, saying to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" <sup>32</sup> And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. <sup>33</sup> And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

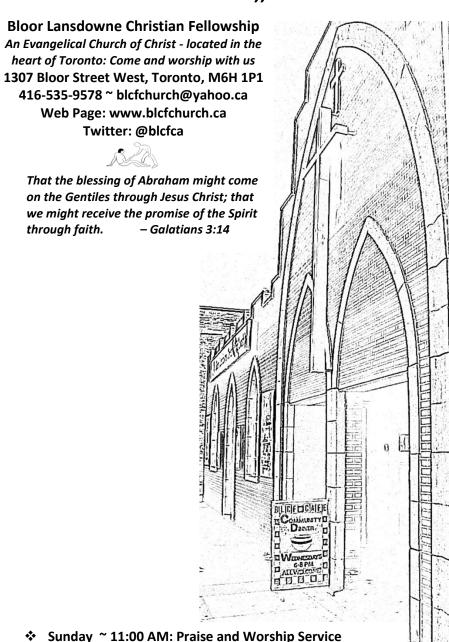
Footnotes: a. <u>Matthew 14:24</u> Greek *many stadia*, a *stadion* was about 607 feet or 185 meters b. <u>Matthew 14:24</u> Some manuscripts *was out on the sea* c. <u>Matthew 14:30</u> Some manuscripts *strong wind* 



John 20:30-31 (ESV) The Purpose of This Book

<sup>30</sup> Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; <sup>31</sup> but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

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- Tuesday June 2 7:20 DM Drayer Walk at BLCE Ch
- Tuesday June 3 7:30 PM Prayer Walk at BLCF Church
- Wednesday ~ 11:30 AM Prayer and Bible Study
- **❖** Wednesday ~ 6-8 PM: BLCF Café Community Dinner
- Friday 7:00 PM Outreach

# Sunday Praise and Worship Service † Order of Service

Announcements and Call to Worship: Responsive Reading #648 (A Challenge to Faith – Hebrews 11 and 12); Prayer

Opening Hymn # 237 What Can Wash Away My Sin?

Prayer and Tithing - Hymn #572: Praise God; Prayer Requests

Scripture Verses: Hebrews 11:1-3 and Matthew 17:14-20

Message by Steve Mickelson: 'Alive in Christ – Faith's Reward'

Closing Hymn #8: Glory Be to God the Father

Communion - (1 Corinthians 11:23-26):

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Benediction - (Colossians 2:6-7 - Alive in Christ):

Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.



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#### Hebrews 11:1-3 (ESV) By Faith

11 Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. For by it the people of old received their commendation. By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.

#### Matthew 6:30-34 (ESV)

<sup>30</sup> But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?

<sup>31</sup> Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. <sup>33</sup> But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

<sup>34</sup> "Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.

Matthew 17:14-20 (ESV) Jesus Heals a Boy with a Demon <sup>14</sup> And when they came to the crowd, a man came up to him and, kneeling before him, <sup>15</sup> said, "Lord, have mercy on my son, for he is an epileptic and he suffers terribly. For often he falls into the fire, and often into the water. <sup>16</sup> And I brought him to your disciples, and they could not heal him." <sup>17</sup> And Jesus answered, "O faithless and twisted generation, how long am I to be with you? How long am I to bear with you? Bring him here to me." <sup>18</sup> And Jesus rebuked the demon, <sup>[a]</sup> and it came out of him, and the boy was healed instantly. <sup>[c]</sup> <sup>19</sup> Then the disciples came to Jesus privately and said, "Why could we not cast it out?" <sup>20</sup> He said to them, "Because of your little faith. For truly, I say to you, if you have faith like a grain of mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move, and nothing will be impossible for you." <sup>[d]</sup>

Footnotes: a. <u>Matthew 17:18</u> Greek *it* b. <u>Matthew 17:18</u> Greek *the demon* c. <u>Matthew 17:18</u> Greek *from that hour* d. <u>Matthew 17:20</u> Some manuscripts insert verse <u>21</u>: But this kind never comes out except by prayer and fasting

To have faith is to trust yourself to the water. When you swim you don't grab hold of the water, because if you do you will sink and drown. Instead you relax, and float.