### BROOKLYN EVANGELICAL FREE Church

## Welcome!

## And thank you for worshipping with us!

August 24, 2025

#### **Hymn of Heaven**

How I long to breathe the air of Heaven
Where pain is gone and mercy fills the streets
To look upon the one who bled to save me
And walk with Him for all eternity

There will be a day When all will bow before Him
There will be a day When death will be no more
Standing face to face With He who died and rose again
Holy holy is the Lord

And ev'ry prayer we prayed in desperation
The songs of faith
We sang through doubt and fear
In the end we'll see that it was worth it
When He returns to wipe away our tears

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Standing face to face With He who died and rose again
Holy holy is the Lord

And on that day we join the resurrection
And stand beside the heroes of the faith
With one voice a thousand generations
Sing worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Forever He shall reign

# There will be a day When all will bow before Him There will be a day When death will be no more Standing face to face With He who died and rose again Holy holy is the Lord

So let it be today We shout the hymn of Heaven
With angels and the Saints We raise a mighty roar
Glory to our God Who gave us life beyond the grave
Holy holy is the Lord
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#### You Are God Alone

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You are not a god created by human hands;
You are not a god dependent on any mortal man.
You are not a god in need of anything we can give.
By Your plan, that's just the way it is.

You are God alone: From before time began You were on Your throne; You were God alone. And right now in the good times and bad, You are on Your throne; You are God alone!

You're the only God whose power none can contend.
You're the only God whose name and praise will never end.
You're the only God who's worthy of everything we can give.
You are God, that's just the way it is.

You are God alone: From before time began You were on Your throne; You were God alone. And right now in the good times and bad, You are on Your throne; You are God alone!

Unchangeable! Unshakable! Unstoppable!
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#### Psalm 2

1 Why do the nations rage and the peoples plot in vain?
2 The kings of the earth set themselves,
and the rulers take counsel together,
against the LORD and against his Anointed, saying,
3 "Let us burst their bonds apart
and cast away their cords from us."

4 He who sits in the heavens laughs; the Lord holds them in derision.

5 Then he will speak to them in his wrath, and terrify them in his fury, saying, 6 "As for me, I have set my King on Zion, my holy hill."

7 I will tell of the decree:

The LORD said to me, "You are my Son; today I have begotten you.

8 Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage, and the ends of the earth your possession.

9 You shall break them with a rod of iron and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel."

10 Now therefore, O kings, be wise; be warned. O rulers of the earth.

11 Serve the LORD with fear, and rejoice with trembling.
12 Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and you perish in the way, for his wrath is quickly kindled.
Blessed are all who take refuge in him.

#### **Prayer Concerns**

Andrew & Nadine Cavari, YWAM; Dawn Johnson; Lily Harms; Adam Nelson; Barb Koth; Sandy Fahlberg; Brianna & Natalie Dose; Leanne Olivier, Doreen's sister; Hidden Acres Camp; Our Nation

Scripture Reading: John 8:48-59

Worship in Giving

Music Ministry: Riley Adam

#### Glory to the Lamb

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For He is glorious and worthy to be praised
The Lamb upon the throne
And unto Him we lift our voice in praise
The Lamb upon the throne

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#### "BEFORE ABRAHAM WAS, I AM"

John 8:48-59 | Pastor John Mochel August 24, 2025

Obey Jesus because He is with God and is God.

I. Jesus honors His Father, therefore you must keep His Word. John 8:48-51

II. Jesus keeps the Father's Word and is glorified by the Father. John

III. Jesus is God who exists with the Father. John 8:57-59

8:52-56

#### O Word of God Incarnate

O Word of God incarnate
O wisdom from on high
O truth unchanged unchanging
O light of our dark sky
We praise Thee for the radiance
That from the hallowed page
A lantern to our footsteps
Shines on from age to age

The Church from You dear Master
Received the gift divine
And still that light is lifteth
O'er all the earth to shine
It is the chart and compass
That o'er life's surging sea
Amid the rocks and quick-sands
Still guides O Christ to You

O make Your Church dear Saviour
A lamp of burnished gold
To bear before the nations
Thy true light as of old
O teach Thy wandering pilgrims
By this their path to trace
Till clouds and darkness ended
They see Thee face to face

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#### **OUR TITHES**

Weekly needed Last Week Average \$6,690.00 \$7,336.24 \$7,548.91

If you are mailing your offering to the church, send to:

Brooklyn Church PO Box 688 Beresford SD 57004

#### THIS EVENING

No evening study

#### THIS WEEK AT BROOKLYN

#### Sunday afternoon - September 2

Pastor and Nancy on vacation

Monday

6:30pm Pathways, City Library

7:00pm Dig Deeper, In-depth study of Sunday's sermon, FH

Tuesday

8:00am CC Homeschool

Wednesday

6:30pm AIC Middle and High School Youth Kick-off, YB

Thursday

9:30am Women's Study, FH

5:30pm CC Homeschool Event, FH

7:30pm Men's Discipleship, Dale's Coop

Friday

8am-4pm Guiding Star Workshop, FH

#### **CHURCH FAMILY CONNECTIONS**

#### **Sunday School Picnic Today!**

Join us today in the fellowship hall, for an indoor picnic, complete with brats, burgers and hot dogs and all the fixings as well as ice cream for dessert! Then stick around for yard games afterwards!

#### **Faith In Action Food Pantry**

August is Brooklyn's month to help stock the shelves for Faith in Action, located in the Emmanuel Lutheran Church Basement. A list of items needed is available at the Welcome Desk. They are open Thursdays, 1-6pm or you may bring your donations to the church.

#### Gearing Up for AWANA

The kids have headed back to school so once again it's time for AWANA to begin! Kids' lives are being transformed as they memorize God's Word. Thank you to all our volunteers who help to make this possible! AWANA kick-off is Sept. 3rd at 6:30pm in the fellowship hall!

#### **MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT**

#### **Greeters**

This Week: Karen Erickson
Next Week: Mark & Karla Bovill

#### **Nursery**

This Week: Nancy Swanstrom & Abby Wergin

Next Week: Hannah & Audrey Bird

#### Children's Church

This Week: B VanHofwegen & B Hoffman Next Week: Nancy Mochel & Sara Hoffman

#### **Music/Testimony/Missions Moment**

This Week: Riley Adam

Next Week: Steve VanHofwegen

#### **Scripture Reader**

This Week: Arlyn Abrams
Next Week: Eric Adam

#### **Ushers**

Clif Carnes, Reid Jensen, Andy German, Ron Swanson Worship Leader: John Fahlberg Keyboard: Doreen Fahlberg

## High School BIBLE INSTRUCTION CLASS

The High School Bible instruction class will begin during the Sunday School hour,

9am, Sunday, September 7.

Incoming students, freshman and others, will receive their new ESV Bibles and Grudem, <u>Bible Doctrine</u> books, then.