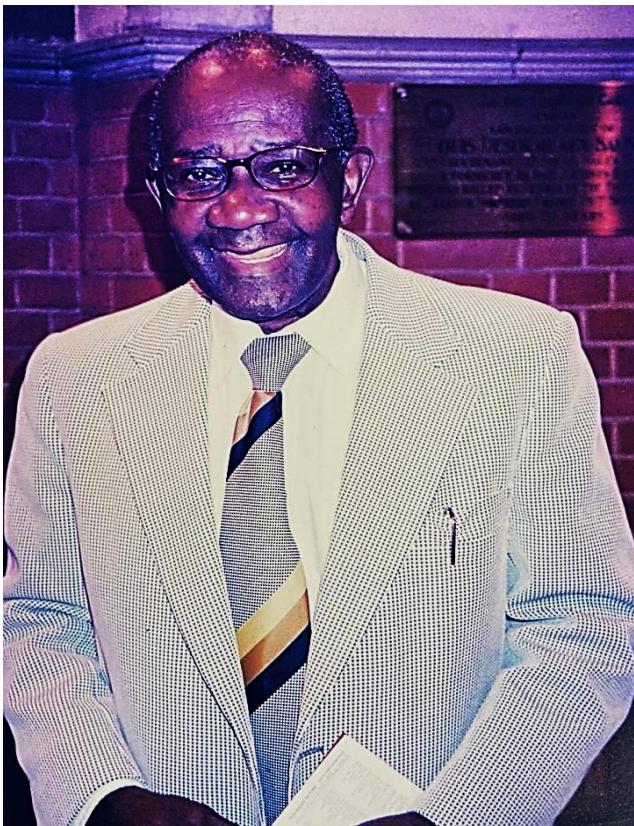


Thanksgiving Service for the
life of
Basil Royland Lewis



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Thanksgiving Service 28 May 2022

The service will be led by:

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WELCOME

PRAYERS

HYMN: O Lord my God (BPW 62)

(1) O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed;

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!*

(2) When through the woods and forest glades I
wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze;

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!*

(3) And when I think that God his Son not sparing,
Sent him to die - I scarce can take it in,

That on the cross my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!*

(4) When Christ shall come with shout of
acclamation

And take me home - what joy shall fill my heart!
Then shall I bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, My God, how great thou art!

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!*

BASIL'S LIFE

HYMN: Amazing Grace (BPW 550)

(1) Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound
that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
was blind, but now I see.

(2) 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed!

(3) My rebel soul, that once withstood,
the Saviour's kindest call,
rejoices now, by grace subdued,
to serve him with its all.

(4) Through many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already come;
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.

(5) What thanks I owe you, and what love –
a boundless, endless store –
shall echo through the realms above
when time shall be no more.

READING: Romans 12 v.1-18 (read by Peter Gilbert)

SERMON

HYMN: Because He Lives (MP 52)

(1) God sent His son, they called Him Jesus;
He came to love, heal and forgive;
He lived and died to buy my pardon,
an empty grave is there to prove my Saviour lives!

*Because He lives, I can face tomorrow;
because He lives, all fear is gone;
because I know He holds the future,
and life is worth the living,
just because He lives!*

(2) How sweet to hold a new-born baby,
and feel the pride and joy he gives;
but greater still the calm assurance:
this child can face uncertain days
because He lives!

*Because He lives, I can face tomorrow;
because He lives, all fear is gone;
because I know He holds the future,
and life is worth the living,
just because He lives!*

(3) And then one day I'll cross the river,
I'll fight life's final war with pain;
and then as death gives way to victory,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives!

*Because He lives, I can face tomorrow;
because He lives, all fear is gone;
because I know He holds the future,
and life is worth the living,
just because He lives!*

TRIBUTES

PRAYERS

HYMN: Great Is Thy Faithfulness (BPW 553)

1) Great is your faithfulness, O God my Father,
You have fulfilled all your promise to me.
You never fail and your love is unchanging;
all you have been You for ever will be.

*Great is your faithfulness!
Great is your faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed your hand has provided
Great is your faithfulness, Father, to me.*

(2) Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
sun, moon and stars in their courses above
join with all nature in eloquent witness
to your great faithfulness, mercy and love.

*Great is your faithfulness!
Great is your faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed your hand has provided
Great is your faithfulness, Father, to me.*

(3) Pardon for sin, and a peace everlasting,
your living presence to cheer and to guide;
strength for today, and bright hope for
tomorrow
these are the blessings your love will provide.

*Great is your faithfulness!
Great is your faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed your hand has provided
Great is your faithfulness, Father, to me.*

BLESSING

Wayne, Derrick and Barry Lewis ask you to
join them in the hall downstairs afterwards
for food and conversation.



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