

# THE BRIARWOOD WEEKLY

• FEBRUARY 12, 2021 •

GLOBAL MINISTRIES CONFERENCE 2021

## FOUND FAITHFUL

*the Gospel to the Nations*



Our annual Global Ministries Conference, entitled "Found Faithful: The Gospel to the Nations," will be held February 21–28. Our theme verse is Luke 8:1, *"Soon afterward He went on through cities and villages, proclaiming and bringing the good news of the kingdom of God. And the twelve were with Him..."*

We have 26 missionary partners participating in the conference from many countries, including: Bangladesh, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cuba, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Iran, Ireland, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Malaysia, Malawi, Norway, South Africa, Spain, Sudan and several serving in sensitive areas. We can't wait for you to hear the stories from our International staff. Briarwood's legacy of supporting and sending missionaries comes straight from our Mission Statement: "For God's glory, Briarwood is committed to equipping Christians to worship God and to reach Birmingham to reach the world for Christ!" Our Missions team is praying that God will use this conference to encourage our missionaries, equip our members, and send even more missionaries from Briarwood.

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# CONVERSATIONS

WITH HARRY AND BRUCE

Join us Sun., Feb. 14 for evening worship at 6:00 p.m. in-person or via livestream. Included in the service Pastor Reeder and Bruce Stallings will answer questions submitted to [askthepastor@briarwood.org](mailto:askthepastor@briarwood.org).

Available on [briarwood.org](http://briarwood.org), Facebook, Roku, AppleTV and the Briarwood App.

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We are grateful to God that He has sent Dr. John Currie from Westminster Theological Seminary to be our keynote speaker during our three morning worship services as well as Sunday and Monday evening. During these in-person and livestreamed services, we will have live interviews with four of our missionaries. In addition, we have double global ministry glimpses on Tuesday and Wednesday night beginning at 6:30 p.m. via interactive zoom meetings. All links are available on our website. Our Children's ministry will be hosting the GLOW (Go Light Our World) conference for grades K4-6 grade. Details are available on the Briarwood website.

Please be in prayer for the conference and our missionaries in preparation for this special week. You may sign up for the 24-hour prayer chain and read our conference partner's bios at [briarwood.org/gmc](http://briarwood.org/gmc). May the Lord use this time to inspire, equip, and mobilize Briarwood Church on mission!

Bryan Wintersteen, Global Missions Pastor

## Global Ministries Conference 24-hour Prayer Chain

8:00 a.m. Sat., Feb. 20  
through  
8:00 a.m. Sun., Feb. 21

Take this unique opportunity to pray for our conference during this 24-hour period. Go to [briarwood.org/gmcpayer](http://briarwood.org/gmcpayer) to sign up now.

# GLOW

Go Light Our World

Children's Missions Conference Feb. 21–22  
for K4 – 6th grade

The GLOW Conference will take place in the Children's Auditorium during Sunday morning (K4–3rd Grade) and Sunday and Monday Evening Services (K4–6th Grade). No registration is required for these in-person meetings. In addition, the Children's Ministry Staff desires to partner with your family by presenting a special interactive Missions lesson for your children during this year's conference. All Briarwood members who register their child or grandchild online will receive a box of materials that will interact with our Missions lesson.

The box will include object lessons, crafts, supplies, discussion questions (and even some fun, unexpected items).

To ensure receiving this year's GLOW Box, register online no later than Wed., Feb. 17 at 5:00 p.m. Boxes will be delivered during the day on Mon., Feb. 22.

Register at [briarwood.org/children](http://briarwood.org/children).



# Celebration of Worship

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MORNING SERVICES OF DIVINE WORSHIP – February 14, 2021

## Worship Leaders

Dr. Harry L. Reeder III, Pastor/Teacher

Mr. Bruce Stallings, Executive Pastor

Rev. Daniel Cason, Pianist

Dr. John Haines, Worship Pastor

Mr. Hunter Goff, Organist

## THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

*I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation... Psalm 40:9*

The Call to Worship and Preparation from the Psalms

Psalm 61:1, 2

[All:] Hear my cry, O God, listen to my prayer; from the end of the earth  
I call to You when my heart is faint. Lead me to the Rock that is  
higher than I...

The Prelude and Time of Meditation and Confession

*"Grace Greater Than Our Sin"* (arr. K. Christopher)  
Briarwood Winds

*To You, O Lord, I lift up my soul; in You alone do I trust, O my God. Remember, O Lord,  
Your great mercy and love, for they are from of old. Remember not the sins of my youth and  
my rebellious ways; according to Your love remember me, for You are good, O Lord. For the  
sake of Your name forgive my iniquity, for it is great. Look upon my affliction and my distress  
and take away all my sins. Guard my life and rescue me; let me not be put to shame, for  
I take refuge in You. These things I ask in the strong name of Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.*

The Invocation

The Gospel Word of Salvation

\*The Greeting of Grace and Peace

\*The Hymn of Ascents

*"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"* Hymn 97

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all;  
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall,  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all;  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all!

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe, On this terrestrial ball,  
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all;  
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng We at His feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all;  
We'll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all!

**\*The Confession of Truth**

Isaiah 40:9

[All:] I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation;  
behold, I have not restrained my lips, as You know, O Lord.

[Leader:] *The Word of the Lord.*

[All:] Thanks be to God!

**THE PETITIONING OF GOD'S PROVIDENCE**

*...do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication  
with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. Philippians 4:6*

**The Pastoral Prayer of Intercession**

**THE ADORATION OF GOD'S GLORY**

*Sing praises to the LORD, for He has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth. Isaiah 12:5*

**The Presentation and Consecration of God's Tithes and Our Offerings**

*Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns  
will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine. Proverbs 3:9-10*

**The Musical Offering of Worship**

*"Jesus, Only Jesus" (Nockels/Tomlin)*

*Who has the power to raise the dead?*

*Who can save us from our sin?*

*He is our hope, our righteousness:*

*Jesus, only Jesus.*

*Who can make the blind to see?*

*Who holds the keys that set us free?*

*He paid it all to bring us peace:*

*Jesus, only Jesus.*

[Chorus:]

*Holy King, Almighty Lord.*

*Saints and angels all adore;*

*I join with them and*

*bow before Jesus, only Jesus.*

*Who can command the highest praise?*

*Who has the name above all names?*

*You stand alone, I stand amazed:*

*Jesus, only Jesus. (Chorus)*

*You will command the highest praise.*

*Yours is the name above all names.*

*You stand alone, I stand amazed:*

*Jesus, only Jesus. Jesus, only Jesus. (Chorus)*

*You will command the highest praise.*

*Yours is the name above all names.*

*You stand alone, I stand amazed:*

*Jesus, only Jesus. Jesus, only Jesus.*

**\*The Singing of Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs** *"Fairest Lord Jesus" Hymn 88 vv. 1, 4*

*Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature,*

*O Thou of God and man the son:*

*Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor,*

*Thou my soul's glory, joy, and crown.*

Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations!  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor, Praise, adoration,  
Now and forevermore be Thine!

## THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

...and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit,  
which is the Word of God... Ephesians 6:17

\*The Prayer of Illumination

\*†The New Testament Reading

Romans 1:1-15

The Exposition of God's Word

Pastor Reeder

V. Romans in Biblical Perspective  
*The Gospel of God*  
"Gospel Saturated Leadership"  
Romans 1:1-15

## THE CONSECRATION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I Corinthians 1:3

\*The Pastoral Benediction

\*The Congregational Affirmation

"Jesus Paid it All" Hymn 210 v. 1

I hear the Savior say,  
"Thy strength indeed is small!  
Child of weakness, watch and pray,  
find in Me thine all in all."  
Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe;  
Sin had left a crimson stain—  
He washed it white as snow.

The Postlude

\* The congregation is requested to stand, if able.

The 8:00 and 11:00 Sunday morning services are broadcast live on WLJR 88.5 FM, and are also available online at [briarwood.org/livetv](http://briarwood.org/livetv), on Facebook, Roku, AppleTV and the Briarwood App.

Watch the recording anytime at [briarwood.org/archivetv](http://briarwood.org/archivetv).

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## EVENING SERVICE – 6:00 P.M.

Evening Worship Service  
including  
*Conversations with Harry and Bruce*

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