

**Brookside Christian Reformed Church**

**April 20, 2008**

**GATHERING WITH JOY**

**Prelude**

**Welcome and call to worship**

**\*Time of praise**

**“Come, Now is the Time to Worship”**

**“Shine, Jesus, Shine”**

**“Prince of Peace”**

**\*God's greeting and greeting each other**

**OPENING OURSELVES TO GOD**

**Song “Agnus Dei”** Michael W. Smith Jr. GEMS

**Song “Open the Eyes of My Heart”** Paul Baloche

**Drama “Children of the King”** 8<sup>th</sup> grade GEMS

**Evening prayer**

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

**Scripture:** I John 3:1-10 (page 1118)

**Message:** Abba, I Belong to You

**RESPONDING IN FAITH AND SERVICE**

**\*Hymn #231 “How Great Is the Love of the Father”**

**Theme song**

**“Abba, I Belong to You”** Peter Eide & Bob Stromberg

**Our gifts to the Lord: GEMS Girls' Club**

**Offertory**

**\*God's blessing**

**\*Closing song “We Receive Your Blessing”**

**Postlude**

\* - stand, if you are able

Preaching: Pastor Paul DeVries; Pianist: Janet Krosschell

*You are invited for refreshments in the foyer  
following the service*

**Jr. GEMS Counselors**

Kris Beauchamp, Dawn Brandes, Suzanna Greenfield,  
Sara Krosschell, Janelle Molenhouse, Sandy Pattison,  
Rachel Pierce, Ronda Pifer

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Corrie Bakker, Katelyn Bangma, Heather DeBlaey,  
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