

*Father's Day*  
Sunday, June 15, 2014  
Evening Worship | 6:00pm

*Fourth*  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Welcome**

**Song of Preparation**

“Crown Him With Many Crowns”

George Job Elvey, Godfrey Thring  
Matthew Bridges

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne:  
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own!  
Awake, my soul and sing of Him who died for thee,  
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of love: Behold His hands and side-  
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified.  
All hail Redeemer, hail, for Thou hast died for me;  
Thy praise and glory shall not fail thro'out eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of life: Who triumphed o'er the grave,  
And rose victorious in the strife for those He came to save.  
His glories now we sing, Who died and rose on high,  
Who died eternal life to bring and lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of heav'n: One with the Father known;  
One with the Spirit Thro' Him giv'n from yonder glorious throne.  
To Thee be endless praise, for Thou for us hast died;  
Be Thou, O Lord, Thro' endless days adored and magnified.

**Call to Worship**

*The triune God calling his church to worship Him*

**Prayer of Invocation**

*Asking God to be present and to receive our worship through Christ*

**Reading of the Law**

*God's perfect law condemns and convicts us of our sin and serves as a guide for the Christian life*

James 4:11-12

Do not speak evil against one another, brothers. The one who speaks against a brother or judges his brother, speaks evil against the law and judges the law. But if you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law but a judge. There is only one lawgiver and judge, he who is able to save and to destroy. But who are you to judge your neighbor?

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Dr. Robert M. Norris, *Senior Pastor*, Dr. Todd Smedley, *Senior Associate Pastor*;  
Rev. Corey Gray, Rev. Ron Meyer, Rev. David O'Connell, and Rev. Blair Smith, *Pastors*

## Confession of Sin

*Acknowledging our sins to God and seeking His forgiveness*

Private Confession of Sin

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty and most merciful Father, we are thankful that Your mercy is higher than the heavens, wider than our wanderings, deeper than all our sin. Forgive our careless attitudes toward Your purposes, our refusal to relieve the suffering of others, our envy of those who have more than we have, our obsession with creating a life of constant pleasure, our indifference to the treasures of heaven, our neglect of your wise and perfect law. Have mercy on us through Jesus Christ and accept His worthiness for our unworthiness and His glory for our shame and His death for our life. This we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

## Reading of the Gospel

Isaiah 11:1-5

*The Lord's declaration of our freedom from the penalty and power of sin*

"There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from His roots shall bear fruit. And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon Him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD. And His delight shall be in the fear of the LORD. He shall not judge by what His eyes see, or decide disputes by what His ears hear, but with righteousness He shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; and He shall strike the earth with the rod of His mouth, and with the breath of His lips he shall kill the wicked. Righteousness shall be the belt of His waist, and faithfulness the belt of His loins."

## Songs of Thanksgiving

"You Love Me Anyway"

Ben McDonald, David Frey  
Mark Delavergne

The question was raised as my conscience fell;  
A silly little lie it didn't mean much,  
But it lingers still in the corners of my mind.

Still You call me to walk on the edge of this world;  
To spread my dreams and fly, but the future's so far,  
My heart is so frail, I think I'd rather stay inside.

*But You love me anyway. It's like nothing in life that I've ever known.  
Yes, You love me anyway, oh Lord how You love me.*

It took more than my strength to simply be still;  
To seek but never find all the reasons we change,  
The reasons I doubt, and why do loved ones have to die?

I am the thorn in Your crown, but You love me anyway;  
I am the sweat from Your brow, but You love me anyway;  
I am the nail in Your wrist, but You love me anyway;  
I am Judas's kiss, but You love me anyway.

### Solo:

See now, I am the man who yelled out from the crowd for Your blood to be spilled  
On this earth shaking ground; Yes, then I turned away with a smile on my face.  
With this sin in my heart tried to bury Your grace, and then alone in the night  
I still called out for You, so ashamed of my life, my life, my life.

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“How Deep The Father’s Love For Us”

Stuart Townend

How deep the Father’s love for us, how vast beyond all measure,  
That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns His face away,  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders;  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held Him there, until it was accomplished;  
His dying breath has brought me life, I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no power no wisdom;  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer;  
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.

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**Scripture Reading**

Luke 6:27-36

page 862, pew Bible

**Prayer of Illumination**

*Asking God’s Spirit to illumine our hearts and minds for the understanding and application of His Word*

**Sermon**

“Enemies, Thieves, and Beggars”  
*16th in a series: “Seeking and Saving the Lost: The Gospel of Luke”*

Mr. Robert Yancey

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Song of Response**

“How High and How Wide”

Mark Altrogge

No eye has seen, and no ear has heard, and no mind has ever conceived  
The glorious things that You have prepared For ev’ryone who has believed.  
You brought us near, and You called us Your own, and made us joint heirs with Your Son.

*How high and how wide, how deep and how long, how sweet and how strong is Your love;  
How lavish Your grace, how faithful Your ways, how great is Your love O Lord.*

Objects of mercy who should have known wrath, we’re filled with unspeakable joy;  
Riches of wisdom, unsearchable wealth, and the wonder of knowing Your voice.  
You are our treasure, and our great reward, our hope and our glorious King.

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**Celebration of the Lord’s Supper**

Declaration of Faith—The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Invitation to the Table

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Sharing of the Supper

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Passing the Peace of Christ

As the deer panteth for the water, so my soul longeth after Thee;  
You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship Thee.

*You alone are my strength, my shield, to You alone may my spirit yield;  
You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship Thee.*

You're my friend and You are my brother, even though You are a King;  
I love You more than any other, so much more than anything.

I want You more than gold or silver, only You can satisfy;  
You alone are the real joygiver, and the apple of my eye.

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**Benediction**

*Pronouncing God's blessing on His people*

*If you have an offering please leave it in the plate at the back of the Sanctuary.*

*We would like to thank the musicians who participated in this evening's service of worship.*

**Next Sunday, June 22**

**Morning Service**

8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

“God's Kingdom Attacked and Protected”

*2 Samuel 17:1-29*

Dr. Robert M. Norris

**Evening Service**

6pm in the Sanctuary

“Hypocrisy: The Sin No One Likes to Admit”

*Luke 6:37-42*

Dr. Todd Smedley

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