

**Sunday, June 29, 2014**  
Evening Worship | 6:00pm

# Fourth

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## Welcome

## Song of Preparation

“All Hail the Power Of Jesus’ Name”

Edward Perronet  
John Rippon, Oliver Holden

All hail the power 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 every kindred, every 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!

## 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

Exodus 20:12-18

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

“Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor’s.” Now when all the people saw the thunder and the flashes of lightning and the sound of the trumpet and the mountain smoking, the people were afraid and trembled, and they stood far off.

## Confession of Sin

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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*

*Acknowledging our sins to God and seeking His forgiveness*

Private Confession of Sin

Corporate Confession of Sin

Merciful Father, we are astonished at the difference between our receiving and our deserving, between the status we now possess in Christ and our past gracelessness, between the heaven we are bound for and the hell we merited. Who made us differ but You? We confess that we could not have loved You had You not loved us first. It is our deepest shame that we continue to sin in light of such marvelous grace. Forgive us O Lord as we fly repenting to the cross of Christ, whose mercy has never turned us away. Enlarge our hearts with the assurance that You will never forsake us, and cause us to grow in the grace of obedience and faith, for this we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

**Reading of the Gospel**

Romans 7:4-6

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

Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to him Who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God. For while we were living in the flesh, our sinful passions, aroused by the law, were at work in our members to bear fruit for death. But now we are released from the law, having died to that which held us captive, so that we serve in the new way of the Spirit and not in the old way of the written code.

**Songs of Thanksgiving**

“The Wonderful Cross”

Chris Tomlin, Isaac Watts, J. D. Walt  
Jesse Reeves, Lowell Mason

When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of Glory died,  
My richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.

See from His head, His hands, His feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down;  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown?

*O the wonderful cross, O the wonderful cross  
Bids me come and die, and find that I may truly live.  
O the wonderful cross, O the wonderful cross,  
All who gather here by grace draw near, and bless Your name.*

Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were an offering far too small:  
Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

“In Christ Alone”

Keith Getty  
Stuart Townend

In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song.  
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in All, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe;  
This gift of love, and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.  
Till on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied,  
For every sin on Him was laid, here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day, up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
For I am His, and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand;  
Till He returns, or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

**Prayer of Illumination**

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

**Sermon**

“Two Trees and Two Foundations”  
*18th in a series: “Seeking and Saving the Lost: The Gospel of Luke”*

Dr. Todd Smedley

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Song of Response**

“The Solid Rock”

Charlie Hall, Edward Mote  
Kendall Combs, Trent Austin  
William B. Bradbury

My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness;  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

*On Christ the solid Rock I stand, all other ground is sinking sand;  
All other ground is sinking sand.*

When darkness seems to hide His face, I rest on His unchanging grace.  
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil.

His oath, His covenant, His blood, support me in the whelming flood.  
When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.

When He shall come with trumpet sound, oh, may I then in Him be found.  
Dressed in His righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne.

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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

"I Have Been Redeemed"

When I am lost,  
When I am all alone,  
Burdened by my sin and shame,  
There's one place I can go:

I look towards the cross  
Where my Savior died,  
Suffered in my place,  
The perfect sacrifice  
For me so I can know.

*Now I am forgiven,  
I have been set free  
Through the blood of Jesus;  
I have been made clean,  
Now I know of His mercy  
Because He died for me,  
I have been redeemed.*

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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, July 6**

**Morning Service**

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

"Return and Restoration"

*2 Samuel 19:10-43*

Dr. Robert M. Norris

**Evening Service**

6pm in the Sanctuary

"The Ultimate Faith Healer"

*Luke 7:1-17*

Rev. Blair Smith

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