

Sunday, June 7, 2015
Evening Worship | 6:00pm

Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome

Song of Preparation

“Speak O Lord”

Keith Getty
Stuart Townend

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to receive the food of Your holy Word;
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
Speak O Lord, and fulfill in us all Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us Lord full obedience, Holy reverence, true humility;
Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity.
Cause our faith to rise, cause our eyes to see
Your majestic love and authority; words of power that can never fail.
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak O Lord and renew our minds, help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us;
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time that will echo down through eternity.
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises, and by faith we'll walk as You walk with us;
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built, and the earth is filled with Your glory.

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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

Leviticus 18:1-5

And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, “Speak to the people of Israel and say to them, I am the LORD your God. You shall not do as they do in the land of Egypt, where you lived, and you shall not do as they do in the land of Canaan, to which I am bringing you. You shall not walk in their statutes. You shall follow my rules and keep my statutes and walk in them. I am the LORD your God. You shall therefore keep my statutes and my rules; if a person does them, he shall live by them: I am the LORD.

Confession of Sin

Acknowledging our sins to God and seeking His forgiveness

Private Confession of Sin

Corporate Confession of Sin

Lord our God, You know us better than we know ourselves. As we come before You now, we all share a deep need, for we are lost without Your grace. Search us, O God, and know our hearts, test us and know our troubled thoughts. Give us true repentance, and forgive all our wrongdoing. Transform us by Your Spirit to live for You each day, loving and serving one other through the abundant grace poured out for us through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

Let it be known to you therefore, brothers, that through this Man forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you, and by Him everyone who believes is freed from everything from which you could not be freed by the law of Moses.

“This Is Amazing Grace”

Jeremy Riddle, Josh Farro
Phil Wickham

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness,
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder,
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.

*This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love,
That You would take my place,
That You would bear my cross.
You would lay down Your life,
That I would be set free.
Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me;
(All that You've done for me).*

Who brings our chaos back into order,
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.

Who rules the nations with truth and justice,
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
And worthy is the King who conquered the grave;
And worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
Worthy is the King who conquers the grave;
And worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
And worthy is the King who conquers the grave;
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Worthy, worthy, worthy.

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“Your Grace Is Enough”

Matt Maher

Great is Your faithfulness, O God, You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart;
You lead us by still waters into mercy, and nothing can keep us apart.

*So remember Your people, remember Your children,
Remember Your promise, O God.*

Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough for me.

Great is Your love and justice, God of Jacob; You use the weak to lead the strong;
You lead us in the song of Your salvation, and all Your people sing along.

Yeah, Your grace is enough, heaven reaches out to us,
Your grace is enough for me.

Your grace is enough, I'm covered in Your love,
Your grace is enough for me, for me.

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“Rock of Ages”

Augustus Montague Toplady
Thomas Hastings

Rock of Ages cleft for me; let me hide myself in Thee.
Let the water and the blood from Thy wounded side which flowed
Be of sin the double cure save from wrath and make me pure.

Not the labor of my hands can fulfill Thy law's demands.
Could my zeal no respite know, could my tears forever flow,
All for sin could not atone, Thou must save and Thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring; simply to the cross I cling.
Naked come to Thee for dress, helpless look to Thee for grace,
Foul I to the fountain fly, wash me Savior or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyes shall close in death,
When I soar to worlds unknown see Thee on Thy judgment throne,
Rock of Ages cleft for me, let me hide myself in Thee.

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Cheerfully responding to God's generosity with the giving of our resources

Offertory

“At the Cross (Love Ran Red)”
Evening Worship Team

Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash, Jonas Myrin
Matt Armstrong, Matt Redman

There's a place
Where mercy reigns and never dies.
There's a place
Where streams of grace flow deep and wide,
Where all the love I've ever found
Comes like a flood, comes flowing down.

*At the cross, at the cross,
I surrender my life.
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You,
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white.
I owe all to You, I owe all to You (Jesus).*

There's a place
Where sin and shame are powerless;
Where my heart
Has peace with God, and forgiveness;
Where all the love I've ever found
Comes like a flood, comes flowing down.

Here my hope is found,
Here on holy ground.
Here I bow down, here I bow down,
Here arms open wide,
Here You saved my life,
Here I bow down here I bow (down).

*At the cross, at the cross,
I surrender my life.
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You,
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white.
I owe all to You, I owe all to You,
I owe all to You, I owe all to You, Jesus.*

Scripture Reading

Luke 14:25-35

page 874, pew Bible

Prayer of Illumination

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

Sermon

“Counting the Cost”

Rev. Corey Gray

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Song of Response

“Grace Greater than All Our Sin”

Julia H. Johnston
Daniel B. Towner

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord, grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt!
Yonder on Calvary’s mount outpoured, there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

*Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that will pardon and cleanse within,
Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that is greater than all our sin!*

Sin and despair, like the seawaves cold, threaten the soul with infinite loss;
Grace that is greater—yes, grace untold points to the refuge, the mighty cross.

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide what can avail to wash it away?
Look! There is flowing a crimson tide. Whiter than snow you may be today.

Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace, freely bestowed on all who believe!
You that are longing to see His face, will you this moment His grace receive?

Benediction

Pronouncing God’s blessing on His people

Our thanks to the musicians who participated in this evening’s service of worship.

Next Sunday, June 14

Morning Service

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

“Unstoppable Church”

I Thessalonians 1:1-10

Dr. Rick Perrin

Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

“Making Heaven Happy”

Luke 15:1-10

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