

# Agape & Eucharist

Sunday, September 27, 2015

Evening Worship | 6:00pm

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# Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## Welcome and Explanation

## Prayer of Invocation

## Opening Praise

“Come People of the Risen King”

Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty  
Stuart Townend

Come, people of the Risen King, who delight to bring Him praise;  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth we will lift our eyes to Him,  
Where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in.

*Rejoice, rejoice, let ev'ry tongue rejoice, one heart, one voice,  
O Church of Christ rejoice.*

Come those whose joy is morning sun, and those weeping through the night;  
Come those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight.  
For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease,  
But follow us through all our days with the certain hope of peace.

Come, young and old from ev'ry land, men and women of the faith;  
Come, those with full or empty hands, find the riches of His grace.  
Over all the world, His people sing, shore to shore we hear them call;  
The truth that cries through ev'ry age: “Our God is all in all!”

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“As the Deer”

Martin Nystrom

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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Dr. Todd Smedley, Rev. Corey Gray, Rev. Ron Meyer,  
Dr. Robert Norris, and Rev. Rob Yancey, *Pastors*

## Affirmation of Faith—Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father before all worlds, God from God, Light from Light, Very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father by whom all things were made; Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary and was made man. And crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried, the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and sits on the right hand of God the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, His kingdom shall have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, and Giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; Who spoke by the prophets.

And we believe in one catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

## Prayer of Consecration and Thanksgiving

### Breaking of Bread

### Serving of Meal

### Fellowship

### Hymns

“How Great Is Our God”

Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash  
Jesse Reeves

The splendor of the King clothed in majesty,  
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice;  
He wraps Himself in light and darkness tries to hide,  
And trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice.

*How great is our God, sing with me!  
How great is our God and all will see how great,  
How great is our God!*

And age to age He stands, and time is in His hands;  
Beginning and the End, beginning and the End.  
The Godhead three in one, Father, Spirit Son;  
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

Name above all names, worthy of all praise;  
My heart will sing, how great is our God.

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“Take My Life and Let It Be”

Frances Ridley Havergal  
Henri Abraham Cesar Malan

Take my life and let it be  
Consecrated Lord to Thee.  
Take my moments and my days,  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise,  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my silver and my gold,  
Not a mite would I withhold.  
Take my intellect and use  
Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose,  
Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose.

Take my will and make it Thine,  
It shall be no longer mine.  
Take my heart it is Thine own,  
It shall be Thy royal throne,  
It shall be Thy royal throne.

Take my love my Lord I pour  
At Thy feet its treasure store.  
Take myself and I will be  
Ever only all for Thee,  
Ever only all for Thee.

## Scripture

Luke 19:11-27

“As they heard these things, he proceeded to tell a parable, because he was near to Jerusalem, and because they supposed that the kingdom of God was to appear immediately. He said therefore, ‘A nobleman went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom and then return. Calling ten of his servants, he gave them ten minas, and said to them, ‘Engage in business until I come.’ But his citizens hated him and sent a delegation after him, saying, ‘We do not want this man to reign over us.’ When he returned, having received the kingdom, he ordered these servants to whom he had given the money to be called to him, that he might know what they had gained by doing business. The first came before him, saying, ‘Lord, your mina has made ten minas more.’ And he said to him, ‘Well done, good servant! Because you have been faithful in a very little, you shall have authority over ten cities.’ And the second came, saying, ‘Lord, your mina has made five minas.’ And he said to him, ‘And you are to be over five cities.’ Then another came, saying, ‘Lord, here is your mina, which I kept laid away in a handkerchief; for I was afraid of you, because you are a severe man. You take what you did not deposit, and reap what you did not sow.’ He said to him, ‘I will condemn you with your own words, you wicked servant! You knew that I was a severe man, taking what I did not deposit and reaping what I did not sow? Why then did you not put my money in the bank, and at my coming I might have collected it with interest?’ And he said to those who stood by, ‘Take the mina from him, and give it to the one who has the ten minas.’ And they said to him, ‘Lord, he has ten minas!’ ‘I tell you that to everyone who has, more will be given, but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. But as for these enemies of mine, who did not want me to reign over them, bring them here and slaughter them before me.’”

## Sermon

“Lessons for Waiting”

Rev. Rob Yancey

## Prayer of Consecration

## Sharing of the Cup

## Prayer of Thanksgiving

## Passing of the Peace of Christ

## Closing Hymn

“Lift High the Cross”

Sydney H. Nicholson

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
till all the world adore his sacred name.*

Come, Christians, follow where our Savior trod,  
Our King victorious, Christ, the Son of God.

Led on their way by this triumphant sign,  
The hosts of God in conqu'ring ranks combine.

O Lord, once lifted on this glorious Tree,  
As Thou hast promised, draw men unto Thee.

Set up Thy throne, that earth's despair may cease  
Beneath the shadow of its healing peace.

For Thy blest Cross which doth for all atone,  
Creation's praises rise before Thy throne.

*~ George Kitchin and Michael Newbolt  
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## Benediction

*Dessert and fellowship will follow.*

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

## Next Sunday, October 4

### Morning Service

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

“God's Dwelling Place”

*Ephesians 2:11-22*

Dr. Todd Smedley

### Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

“The Wedding King”

*Luke 19:28-48*

Mr. Thomas Myrick

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.*

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