

Sunday, October 4, 2015
Evening Worship | 6:00pm

Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome

Song of Preparation

“Sing to The King”

Billy Foote, Charles Silvester Horne

Sing to the King Who is coming to reign,
Glory to Jesus, the Lamb that was slain;
Life and salvation His empire shall bring,
And joy to the nations when Jesus is King.

*Come, let us sing a song,
A song declaring that we belong to Jesus.
He is all we need.
Lift up a heart of praise,
Sing now with voices raised to Jesus,
Sing to the King.*

For His returning we watch and we pray,
We will be ready the dawn of that day;
We'll join in singing with all the redeemed,
'Cause Satan is vanquished and Jesus is King!

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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

Judges 10:10-15

And the people of Israel cried out to the LORD, saying, “We have sinned against you, because we have forsaken our God and have served the Baals.” And the LORD said to the people of Israel, “Did I not save you from the Egyptians and from the Amorites, from the Ammonites and from the Philistines? The Sidonians also, and the Amalekites and the Maonites oppressed you, and you cried out to me, and I saved you out of their hand. Yet you have forsaken me and served other gods; therefore I will save you no more. Go and cry out to the gods whom you have chosen; let them save you in the time of your distress.” And the people of Israel said to the LORD, “We have sinned; do to us whatever seems good to you. Only please deliver us this day.”

Confession of Sin

Acknowledging our sins to God and seeking His forgiveness

Private Confession of Sin

Corporate Confession of Sin

O most great, most just and gracious God; You are of purer eyes than to behold iniquity; but You have promised mercy through Jesus Christ to all who repent and believe in Him. Therefore, we confess that we are sinful by nature and all have sinned and come short of the glory of God. We have neglected and abused Your holy worship and Your holy name. We have dealt unjustly and uncharitably with our neighbors. We have not sought first Your kingdom and righteousness. We have not been content with our daily bread. You have revealed Your love to us in Christ and offered us pardon and salvation in Him, but we have turned away. We have run into temptation, and the sin that we should have hated, we have committed. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father. We confess You alone are our hope. Make us Your children and give us the Spirit of Your Son, our only Savior. Amen.

Reading of the Gospel

2 Corinthians 4:7-15

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

But we have this treasure in jars of clay, to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies. For we who live are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. So death is at work in us, but life in you. Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, "I believed, and so I spoke," we also believe, and so we also speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

Songs of Thanksgiving

"Revelation Song"

Jennie Lee Riddle

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain;
Holy, holy is He;
Sing a new song to Him, Who sits on
Heaven's mercy seat.

*Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,
Who was, and is, and is to come.
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings:
You are my ev'rything, and I will adore You.*

Clothed in rainbows of living color,
Flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder,
Blessing and honor, strength, and glory, and power be
To You the only wise King.

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder
At the mention of Your name;
Jesus, Your name is power, breath and living water,
Such a marv'ulous mystery, yeah.

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“Search Me, O God”

MAORI
arr. Adam Kunsberg

1. Search me, O God, _____ and know my heart to - day, _____
 2. I praise Thee, Lord, _____ for cleans - ing me from sin; _____
 3. Lord, take my life, _____ and make it whol - ly Thine; _____
 4. O Hol - y Ghost, _____ re - vi - val comes from Thee; _____

Try me, O Sav - ior, know my thoughts, I pray; _____
 Ful - fill Thy word and make me pure with - in; _____
 Fill my poor heart with Thy great love di - vine; _____
 Send a re - vi - val, start the work in me; _____

See if there be _____ some wick - ed way in me; _____
 Fill me with fire, _____ where once I burned with shame; _____
 Take all my will, _____ my pas - sion, self and pride; _____
 Thy word de - clares _____ Thou wilt sup - ply our need; _____

Cleanse me from eve - ry sin, and set me free. _____
 Grant my de - sire to mag - ni - fy Thy name. _____
 I now sur - ren - der, Lord, in me a - bide. _____
 For bless - ings now, O Lord, I humb - ly plead. _____

“O Great God”

Bob Kauflin

O great God of highest heav'n occupy my lowly heart;
 Own it all and reign supreme; conquer every rebel pow'r.
 let no vice or sin remain that resists Your holy war.
 You have loved and purchased me, make me Yours forever more.

I was blinded by my sin, had no ears to hear Your voice;
 Did not know Your love within, had no taste for heaven's joys.
 Then Your Spirit gave me life, opened up Your word to me
 Through the gospel of Your Son gave me endless hope and peace.

Help me now to live a life that's dependent on Your grace;
 Keep my heart and guard my soul from the evils that I face.
 You are worthy to be praised with my every thought and deed;
 O great God of highest heav'n glorify Your Name through me.

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 O great God of highest heav'n glorify Your Name through me.

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Offertory

“Jesus Is Lord of All”
Evening Worship Team

Gloria Gaither, William J. Gaither

All my tomorrows, all my past, Jesus is Lord of all.
I’ve quit my struggles, contentment at last, Jesus is Lord of all.

King of kings, Lord of lords, Jesus is Lord of all;
All my possessions, And all my life, Jesus is Lord of all.

All of my conflicts, All my thoughts, Jesus is Lord of all.
His love wins the battles, I could not have fought, Jesus is Lord of all.

All of my longings, All my dreams, Jesus is Lord of all.
All of my failures, His power redeems, Jesus is Lord of all.

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Scripture Reading

Luke 19:28-48

pages 878-9, pew Bible

Prayer of Illumination

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

Sermon

“The Weeping King”

Mr. Thomas Myrick

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Song of Response

“Jesus Paid It All”

Alex Nifong, Elvina M. Hall
John Thomas Grape

And I hear the Savior say, “Thy strength indeed is small;
Child of weakness watch and pray, find in Me thine all in all.”

*’Cause Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe;
Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow.*

Lord now indeed I find, Thy pow’r and Thine alone
Can change the leper’s spots, and melt the heart of stone.

And when before the throne, I stand in Him complete,
Jesus died my soul to save, my lips shall still repeat.

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Benediction

Pronouncing God’s blessing on His people

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

Next Sunday, October 11

Morning Service

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

“God’s Temple”
1 Corinthians 3:1-17
Dr. Todd Smedley

Deacon’s Offering will be received at all morning services.

Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

“An Answer to Questioners”
Luke 20:1-18
Rev. Corey Gray

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper will be celebrated.

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