

July 19, 2020
Welcome
Silent Meditation

Call to Worship: Ps 100:4-5

Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name. For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.

Hymn: O Worship the King
Invocation

#2

The Law of Christ:

Col 3:12-15

Leader: The Apostle Paul summarized the moral law of God by saying,

Congregation: Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity. Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.

Leader: Beloved we have not done this as we ought; therefore let us corporately confess our sin:

Corporate Confession of sin:

Merciful God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, both by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, and we have not spoken the truth to one another in love. We confess that we try to justify ourselves by speaking of the faults of others. We confess that we abuse your world and one another for our own gratification. We confess that we close our hearts to the suffering of our neighbor. We confess that we trouble trusting you in all circumstances. The redeeming work of your only Begotten Son is our only hope! For the sake of Jesus our Lord, have mercy on us that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen

Personal (silent)

Assurance of Pardon: 1 Jn 1:8-9

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Congregation: We give praise to God for although he was angry with us his anger has been turned away and by faith in Christ our sins are forgiven.

Pastor: How far has he separated your sins from you?

Congregation: As far as the East is from the West, and he has replaced them with the righteousness of Christ

All: Praise and glory be to God our Father and to his Son Jesus our only Savior!

Response:

Minister: It is good to praise the LORD and make music to your name, O Most High, to proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night. (Ps 92:1)

Congregation: **For you make me glad by your deeds, O LORD; I sing for joy at the works of your hands. How great are your works, O LORD, how profound your thoughts!** (Ps 92:4-5)

Hymn: Arise, My Soul, Arise

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Confession of Faith: Apostles Creed

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Song: Almighty

Chorus: Almighty, most Holy God
 Faithful through the ages
 Almighty, most Holy Lord
 Glorious Almighty God

The beasts of the field
The birds of the air
Are silent to call out Your name
The earth has no voice
And I have no choice
But to magnify God unashamed
Let the rocks be kept silent, for one more day
Let the whole world sing out. Let the people say

Chorus

Time marches on, with innocence gone
And a darkness has covered the earth
But His Spirit still dwells, He speaks, "It is well"
And the hopeless still offered new birth
He will break the leash of death
It will have no sting
Let the prisoner go free
Join the dance and sing

Chorus

Children's song:

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus in the morning

Jesus at the noon time

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus when the sun goes down

Pastoral Prayer

OT Reading: 2 Kings 8:1-15

Psalter: Ps 45:1-10 My Heart Does Overflow

#169

NT Responsive Reading: Col 1:19-29

For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him,

if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister.

Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known,

the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints.

To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory.

Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

Sermon: Restoration and Regicide 2 Kings 8

Lord's Supper

Bread: Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned (Tune Vox Delecti NT 304) #185

Cup: He Looked Beyond My Fault

Amazing grace shall always be my song of praise,

For it was grace that bought my liberty.

I do not know just why He came to love me so;

He looked beyond my fault and saw my need.

Chorus: I shall forever lift my eyes to Calvary,
To view the cross where Jesus died for me.
How marvelous the grace that caught my falling soul.

He looked beyond my fault and saw my need.

How can it be that Christ has paid my ransom?
How can it be He bled and died for me?
I do not know just how He came to love me so;
He looked beyond my fault and saw my need.

Chorus

Offering:
Doxology:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise him all creatures here below.
Praise him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Prayer

Closing Song: **May the Grace of Christ Our Savior**

May the grace of Christ our Savior
And the Father's boundless love,
With the Holy Spirit's favor,
Rest upon us from above.

Thus may we abide in union
With each other and the Lord,
And possess, in sweet communion,
Joys, which earth cannot afford.

Benediction

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