

October 25, 2020
Welcome
Silent Meditation

Call to Worship: Rom 11:33

Oh, the depth of the riches of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable his judgments, and his paths beyond tracing out! "Who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has been his counselor?" "Who has ever given to God, that God should repay him?" For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be the glory forever!
Amen.

Hymn: A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Invocation

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The Law of Christ: Col 3:1-2 & 5-6

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

Congregation: Set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things... Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. Because of these, the wrath of God is coming.

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

Corporate Confession of sin: **Gracious Lord, I am a miserable sinner. You have called me to rise up with wings of eagles to run and not be weary and to walk and not faint; but I am weary, and I have fainted under the pressure of temptation and often I am crawling around on the ground like a scavenger looking for bread. I have forgotten just how much I have been forgiven, and how great your grace is. You have commanded me not to love the world, but I am drawn away by the lusts of my eyes, the lusts of my flesh and by the pride of life. I am a constant liability to you, but by your grace you preserve me and cause me to persevere. Remind me once again of the foulness of my sin and the excellence of Jesus sacrifice. Remind me that I am your child and owe my entire position to you my Lord and Savior. Cause me to remember that your Resurrection life has come to me as a gift of your grace!**

Renew my will that I would do all that I do in the name of and for the glory of My Blessed Savior, Your Only Begotten Son Jesus Christ through whose merits we pray. Amen,

Personal (silent)

Assurance of Pardon: Col 1:13-14

For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

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: I Greet Thee Who My Sure Redeemer Art

Confession of Faith: Westminster Chapter 11 Article 1

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Song: No Condemnation

No con-dem-na-tion now in Christ Je-sus!

Great con-so-la-tion—Je-sus has died!

Our sin laid on Him, full par-don gives us.

Look-ing by faith dim, we're jus-ti-fied!

With judg-ment sure, must God re-com-pense us?

He per-fect-ly just, what is our plea?

This: "Christ is for us! Who is a-gainst us?"

His blood shed for us par-dons, sets free!

In Him and through Him—Christ our De-fend-er!

Prai-ses all due Him, what mys-ter-y!

God in Christ dy-ing as the of-fend-er!

His blood sup-ply-ing our par-don free.

Christ the great sure-ty to those be-liev-ing;

He all the pur-ity God can de-mand

Right-eous-ness given—con-science re-liev-ing!

By blood for-giv-en, in Christ we stand!

To Christ all bles-sing, praise with-out mea-sure!

In Him we're rest-ing, His peace made known.

His all the la-bors—ours all the plea-sure!

God's gra-cious fa-vors through Christ our own.

When there be-fore Him—then, in full glo-ry
We sing our new hymn, new prai-ses give;
'Twill be this old song, of Christ our glo-ry;
Through a-ges told long: "In Christ we live!"

Children's song:
What rule has God given to tell us how to live
It's the Bible in the Old and New
It's there that we learn what we are to believe
And what duty God requires of man.

Pastoral Prayer

OT Reading: 2 Kings 22
Psalter: Ps 89 My Song Forever Shall Record

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NT Responsive Reading: Luke 22:1-16

Now the Feast of Unleavened Bread drew near, which is called the Passover.

And the chief priests and the scribes were seeking how to put him to death, for they feared the people.

Then Satan entered into Judas called Iscariot, who was of the number of the twelve.

He went away and conferred with the chief priests and officers how he might betray him to them.

And they were glad, and agreed to give him money.

⁶ So he consented and sought an opportunity to betray him to them in the absence of a crowd.

Then came the day of Unleavened Bread, on which the Passover lamb had to be sacrificed.

So Jesus sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and prepare the Passover for us, that we may eat it."

They said to him, "Where will you have us prepare it?"

He said to them, "Behold, when you have entered the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him into the house that he enters

and tell the master of the house, "The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?"

And he will show you a large upper room furnished; prepare it there."

And they went and found it just as he had told them, and they prepared the Passover.

And when the hour came, he reclined at table, and the apostles with him.

And he said to them, "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer.

For I tell you I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God."

Sermon: Josiah the Reformer 2 Kings 22 & 23

Lord's Supper

Bread: Jesus, My Great High Priest
Cup: Romans 11:36

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For from him and through him
And to him are all things.
To him be glory evermore
To him be glory evermore

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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