

# LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

June 14, 2020

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;  
worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness. —Psalm 29:2

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## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

### ► CALL TO WORSHIP PSALM 108:1-6

My heart is steadfast, O God!

I will sing and make melody with all my being!

Awake, O harp and lyre! I will awake the dawn!

I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples;

I will sing praises to you among the nations.

For your steadfast love is great above the heavens;

Your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!

Let your glory be over all the earth!

That your beloved ones may be delivered,

Give salvation by your right hand and answer me!

### ► INVOCATION

### ► HYMN OF PRAISE How Great Thou Art 44

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder

Consider all the worlds thy hands have made,

I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,

Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed.

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When through the woods and forest glades I wander  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,  
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze;

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,  
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,  
And there proclaim, my God how great thou art.

## CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Searcher of hearts,

Help me to see myself in your sight,

then pride must wither, decay, die, perish.

Humble my heart before you,

and replenish it with your choicest gifts,

your gifts of forgiveness, mercy and grace,

your gifts of love, joy and peace through your Holy Spirit.

When I leave duties undone,

may condemning thought strip me of pride,

deepen in me devotion to your service,

and quicken me to more watchful care.

When I am tempted to think highly of myself,

grant me to see the wily power of my spiritual enemy;

Help me to stand with wary eye on the watchtower of faith,

and to cling with determined grasp to my humble Lord;

Keep me humble, meek and lowly

that I might glory in the grace of Christ Jesus alone.

## SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

ISAIAH 55:1-2, 7

Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters;

And he who has no money, come, buy and eat!

Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,

And your labor for that which does not satisfy?

Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good,

And delight yourselves in rich food...

Let the wicked forsake his way,

And the unrighteous man his thoughts;

Let him return to the Lord,

That he may have compassion on him,

And to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

▶ HYMN OF ASSURANCE      I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say      304

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Come unto me and rest;  
lay down, O weary one, lay down your head upon my breast."  
I came to Jesus as I was, weary and worn and sad;  
I found in him a resting place, and he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold, I freely give the living water; thirsty one, stoop down and drink, and live." I came to Jesus, and I drank of that life-giving stream; my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "I am this dark world's Light;  
look unto me, your morn shall rise, and all your day be bright."  
I looked to Jesus and I found in him my Star, my Sun;  
and in that light of life I'll walk, till trav'ling days are done.

## CONFESSION OF FAITH

## WSC #1

**Q. What is the chief end of man?**

A. Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever.

## PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

## ▶ DOXOLOGY 733

## PASTORAL PRAYER

► HYMN Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts 646

Jesus, thou joy of loving hearts,  
Thou fount of life, thou light of men,  
From the best bliss that earth imparts  
We turn unfilled to thee again.

Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood;  
Thou savest those that on thee call;  
To them that seek thee thou art good,  
To them that find thee all in all.

We taste thee, O thou living bread,  
And long to feast upon thee still;  
We drink of thee, the fountainhead,  
And thirst our souls from thee to fill.

Our restless spirits yearn for thee,  
Where'er our changeful lot is cast;  
Glad when thy gracious smile we see,  
Blest when our faith can hold thee fast.

O Jesus, ever with us stay,  
Make all our moments calm and bright;  
Chase the dark night of sin away,  
Shed o'er the world thy holy light

## SCRIPTURE

PSALM 36:1-12

## SERMON

## "LIBERAL VS. LIBERAL"

► **HYMN OF RESPONSE**      **Out of My Bondage, Sorrow, and Night**    503

Out of my bondage, sorrow, and night,  
Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;  
Into thy freedom, gladness, and light,  
Jesus, I come to thee;  
Out of my sickness into thy health,  
Out of my want and into thy wealth,  
Out of my sin and into thyself, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss,  
Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;  
Into the glorious gain of thy cross,  
Jesus, I come to thee;  
Out of earth's sorrows into thy balm,  
Out of life's storms and into thy calm,  
Out of distress to jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride,  
Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;  
Into thy blessed will to abide,  
Jesus, I come to thee;  
Out of myself to dwell in thy love,  
Out of despair into raptures above,  
Upward for aye on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb,  
Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;  
Into the joy and light of thy home,  
Jesus, I come to thee;  
Out of the depths of ruin untold,  
Into the peace of thy sheltering fold,  
Ever thy glorious face to behold, Jesus, I come to thee.

► **BENEDICTION**

**Psalms 36**

Belonging to the worship-leader; Yahweh's servant, David's

1. Rebellion's word to the wicked –  
At the center of my heart –  
'There is no terror of God before his eyes.'
2. For it flatters him (in his own eyes)  
Regarding the finding out of his iniquity so as to hate it.
3. The words of his mouth are trouble and deceit;  
He has ceased to act prudently so as to do good.
4. He plans trouble in his bed;  
He positions himself on a road that is not good.  
Evil is a thing he does not scorn.
5. Yahweh –  
Your committed love is in the heavens,  
Your trustworthiness is up to the clouds.
6. Your righteousness is like the mountains of the transcendent God.  
Your judgments are like a great deep.  
Mankind and beasts you save, Yahweh!
7. How precious is your committed love, O God –  
And the sons of man take refuge in the shadow of your wings!
8. They are saturated with the fatness of your house,  
And the stream of your delights you make them drink.
9. For with you is the spring of life:  
In your light we see light.
10. Prolong your committed love to those who know you,  
And your righteousness to the upright in heart.
11. Do not let the foot of pride come against me,  
Nor the hand of the wicked make me homeless!
12. There they fell, the trouble-makers:  
Thrust down, and unable to rise.