

Lord's Day Service



*At Church of the King on February 11th, 2024
The 5th Sunday after Epiphany*

Jesus said, "If you love Me, keep My commandments." John 14:15

Call to Worship: Where God Calls Us Into His Presence

Hear Today's Call to Worship From God's Word: [congregation standing]

"I was in the Spirit on the Lord's Day, and I heard behind me a loud voice, as of a trumpet, saying, "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last," ...Then I turned to see the voice that spoke with me. And having turned I saw seven golden lampstands, and in the midst of the seven lampstands One like the Son of Man, clothed with a garment down to the feet and girded about the chest with a golden band. His head and hair were white like wool, as white as snow, and His eyes like a flame of fire; His feet were like fine brass, as if refined in a furnace, and His voice as the sound of many waters; He had in His right hand seven stars, out of His mouth went a sharp two-edged sword, and His countenance was like the sun shining in its strength." Revelation 1:10-16

Come Worship the Alpha and Omega!

God's People Respond With a Hymn of Adoration: [based on Psalm 145:10]

O worship the King all glorious above,	Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail
O gratefully sing his power and His love.	In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail;
Our shield and defender, the ancient of days,	Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.	Our maker, defender, redeemer, and friend.

Salutation and Response: [based on Matthew 28:19, Ruth 2:4 and Revelation 4:8,9]

In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit

Amen!

Jehovah be with you!

And also with you!

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty

Which was and is and is to come;

Give glory, laud and honor to Him that sits on the throne

Who lives for ever and ever!

Confession of Sins: Where God Cleanses Us In Christ

"Have mercy upon me, O God, According to Your loving kindness; According to the multitude of Your tender mercies, Blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin." Psalm 51:1-2

The Call for Confession from God's Word:

"And when I saw Him, I fell at His feet as dead. But He laid His right hand on me, saying to me, "Do not be afraid; I am the First and the Last. I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death." Revelation 1:17, 18

God's People Sing our Hymn of Confession:

2 pages [congregation standing]

Give Ear, O LORD, to All My Thoughts

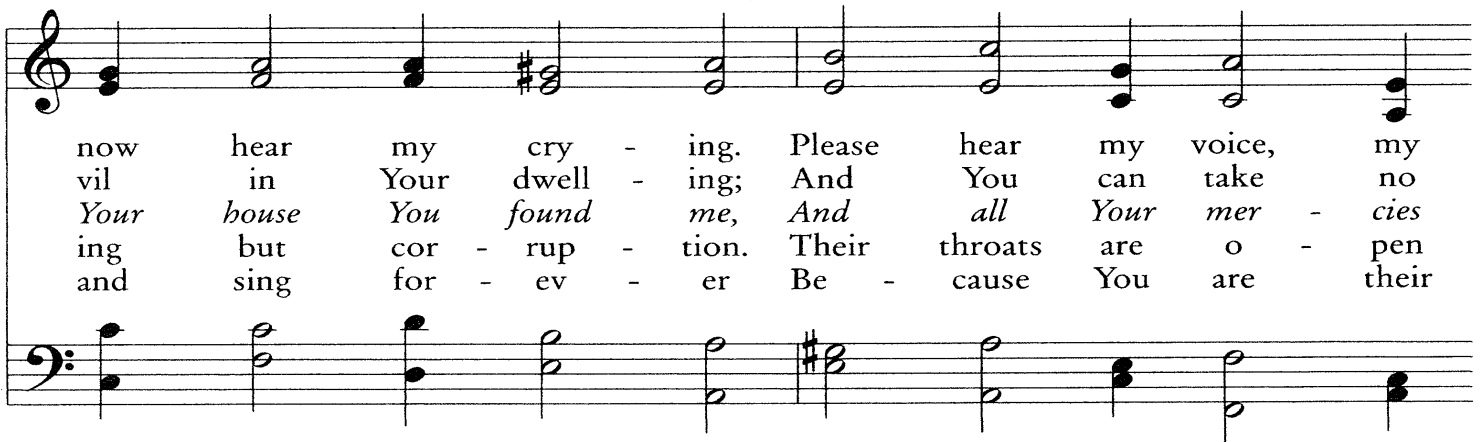
Psalm 5

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Heinrich Schütz, 1661

Douglas Wilson, 2000



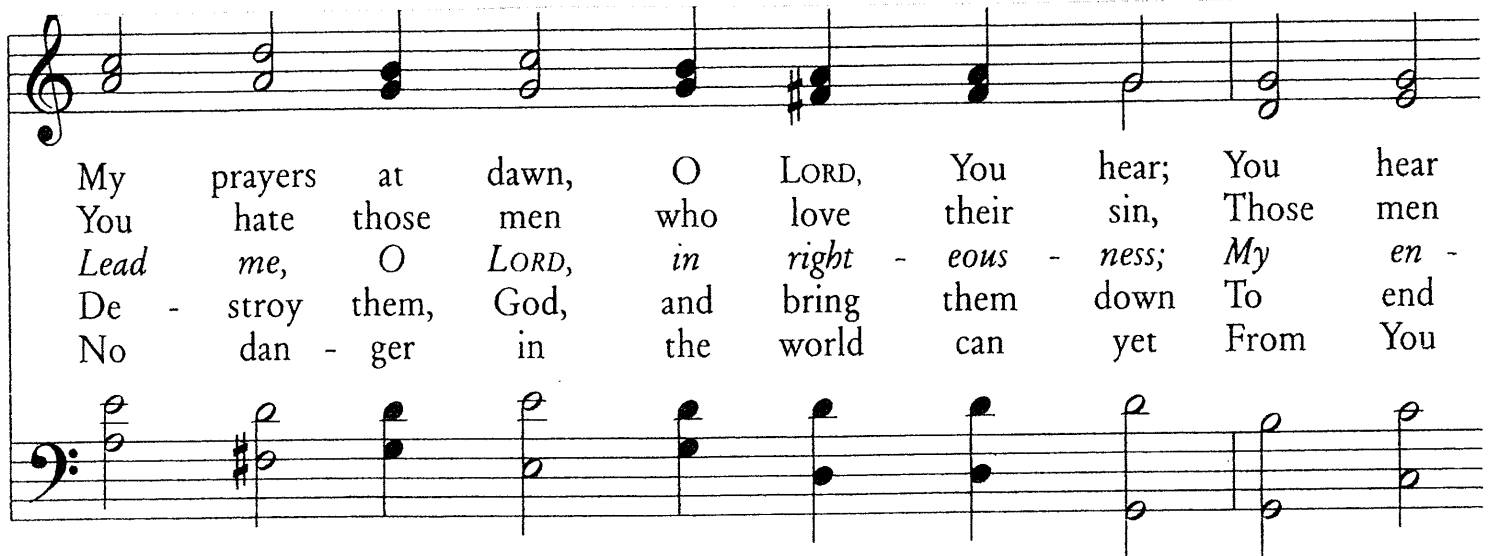
1. Give ear, O LORD, to all my thoughts And words,
2. For You are not a God who winks At e -
3. *But as for me, I come to You, And in*
4. Their mouths are foul, their in - ward parts Are noth -
5. But let those men who trust in You, Re - joice



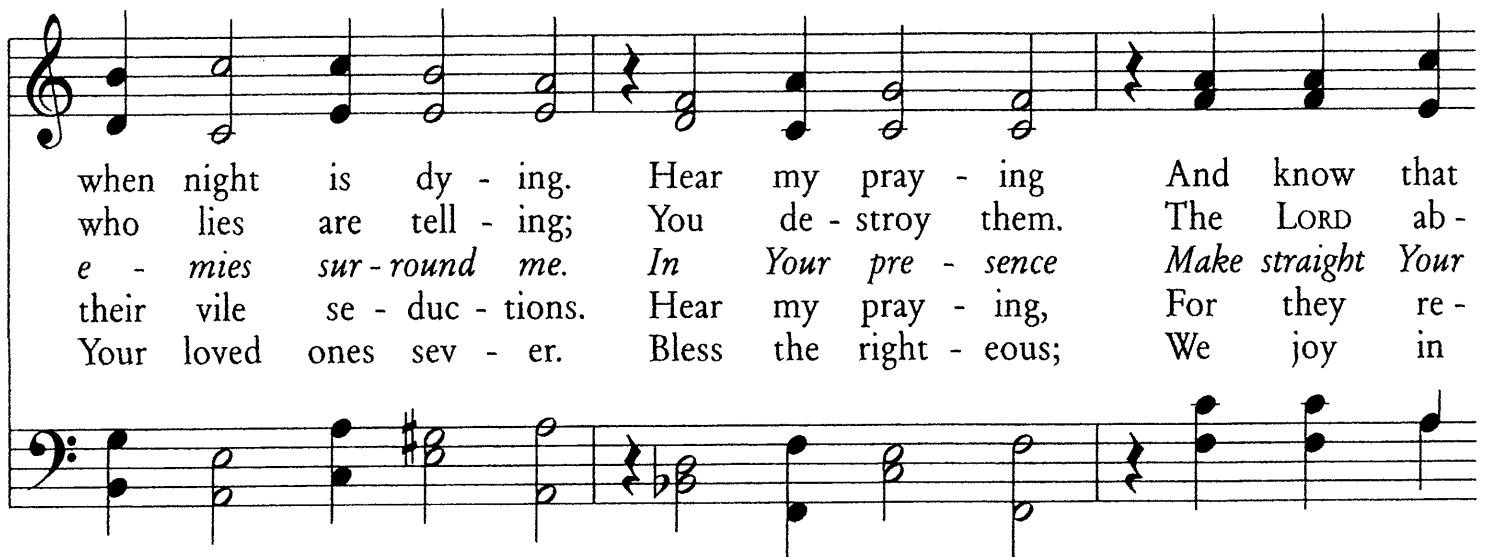
now hear my cry - ing. Please hear my voice, my
vil in Your dwell - ing; And You can take no
Your house You found me, And all Your mer - cies
ing but cor - rup - tion. Their throats are o - pen
and sing for - ev - er Be - cause You are their



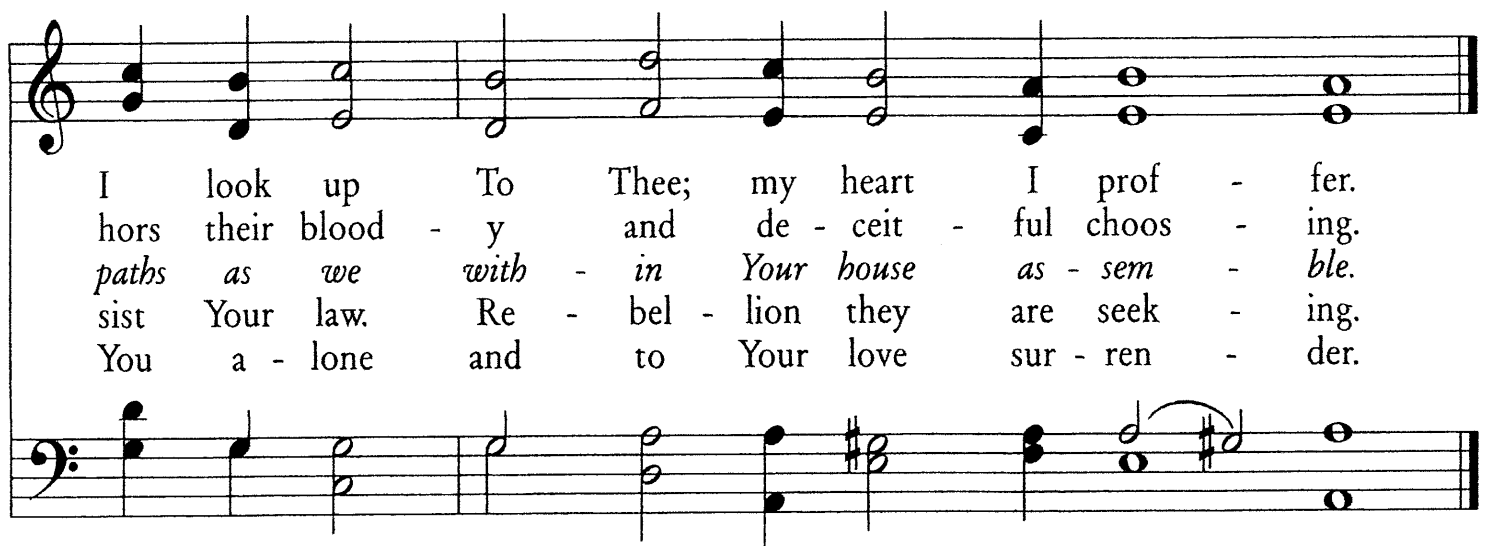
King, my God, For un - to Thee I of - fer
plea - sure in The sins of e - vil - do - ing.
crowd me in; I come in fear to trem - ble.
tombs and graves; They flat - ter with their speak - ing.
Shield and Wall, Their God and High De - fend - er.



My prayers at dawn, O LORD, You hear; You hear
 You hate those men who love their sin, Those men
 Lead me, O LORD, in right - eous - ness; My en -
 De - stroy them, God, and bring them down To end
 No dan - ger in the world can yet From You



when night is dy - ing. Hear my pray - ing And know that
 who lies are tell - ing; You de - stroy them. The LORD ab -
 e - mies sur - round me. In Your pre - sence Make straight Your
 their vile se - duc - tions. Hear my pray - ing, For they re -
 Your loved ones sev - er. Bless the right - eous; We joy in



I look up To Thee; my heart I prof - fer.
 hors their blood - y and de - ceit - ful choos - ing.
 paths as we with - in Your house as - sem - ble.
 sist Your law. Re - bel - lion they are seek - ing.
 You a - lone and to Your love sur - ren - der.

Silent Confession: "Do not remember the sins of my youth, nor my transgressions;

According to Your mercy remember me, For Your goodness' sake, O Lord." Psalm 25:7

Those who are willing and able are invited to kneel for our time of confession.

Corporate Prayer of Confession:

O most merciful God, we acknowledge that your Son Jesus comes as the Alpha and Omega the First and the Last, the one who knows all things and the one who has the keys of Hades and of Death. We confess that as the Apostle John we must fall at His feet as dead under the weight of our sin. In the light of His Righteousness we see our sins, both our sins of omission where things ought to have been done and our sins of commission where we have violated your Holy Laws and Commandments. We humbly ask for your forgiveness and ask to be cleansed by the blood of the Lamb who was slain from the foundation of the world. Amen.

Arise and Receive the Assurance of Pardon & Forgiveness:

"And I looked, and behold, in the midst of the throne and of the four living creatures, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as though it had been slain, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God sent out into all the earth. Then He came and took the scroll out of the right hand of Him who sat on the throne. Now when He had taken the scroll, the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb, each having a harp, and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll, And to open its seals; For You were slain, And have redeemed us to God by Your blood out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation, and have made us kings and priests to our God; And we shall reign on the earth."" Revelation 5:6-10

Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for our sins and to be raised for our justification; and for His sake forgives us all your sins. This I declare in the name and authority of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Having confessed our sins with faith in the completed work of Christ on our behalf, we are forgiven; we have been cleansed and clothed in the righteousness of Jesus. And not only that, we are now **in** Christ and **in** Him we are in the heavenly places, in the very midst of the blessed Trinity with the Saints of all the ages, from every tongue, tribe and nation prepared to worship in the beauty of holiness.

Come, let us worship the Lord!

Come Bless the Father:

Come bless the Fath - er, all you ser - vants of the Son, who stand by the Spir - it in the
House of the Lord. Lift up your hands to the Ho - ly Place and bless your God.
May the Lord _____ bless you from Zi - on, He Who made hea - ven and earth. _____

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up un - to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God!

It is pro - per and right to do so.

Truly it is proper and right that we should at all times and in all places give praise to you O Lord, so with the angels and all the company of heaven and with the Church on earth, we praise and magnify your glorious Name, evermore praising you & singing:

Let Israel Now Say in Thankfulness

Psalm 124

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Author unknown; rev.

Genevan Psalter, 1551

Scottish Psalter, 1615; alt.

1. Let Is - ra - el now say in thank - ful - ness
2. Yea, when their wrath a - gainst us fierce - ly rose,
3. Blest be the LORD who made us not their prey;

That if the LORD had not our right main - tained
Then would the tide o'er us have spread its wave;
As from the fow - ler's net a bird may flee,

And if the LORD had not with us re - mained,
The rag - ing stream would have be - come our grave;
So from their bro - ken snare did we go free.

When cru - el men a - gainst us rose to strive,
The surg - ing flood, in proud - ly swell - ing roll,
Our on - ly help is in God's ho - ly Name;

We'd sure - ly have been swal - lowed up a - live.
Most sure - ly would have o - ver - whelmed us all.
He made the earth and all the heaven - ly frame.

Consecration: Where God Equips & Prepares His People

After these things I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no one could number, of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" All the angels stood around the throne and the elders and the four living creatures, and fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying: "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom, Thanksgiving and honor and power and might, Be to our God forever and ever. Amen." Revelation 7:9-12

THE LORD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD:

Revelation 4:1-11

The Thone in Heaven

[4:1] After these things I looked, and behold, a door *standing* open in heaven. And the first voice which I heard *was* like a trumpet speaking with me, saying, "Come up here, and I will show you things which must take place after this."

Immediately I was in the Spirit; and behold, a throne set in heaven, and *One* sat on the throne. And He who sat there was like a jasper and a sardius stone in appearance; and *there was* a rainbow around the throne, in appearance like an emerald.

Around the throne *were* twenty-four thrones,

And on the thrones I saw twenty-four elders sitting, clothed in white robes; and they had crowns of gold on their heads.

And from the throne proceeded lightnings, thunderings, and voices. Seven lamps of fire *were* burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God.

Before the throne *there was* a sea of glass, like crystal. And in the midst of the throne, and around the throne, *were* four living creatures full of eyes in front and in back. The first living creature *was* like a lion,

The second living creature like a calf, the third living creature had a face like a man, and the fourth living creature *was* like a flying eagle.

***The* four living creatures, each having six wings, were full of eyes around and within. And they do not rest day or night, saying: "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come!"**

Whenever the living creatures give glory and honor and thanks to Him who sits on the throne, who lives forever and ever,

The twenty-four elders fall down before Him who sits on the throne and worship Him who lives forever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying: "You are worthy, O Lord, To receive glory and honor and power;

**For You created all things,
And by Your will they exist and were created."**

God's People Respond with a Hymn of Faith:

"Oh, give thanks to the Lord! Call upon His name; Make known His deeds among the peoples!
Sing to Him, sing psalms to Him; Talk of all His wondrous works!" Psalm 105:1-2

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

ST. DENIO [JOANNA] (11 11. 11 11)

Walter Chalmers Smith, 1867

from *Caniadau y Cyssegr*, John Roberts, 1839

1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,
3. To all, life Thou giv - est, to both great and small;
4. Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,

In light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,
Nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, Thou rul - est in might;
In all life Thou liv - est, the true life of all;
Thine an - gels a - dore Thee, all veil - ing their sight;

Most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
Thy jus - tice, like moun - tains, high soar - ing a - bove
We blos - som and flour - ish as leaves on the tree,
All laud we would ren - der; O help us to see

Al - might - y, vic - to - rious, Thy great Name we praise.
Thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.
And with - er and per - ish - but naught chang - eth Thee.
'Tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth Thee.

God Speaks to Us Through His Word: Scripture, Prayer for Illumination, and Sermon

"Blessed is the man whom You instruct, O Lord, And teach out of Your law." Psalm 94:12

"Beyond Outward Appearance"

From Pastor Paul Liberati

Based on Mark 12:38-44

God's People Sing a Hymn of Praise:

2 pages [congregation standing]

Jesus, Priceless Treasure

JESU, MEINE FREUDE (6 6 5. 6 6 5. 7 8 6)

Johann Crüger, *Praxis Pietatis Melica*, 1653

harm. J. S. Bach, 1723

Johann Franck, 1653

tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1863

1. Je - sus, price - less Treas - ure, Source of pur - est
2. In Thine arms I rest me; Foes who would mo -
3. Sa - tan, I de - fy thee; Death I now de -
4. Hence with earth - ly treas - ure! Thou art all my
5. Hence, all fear and sad - ness! For the Lord of

pleas - ure, Tru - est Friend to me,
lest me Can - not reach me here.
cry thee; Fear I bid thee cease,
pleas - ure, Je - sus, all my choice.
glad - - - ness, Je - sus, en - ters in.

Ah, how long in an - guish Shall my spir - it
Though the earth be shak - ing, Ev - 'ry heart be
World, thou shalt not harm me Nor thy threats a -
Hence, thou emp - ty glo - ry! Naught to me thy
Those who love the Fa - ther, Though the storms may

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lan - guish, Yearn - ing, Lord, for Thee.
 quak - ing, Je - sus calms my fear.
larm me While I sing of peace.
 sto - - ry, Told with tempt - ing voice.
 gath - - er, Still have peace with - in;

Thine I am, O spot - less Lamb, I will suf - fer
 Light - nings flash and thun - ders crash; Yet, though sin and
God's great pow'r guards ev - 'ry hour; Earth and all its
 Pain or loss or shame or cross Shall not from my
 Yea, what - e'er we here must bear, Thou art still my

naught to hide Thee, Naught I ask be - side Thee.
 hell as - sail me, Je - sus will not fail me.
depths a - dore Him, Si - lent bow be - fore Him.
 Sav - ior move me, Since He deigns to love me.
 pur - est pleas - ure, Je - sus, price - less Treas - ure!

The Heidelberg Catechism – Holding forth faith in Jesus Christ as our only comfort in life and in death, we read responsively the weekly questions from the Heidelberg Catechism as a personal and eloquent reminder of what we must know to live and die in that comfort. Lord’s Day 6

16. Why must He be a true and righteous man?

Because the justice of God requires [1] that the same human nature which has sinned should make satisfaction for sin; but one who is himself a sinner cannot satisfy for others.[2] [1] Rom: 5:15. [2] Isa. 53:3–5.

17. Why must He also be true God?

That by the power of His Godhead He might bear in His manhood the burden of God’s wrath,[1] and so obtain for [2] and restore to us righteousness and life.[3] [1] Isa. 53:8; Acts 2:24. [2] Jn. 3:16; Acts 20:28. [3] 1 Jn. 1:2.

18. But who now is that Mediator, who in one person is true God and also a true and righteous man?

Our Lord Jesus Christ,[1] who is freely given unto us for complete redemption and righteousness.[2]

[1] Matt. 1:23; 1 Tim. 3:16; Lk. 2:11. [2] 1 Cor. 1:30; *Acts 4:12.

19. From where do you know this?

From the Holy Gospel, which God Himself first revealed in Paradise,[1] afterwards proclaimed by the holy patriarchs [2] and prophets, and foreshadowed by the sacrifices and other ceremonies of the law,[3] and finally fulfilled by His well-beloved Son.[4] [1] Gen. 3:15. [2] Gen. 22:18; 49:10–11; Rom. 1:2; Heb. 1:1; Acts 3:22–24; 10:43. [3] Jn. 5:46. Heb. 10:7. [4] Rom. 10:4; Gal. 4:4–5; *Heb. 10:1.

Member Covenant Signings: The Kraber Family

“Then the king stood in his place and made a covenant before the Lord, to follow the Lord, and to keep His commandments and His testimonies and His statutes with all his heart and all his soul, to perform the words of the covenant that were written in this book. And he made all who were present in Jerusalem and Benjamin take a stand. So the inhabitants of Jerusalem did according to the covenant of God, the God of their fathers.” II Chronicles 34:31,32

“And they continued steadfastly in the apostles’ doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.” Acts 2:42

God Receives Our Tithes and Gifts as a Tribute Offering: [read in unison]

“Give to Jehovah the glory due His name; Bring an offering, and come into His courts. Oh, worship Jehovah in the beauty of holiness! Tremble before Him, all the earth. Say among the nations, “Jehovah reigns; the world also is firmly established, It shall not be moved; He shall judge the peoples righteously.” Psalm 96:8-10

Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings:

With the Singing of Psalm 100:4-5 & the Doxology

Words composed by William Kethe, 1561

1: O enter then His gates with praise;

Approach with joy His courts unto;

Praise laud and bless His Name always,

For it is seemly, so to do.

2: For why! The Lord our God is good;

His mercy is forever sure;

His truth at all times firmly stood,

And shall from age to age endure.

3: 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.

Presenting our Petitions & the Lord’s Prayer:

“Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.” Hebrews 4:16

Communion: Where God Communes With His People

Preparation for Communion:

Congregation of the Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord has prepared His table for all who love and trust Him for their salvation. All those who have repented of their sins, have been baptized in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and are not under discipline from Christ's Church, are welcome at this table. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as our Lord our God will call.

Our Confession of Faith - The Apostle's Creed [sung with music by Amber Bartels]

Piano

I be - lieve in God the Fa - ther Al - migh - ty, Ma - ker of hea - ven and earth;

8 And in Je - sus Christ, His on - ly be - got - ten Son, our Lord; Who was con - ceived by the

16 Ho - ly Spi - rit, born of the vir - gin - Ma - ry, Suf - fered un - der Pon - tius

25 Pi - late, was cru - ci - fied, dead and bur - ied; He de - scend - ed in - to

35 hell; the third day He rose a - gain from the dead; He as - cend - ed in - to

43 heav - en and sit - teth at the right hand of God the Fath - er Al - migh - ty; From

52 thence He shall come to judge the liv - ing and the dead. I be - lieve in the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

60 I be - lieve a ho - ly cath - olic Church, the com - mun - ion of saints, the for - give - ness of sins; the

70 re - sur - rec - tion of the bo - dy, and the life ev - er - last - ing. A - men.

THE LORD COMMUNES WITH US AT HIS TABLE: (Peace Offering, Gift of Life)

A Word of Encouragement -- Giving of Thanks -- Breaking of the Bread

God's People Sing a Hymn of Thanks and Celebration:

(Sung as a representative of each family comes forward to receive their bread and wine)

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

1 At the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to
2 Praise we him, whose love di - vine Gives his
3 Where the pas - chal blood is poured Death's dread
4 Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, Pas - chal

our vic - to - rious king, Who has washed us
sa - cred blood for wine. Gives his bod - y
an - gel sheathes the sword: Is - rael's hosts tri -
vic - tim. pas - chal bread: With sin - cer - i -

in the tide Flow - ing from his pierc - ed side. Al - le - lu - ia!
for the feast— Christ the vic - tim, Christ the priest. Al - le - lu - ia!
um-phat go Through the wave that drowns the foe. Al - le - lu - ia!
ty and love Eat we man - na from a - bove. Al - le - lu - ia!

5 Mighty Victim from the sky,
Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath you lie;
You have conquered in the fight,
You have brought us life and light.
Alleluia!

6 Now no more can death appall,
Now no more the grave enthrall;
You have opened paradise,
And your saints in you shall rise.
Alleluia!

7 Easter triumph, Easter joy!
This alone can sin destroy;
From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free,
Newborn souls in you to be.
Alleluia!

8 Father, who the crown shall give,
Savior, by whose death we live,
Spirit, guide through all our days:
Three in One, your name we praise.
Alleluia!

Feasting At The Lord's Table: A simple act of obedience on the 1st day of a new Week

Partaking of the Bread Together -- Giving Thanks -- Partaking of the Wine

"For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes." 1 Corinthians 11:26

Commissioning: Where God Sends Out His People

“Now I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse. And He who sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war. His eyes were like a flame of fire, and on His head were many crowns. He had a name written that no one knew except Himself. He was clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of God. And the armies in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, followed Him on white horses. Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. And He Himself will rule them with a rod of iron. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. And He has on His robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.” Revelation 19:11-16

God's People Respond with Singing:

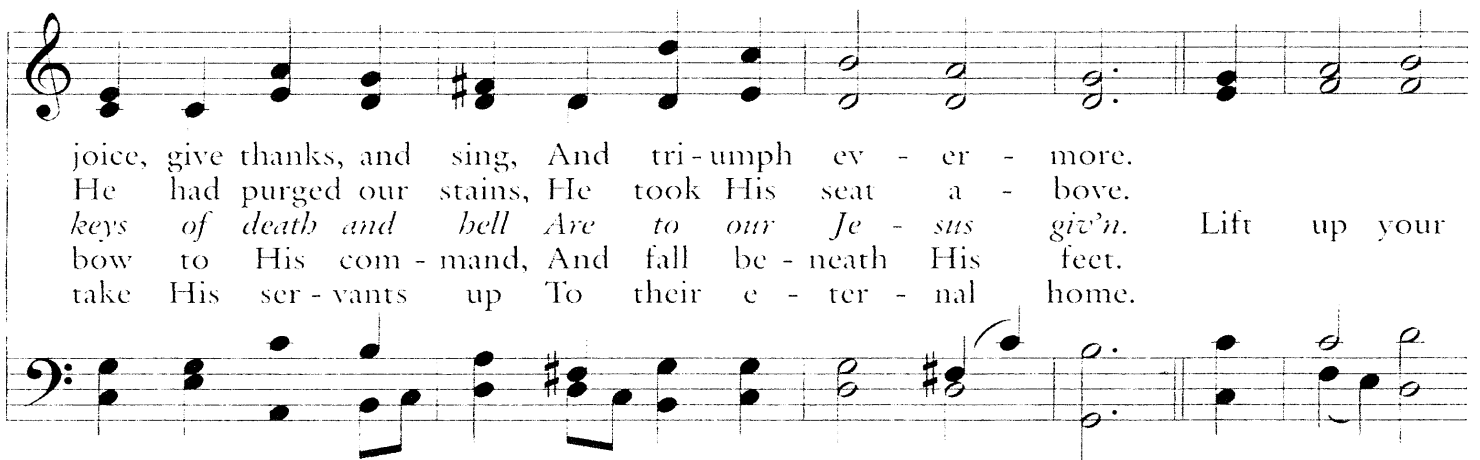
Rejoice, the Lord Is King

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John Darwall, 1770

Charles Wesley, 1746; alt.



1. Re - joice, the Lord is King: Your Lord and King a - dore! Re -
2. Je - sus the Sav - ior reigns, The God of truth and love: When
3. His king - dom can - not fail. He rules o'er earth and heav'n; The
4. He sits at God's right hand Till all his foes sub - mit, And
5. Re - joice in glo - rious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come, And



joice, give thanks, and sing, And tri - umph ev - er - more.
He had purged our stains, He took His seat a - bove.
keys of death and hell Are to our Je - sus giv'n. Lift up your
bow to His com - mand, And fall be - neath His feet.
take His ser - vants up To their e - ter - nal home.



heart, Lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!

God Blesses His People – The Benediction:

[congregation standing]

*Then Aaron lifted up his hands toward the people and blessed them,
and he came down from offering the sin offering and the burnt offering and the peace offerings. Leviticus 9:22*

"And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last." Blessed are those who do His commandments that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city." "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit *be* with you all. Amen." Revelations 22:12-14 & 2 Corinthians 13:14

God's People Depart to Serve the Risen & Reigning Savior by Singing:

Simeon's Prayer & the Gloria Patri

Lord, now let-est Thou Thy ser- vant de- part in peace, ac- cord- ing to Thy Word:

For mine eyes have seen Thy sal-va- tion, Which Thou hast pre- pared be- fore the face of all peo- ple;

A light to ligh- ten the Gen- tiles, and the glo- ry of Thy peo- ple Is - - - ra - el.

-- With Lifted Hands --

Glo- ry be to the Fa- ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho- ly Ghost;

as it was in the be- gin-ning, is now and ev- er shall be, world with- out end. A - men.

February 11th, 2024

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~ Worship begins promptly at 1:00 p.m. ~ Today's pulpit supply ~ Pastor Paul Liberati ~

PRAYER REQUESTS

• **General Prayers**

- An increasing love for Christ, the Gospel and His Worship
- A sacrificial love for the Church, both here and around the world
- That God would bless us with everything we need to serve Him faithfully in this world, including employment, housing, and health enough to serve the Church and the world in His Name
- **The Expectant Mothers** Sindy Kendrick, Brianna Whitted, Brittany Harrold, Robyn Ferguson, and Devin Calvin
- **Praises and Thanksgiving** for the birth of Malachi John Sifford on Feb 5th. May God bless Sarah with rest, and a quick recovery back to full strength. Congratulations John & Sarah
- **Those Suffering from Sickness and Personal Trial**
- Wayne Poindexter, father of Chris, who is in chemotherapy for prostate cancer
- Bryan Anderson, father of Kayla Pettyjohn, recovering from heart surgery, recent stroke and stomach surgery
- Phil Smith recovering from heart ablation
- Tony Rubertino, whose heart needs continual strengthening
- **Friday School** - Teachers, Parents and Volunteers, who dedicate their time and energy to the children of this church and Students who are being trained and catechized in the Faith
- **Leadership in the Church - 2 Timothy 2:2**
- Elders: John Stoops & Paul Liberati
- Deacons: Roger Walker & Igor Avanto.
- Leadership Development Class
- New Leaders that God will raise up from among us
- **Leaders in the Community** - Christian Business Owners, parachurch ministries and pro-life ministries
- **Other Christian Churches** - particularly Immanuel Baptist Church in Sacramento, CA & Pastor Robert Briggs
- **Elected and Appointed Officials** - President, Governors, Legislators, Justices, Federal & State Office Holders, Local Sheriffs, County Supervisors & City Councils
- **Those Straying from the Faith** - Jeremiah Snipes (excommunicated), Payton and Garrett following in their brothers footsteps. Jeffrey Sudin who is turning from obedience to Christ and seeking his own worldly ways. Philip Pesola, who is falling behind on church attendance.

Our fellowship lunch follows today's worship service. We welcome all to be our guests & to sing as we ask the Lord's blessing:

Be present at our table Lord.
Be here and everywhere adored.
These mercies bless and grant that we
May feast in Paradise with Thee.

We thank Thee Lord for this our food,
For life and health and every good.
By Thine own hand may we be fed.
Give us this day our daily bread.

Weekly Meetings (also detailed on our website):

Men's Fellowship Breakfast:

~ Meets at 8:00am on Tuesdays at Denny's on Sunrise; reading By This Standard: The Authority of God's Law Today by Greg Bahnsen Contact Pastor Stoops.

Sacramento Area Bible Study:

~ Meets at 7:00pm on Tuesdays. Contact Patrick Avanto.

Grass Valley Area Book Study:

~ Meets for potluck at 6:00pm, study starts at 7:00pm on Wednesdays at rotating locations; reading No Mere Mortals by Toby Sumpter. Contact Nathaniel Pettyjohn. (530)205-5162

Ladies' Book Study:

~ Meets at 9:00am on Saturdays at the Stoops home; reading Flourish: How the Love of Christ Frees Us From Self-Focus by Lydia Brownback. Contact Linda Stoops.

Vallejo Area Study:

~ Meets at the Kendrick home every two weeks. Contact Damell Kendrick.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

None that we are aware of....again!

TODAY'S Hall Takedown

Krabers: Roderick, Lorenzo & Isaac
Jonathan Liberati & Kevin Ko

TODAY'S Playground Duty

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NEXT week -
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