

ORDER OF WORSHIP

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CHRIST
EVANGELICAL
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH (PCA)

Prelude

Welcome

To all who are weary and need rest;
To all who mourn and long for comfort;
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares;
To all who fail and desire strength;
To all who sin and need a Savior;
To all who hunger and thirst for righteousness;
And to whoever will come-

This Church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Call to Worship

Psalms 100:1-4

Minister: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!
Serve the LORD with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing!
Know that the LORD, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!

Let us worship the Lord together!

Hymn of Praise

Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners

Jesus what a friend for sinners
Jesus lover of my soul
Friends may fail me foes assail me
He my Savior makes me whole

Chorus

*Hallelujah what a Savior
Hallelujah what a Friend
Saving helping keeping loving
He is with me to the end*

Jesus what a strength in weakness
Let me hide myself in him
Tempted tried and sometimes failing
He my strength my vict'ry wins

Chorus

Jesus what a help in sorrow
While the billows o'er me roll
Even when my heart is breaking
He my comfort helps my soul

*Chorus
continued*

Jesus what a guide and keeper
While the tempest still is high
Storms about me night o'ertakes me
He my pilot hears my cry

Chorus
Hallelujah what a Savior
Hallelujah what a Friend
Saving helping keeping loving
He is with me to the end

Invocation

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father
And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning
Is now and ever shall be
World without end
Amen Amen

Affirmation of Faith

Philippians 2:6-11

Minister: What kind of King is Jesus, the Christ?

All: Though Jesus Christ was in the form of God, he did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

O the deep deep love of Jesus
Vast unmeasured boundless free
Rolling as a mighty ocean
In its fullness over me
Underneath me all around me
Is the current of thy love
Leading onward leading homeward
To my glorious rest above

O the deep deep love of Jesus
Spread his praise from shore to shore
How he loveth ever loveth
Changeth never nevermore
How he watches o'er his loved ones
Died to call them all his own
How for them he intercedeth
Watcheth o'er them from the throne

O the deep deep love of Jesus
Love of every love the best
Tis an ocean vast of blessing
Tis a haven sweet of rest
O the deep deep love of Jesus
Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me
And it lifts me up to glory
For it lifts me up to thee

Call to Confession

Jeremiah 17:9-10

Minister: The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately sick; who can understand it? I, the LORD, search the heart and test the mind.

Public Confession

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

All: We praise you, O God, the Father Almighty. We praise you, O God, you who are the adored, true, and only Son. We praise you, O God, the Holy Spirit, our Comforter, the Lord and Giver of Life. We praise you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God. Blessed be your glorious name forever and ever. We acknowledge and confess before you that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; that we have not loved you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We plead with you, O God, to forgive what we have been, to help us to amend what we are, and of your mercy to direct what we shall be, so that from now on we may walk in the way of your commandments, and do more things which are pleasing in your sight, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

1 Peter 1:18-19

Minister: Knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, like silver and gold, from your aimless conduct received by tradition from your fathers, but with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without spot or without blemish.

Hear and receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God!

Abide with Me

Abide with me fast falls the eventide
The darkness deepens Lord with me abide
When other helpers fail and comforts flee
Help of the helpless abide with me

I need thy presence ev'ry passing hour
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's pow'r
Who like thyself my Guide and Stay can be
Through cloud and sunshine abide with me

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless
Ills have no weight tears lose their bitterness
Where is thy sting death where grave thy victory
I triumph still abide with me

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies
Heav'n's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee
In life in death Lord abide with me

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes And Offerings

The 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 Amen

Prayer Of Dedication

Sermon

"The Lord Is My Shepherd"

Psalm 23

Rev. Juan Carlos Martinez

Closing Song

Nothing But the Blood

What can wash away my sin
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

*O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus*

For my pardon this I see
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

*O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus*

Nothing can for sin atone
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Naught of good that I have done
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

This is all my hope and peace
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
This is all my righteousness
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

Benediction

Postlude

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