

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 4, 2021



**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 118: 1, 14, 24

Minister: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;  
for his steadfast love endures forever!  
The LORD is my strength and my song;  
he has become my salvation.  
This is the day that the LORD has made;  
let us rejoice and be glad in it.  
  
Let us worship the Lord together!

**Hymn of Praise**

**Give to Our God Immortal Praise**

Give to our God immortal praise  
Mercy and truth are all his ways  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Wonders of grace to God belong  
Repeat his mercies in your song

*Chorus*

*Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Hallelujah*

Give to the Lord of lords renown  
The King of kings with glory crown  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
His mercies ever shall endure  
When lords and kings are known no more

*Chorus*

He built the earth he spread the sky  
And fixed the starry lights on high  
Hallelujah Hallelujah  
Wonders of grace to God belong  
Repeat his mercies in your song

*Chorus*

**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

The Apostles' Creed

Minister: Christian, what do you believe?

**All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell\*. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*\*Jesus "descended into hell" as he suffered the pain and torment of divine wrath.*

*\*\*The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, geographical, or language barriers.*

## Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

Jesus I my cross have taken  
All to leave and follow thee  
Naked poor despised forsaken  
Thou from hence my all shalt be  
Perish ev'ry fond ambition  
All I've sought or hoped or known  
Yet how rich is my condition  
God and heav'n are still my own

Let the world despise and leave me  
They have left my Savior too  
Human hearts and looks deceive me  
Thou art not like them untrue  
Oh while thou dost smile upon me  
God of wisdom love and might  
Foes may hate and friends disown me  
Show thy face and all is bright

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Man may trouble and distress me  
Twill but drive me to thy breast  
Life with trials hard may press me  
Heav'n will bring me sweeter rest  
Oh 'tis not in grief to harm me  
While thy love is left to me  
Oh 'twere not in joy to charm me  
Were that joy unmixed with thee

Soul then know thy full salvation  
Rise o'er sin and fear and care  
Joy to find in ev'ry station  
Something still to do or bear  
Think what Spirit dwells within thee  
Think what Father's smiles are thine  
Think that Jesus died to win thee  
Child of Heaven can'st thou repine

### **Call to Confession**

Romans 13:8-10

Minister: Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery, You shall not murder, You shall not steal, You shall not covet," and any other commandment, are summed up in this word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

### **Public Confession**

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

**All: O God of heaven, we confess that we have not lived our lives in the light of eternity. We have not held fast to the truth that "the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing to the glory that will be revealed to us." We have not set our affections on the unseen eternal things, but set them time and time again on transient things; things we hope will save us; things we hope will give us joy; things to keep us from becoming bored. But Lord, we also confess that we have not sufficiently thanked you for the provision you make for our lives now. We seldom thank you for the men and women who serve and protect our nation. We are not in the habit of praying for the various leaders which you have set over us. We are ungrateful for the liberties we enjoy every day, always craving more than we deserve. Lord, save us from our sin, and guide us in your ways.**

### **Silent Confession**

#### **Assurance of Pardon and Comfort**

Hebrews 9:15

Minister: Therefore Jesus Christ is the Mediator of a new covenant, so that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance, since a death has occurred that redeems them from the transgressions committed under the first covenant.

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

**People: Thanks be to God!**

## **Psalm 16, Keep Me, O God, I Trust in You**

Keep me O God I trust in you  
O LORD I this confess  
"You are my Lord apart from you  
No good do I possess"

The holy and majestic ones  
Upon the earth I prize  
But those who choose another god  
Their sorrows multiply

I'll not join in their gifts of blood  
Such off'rings I'll not make  
Nor will I ever on my lips  
The names of idols take

The LORD's the portion of my cup  
And my inheritance  
You've given me the lot I have  
Kept in your providence

The bound'ries you have set for me  
Enclose a pleasant site  
My beautiful inheritance  
Is truly my delight.

I'll bless the LORD who counsels me  
That I may know what's right  
Indeed my mind has given me  
Instruction in the night

I've set the LORD before my face  
That him I'll always see  
Because he is at my right hand  
Unshaken I will be

Because of this my heart is glad  
My glory celebrates  
Indeed my body even now  
In hope securely waits

Because you will not leave my soul  
Consigned to depths below  
Corruption you will not allow  
Your Godly One to know

The path of life you'll show to me  
With you is joy untold  
And pleasures that will have no end  
In your right hand you hold

## **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 Provisions and the Promise"**

*Psalm 16*

Rev. Patrick Fischl

### The Service of Communion

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is fitting and right that we give you thanks and praise, O God, at all times and in all places. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we praise and magnify your name, saying, "Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts: heaven and earth are full of your glory. Glory to God in the highest."**

### Words of Institution

### The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

#### **It Is Well with My Soul**

When peace like a river attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot thou hast taught me to say  
It is well it is well with my soul

*Chorus*

*It is well with my soul  
It is well it is well with my soul*

Tho' Satan should buffet  
Tho' trials should come  
Let this blest assurance control  
That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate  
And hath shed his own blood for my soul

*Chorus*

My sin O the bliss of this glorious thought  
My sin not in part but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord praise the Lord O my soul

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*Chorus*  
*It is well with my soul*  
*It is well it is well with my soul*

And Lord haste the day when the faith shall be sight  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll  
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend  
Even so it is well with my soul

*Chorus*

## **Closing Song**

### **Be Thou My Vision**

Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart  
Naught be all else to me save that thou art  
Thou my best thought by day or by night  
Waking or sleeping thy presence my light

Be thou my wisdom and thou my true Word  
I ever with thee and thou with me Lord  
Thou my great Father I thy true son  
Thou in me dwelling and I with thee one

Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise  
Thou mine inheritance now and always  
Thou and thou only first in my heart  
High King of heaven my treasure thou art

High King of heaven my victory won  
May I reach heaven's joys O bright heaven's Sun  
Heart of my own heart whatever befall  
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

## **Benediction**

## **Postlude**

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