



This week we will be using the book of Judges to guide our time of daily worship. We will be reading the story of Gideon in Judges 6-8, and memorizing Judges 21:25.

Monday, May 11, 2020

### Opening Song

*"And Can It Be"*

### Scripture Memory

*Judges 21:25*

Write Judges 21:25 on an index card. Spend time each day this week memorizing it.

### Catechesis

*The Apostles' Creed*

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.

### Scripture Lesson

*Judges 6:11-40*

- List some examples that show that Gideon is a fearful man. What are you afraid of?
- Why does the Angel of the LORD call him "mighty man of valor"?
- In verse 15, why does Gideon doubt he can save Israel?
- Nevertheless, why is his victory guaranteed? (see verse 16)
- How does this text point us to Jesus?

### Prayer

*The Lord's Prayer*

Spend some time in prayer and end with the Lord's Prayer.

### Closing Song

*"The Doxology"*

Tuesday, May 12, 2020

**Opening Song**

*"He Leadeth Me"*

**Scripture Memory**

*Judges 21:25*

How much of Judges 21:25 have you memorized? Recite as much as you can.

**Catechesis**

*The Westminster Shorter Catechism Q/A 1*

**Question:** What is the chief end of man?

**Answer:** Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever.

**Scripture Lesson**

*Judges 7:1-8*

- Why does God command Gideon to reduce his army before going into battle?
- Are you ever tempted to not give God credit for the good things that happen? Why?
- Why is it good to know we are dependent on God? How does this drive out fear?
- How does this chapter point us to Jesus?

**Prayer**

*The Lord's Prayer*

Spend some time in prayer and end with the Lord's Prayer.

**Closing Song**

*"Gloria Patri"*

Wednesday, May 13, 2020

**Opening Song**

*“Crown Him With Many Crowns”*

**Scripture Memory**

*Judges 21:25*

How much of Judges 21:25 have you memorized? Recite as much as you can.

**Catechesis**

*The Westminster Shorter Catechism Q/A 2*

**Question:** What rule has God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him?

**Answer:** The Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him.

**Scripture Lesson**

*Judges 7:9-25*

- How does God give Gideon assurance of victory?
- How does God give you assurance?
- Since God gives us assurance of salvation, how shall we then live?
- How does this chapter point us to Jesus?

**Prayer**

*The Lord’s Prayer*

Spend some time in prayer and end with the Lord’s Prayer.

**Closing Song**

*“The Doxology”*

Thursday, May 14, 2020

**Opening Song**

*"O Sacred Head Now Wounded"*

**Scripture Memory**

*Judges 21:25*

How much of Judges 21:25 have you memorized? Recite as much as you can.

**Catechesis**

*The Westminster Shorter Catechism Q/A 3*

**Question:** What do the Scriptures principally teach?

**Answer:** The Scriptures principally teach what man is to believe concerning God, and what duty God requires of man.

**Scripture Lesson**

*Judges 8:1-21*

- How does Gideon's answer to the Ephraimites defuse their anger? What can we learn from this? (see Proverbs 15:1)
- In this chapter, Gideon takes things into his own hands; how does this contrast with his attitude and actions in previous chapters?
- Does Gideon's anger honor God, or does it reveal Gideon's sinfulness? What can we learn from this? (see James 1:20)
- How does this chapter point us to Jesus?

**Prayer**

*The Lord's Prayer*

Spend some time in prayer and end with the Lord's Prayer.

**Closing Song**

*"Gloria Patri"*

Friday, May 15, 2020

**Opening Song**

*"O The Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"*

**Scripture Memory**

*Judges 21:25*

Recite Judges 21:25 from memory.

**Catechesis**

*The Westminster Shorter Catechism Q&A 4*

**Question:** What is God?

**Answer:** God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.

**Scripture Lesson**

*Judges 8:22-35*

- After the people ask Gideon and his descendants to rule over them, Gideon answers that only the Lord will rule over them. How do his actions betray his response? (note: Gideon names one of his sons, *Abimelech*, which means, "my father is king")
- In what areas of your life is there a discrepancy between your words and your deeds?
- In spite of his many shortcomings, God uses Gideon to accomplish great things. How does this encourage you? Having studied Gideon's life, what lessons can you apply to your own life?
- How does the story of Gideon point us to Jesus?

**Prayer**

*The Lord's Prayer*

Spend some time in prayer and end with the Lord's Prayer.

**Closing Song**

*"The Doxology"*

## **And Can It Be (Sagina)**

### **Verse 1**

1. And can it be that I should gain  
An int'rest in the Savior's blood  
Died he for me who caused his pain  
For me who him to death pursued  
Amazing love how can it be  
That thou my God shouldst die for me

### **Chorus**

2. Amazing love how can it be  
That thou my God shouldst die for me

### **Verse 3**

3. He left his Father's throne above  
So free so infinite his grace  
Emptied himself of all but love  
And bled for Adam's helpless race  
'Tis mercy all immense and free  
For O my God it found out me

### **Verse 4**

4. Long my imprisoned spirit lay  
Fast bound in sin and nature's night  
Thine eye diffused a quick'ning ray  
I woke the dungeon flamed with light  
My chains fell off my heart was free  
I rose went forth and followed Thee

### **Verse 5**

5. No condemnation now I dread  
Jesus and all in him is mine  
Alive in him my living Head  
And clothed in righteousness divine  
Bold I approach th'eternal throne  
And claim the crown thro' Christ my own

## **Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow (Old 100th)**

### **Chorus 1**

1. 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

## **He Leadeth Me O Blessed Thought (He Leadeth Me)**

### **Verse 1**

1. He leadeth me O blessed thought  
O words with heavenly comfort fraught  
Whate'er I do where'er I be  
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me

### **Chorus 1**

2. He leadeth me he leadeth me  
By his own hand he leadeth me  
His faithful follower I would be  
For by his hand he leadeth me

### **Verse 2**

3. Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom  
Sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom  
By water's calm o'er troubled sea  
Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me

### **Verse 3**

4. Lord I would clasp thy hand in mine  
Nor ever murmur nor repine  
Content whatever lot I see  
Since 'tis thy hand that leadeth me

### **Verse 4**

5. And when my task on earth is done  
When by thy grace the victory's won  
E'en death's cold waves I would not flee  
Since thou through Jordan leadeth me



## **Gloria Patri**

### **Chorus 1**

1. 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

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## **Crown Him With Many Crowns (Diademata)**

### **Verse 1**

1. Crown him with many crowns  
The Lamb upon his throne  
Hark how the heav'nly anthem drowns  
All music but its own

2. Awake my soul and sing  
Of him who died for thee  
And hail him as thy matchless King  
Thro' all eternity

### **Verse 2**

3. Crown him the Lord of love  
Behold his hands and side  
Rich wounds yet visible above  
In beauty glorified

4. All hail Redeemer hail  
For thou hast died for me  
Thy praise and glory shall not fail  
Thro'out eternity

### **Verse 3**

5. Crown him the Lord of life  
Who triumphed o'er the grave  
Who rose victorious in the strife  
For those he came to save

6. His glories now we sing  
Who died and rose on high  
Who died eternal life to bring  
And lives that death may die

### **Verse 4**

7. Crown him the Lord of heav'n  
One with the Father known  
One with the Spirit thro' him giv'n  
From yonder glorious throne

8. To thee be endless praise  
For thou for us hast died  
Be thou O Lord thro' endless days  
Adored and magnified

## O Sacred Head Now Wounded

### Verse 1

1. O sacred Head now wounded  
With grief and shame weighed down  
Now scornfully surrounded  
With thorns thine only crown

2. How pale thou art with anguish  
With sore abuse and scorn  
How does that visage languish  
Which once was bright as morn

### Verse 2

3. What thou my Lord hast suffered  
Was all for sinners' gain  
Mine mine was the transgression  
But thine the deadly pain

4. Lo here I fall my Savior  
'Tis I deserve thy place  
Look on me with thy favor  
Assist me with thy grace

### Verse 3

5. What language shall I borrow  
To thank thee dearest Friend  
For this thy dying sorrow  
Thy pity without end

6. O make me thine forever  
And should I fainting be  
Lord let me never never  
Outlive my love to thee

## O The Deep Deep Love Of Jesus (Ebenezer)

### Verse 1

1. O the deep deep love of Jesus  
Vast unmeasured boundless free  
Rolling as a mighty ocean  
In its fullness over me

2. Underneath me all around me  
Is the current of thy love  
Leading onward leading homeward  
To my glorious rest above

### Verse 2

3. O the deep deep love of Jesus  
Spread his praise from shore to shore  
How he loveth ever loveth  
Changeth never nevermore

4. 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

### Verse 3

5. 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

6. 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