



# CHRIST THE KING

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 21, 2021



*Charity misplaced is a great hindrance to true charity; there should be prudence in the choice of the objects of charity, that it may not be thrown away upon those who are not properly so, that there may be all the more for those who are real objects of charity.*

Matthew Henry

# Lord's Day Worship

## GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 145:4, 6, 8-9, 11-13

Mr. Mark Husband

Leader: One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty work.

**People: They shall speak of the might of your awesome deeds, and I will declare your greatness!**

Leader: The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. The LORD is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made.

**People: They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power,**

Leader: To make known to the children of man your mighty work, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

**People: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations!**

\*SONG

COME THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING

1

Come Thou fount of every blessing  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
Sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
mount of God's unchanging love

2

Here I raise my Ebenezer;  
Hither by Thy help I'm come;  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure,  
Safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
Wandering from the fold of God;  
He to rescue me from danger,  
interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor  
 Daily I'm constrained to be!  
 Let that grace now like a fetter,  
 Bind my wandering heart to Thee.  
 Prone to wander, Lord I feel it,  
 Prone to leave the God I love;  
 Here's my heart, O take and seal it,  
 seal it for Thy courts above

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\*PRAYER OF ADORATION (CONCLUDING WITH 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism, Q 104

Q. What does God require in the fifth commandment?

**A. That I show all honor, love, and faithfulness to my father and mother and to all those in authority over me, submit myself with due obedience to their good instruction and discipline, and also have patience with their weaknesses and shortcomings, since it is God's will to govern us by their hand.**

### GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

from Valley of Vision

**HOLY LORD,  
 I have sinned against you times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, guilty of failure to find you in your Word, guilty of neglect to seek you in my daily life. My transgressions and short-comings present me with a list of accusations – but I bless you that they will not stand against me, for all have been laid on Christ. Subdue my corruptions, and grant me grace to live above them. Let not the passions of the flesh nor desires of the mind bring my spirit into slavery, but rule over me with freedom and power, for the sake of Christ, amen.**

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 8:1-2

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.

\*SONG

JESUS I COME

1

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 wanting and into Thy wealth,  
Out of my sin and into Thyself,  
Jesus, I come to Thee.

2

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 into jubilant psalm,  
Jesus, I come to Thee.

3

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 forever on wings like a dove,  
Jesus, I come to Thee.

4  
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.  
Jesus, I come to Thee.

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PASTORAL PRAYER

Elder Billy Hollingsworth 9:30  
Elder Hugh Comer 11:00

### GOD FEEDS US FROM HIS WORD

\*BIBLE READING

1 Timothy 5:1-16

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Mr. Mark Husband

“Pleading the Fifth”  
Letters for the Church

\*SONG

O LOVE THAT WILL NOT LET ME GO

1  
O Love that will not let me go,  
I rest my weary soul in thee;  
I give thee back the life I owe,  
That in thine ocean depths its flow  
May richer, fuller be.

2  
O Light that followest all my way,  
I yield my flickering torch to thee;  
My heart restores its borrowed ray,  
That in thy sunshine's blaze its day  
May brighter, fairer be.

3

O Joy that seekest me through pain,  
I cannot close my heart to Thee;  
I trace the rainbow through the rain,  
And feel the promise is not vain,  
That morn shall tearless be.

4

O Cross that liftest up my head,  
I dare not ask to fly from Thee;  
I lay in dust life's glory dead,  
And from the ground there blossoms red  
Life that shall endless be.

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## **GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING**

\*GOD'S BLESSING FOR HIS PEOPLE

Psalm 121:3-4, 7-8

He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber. Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep...The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.

DOXOLOGY/DISMISSAL

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.

*SERMON NOTES*

“Pleading the Fifth”  
Letters for the Church

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Nursery is Returning**

Nursery is returning! On March 21st the nursery will be open to all children age 3 and under during the **11 o'clock service**. Children in the nursery will not be required to wear a mask, but all volunteers will wear either a mask or a face shield for the time being. Please keep your child out of the nursery if they are showing any signs of illness. If you have any questions contact Emily Brewer.

The nursery is looking to recruit 2-4 volunteers to help during the 11 o'clock service. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Emily Brewer.

### **Youth Group Meeting**

Youth Group will meet TONIGHT at the Hollingsworth home, 528 Magnolia Ln, Glenn Heights 75154! All 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders are welcome to join us for some good food, fellowship and fun!

### **Holy Week**

Holy Week is also upon us, as Palm Sunday is next Sunday. We will be stepping out of our series on Timothy for Palm Sunday and Easter. We will also have some special services and activities during that week:

- On **Palm Sunday (3/28)**, we will have palm fronds available for adults and children to wave as we sing praises to Christ our King.
- On **Maundy Thursday (4/1)**, we will have a Maundy Thursday service in our normal meeting space at 6:30 p.m. We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper at this service, and the entire service should last less than an hour.
- On **Easter Sunday (4/4)**, in addition to worship, we will have an Easter egg hunt for children between the services. It will begin at 10:40 a.m.

### **Sermon Recordings**

We will no longer be video recording the sermons. Audio recording will be available on the web site Sunday afternoons.

**CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER REQUESTS**  
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