



CHRIST THE KING

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 15, 2023



“Till All Our Wanderings Cease”

Lord's Day Worship

GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Philippians 2:6-11
Rev. Dave Lindberg

Leader: *Though he was in the form of God, Jesus Christ did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,*

People: ***but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.***

Leader: *And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross,*

People: ***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.***

*SONG

LIFT HIGH THE NAME OF JESUS

1

Lift high the name of Jesus,
Of Jesus our King.

Make known the power of His grace,
The beauty of His peace.

Remember how His mercy reached
And we cried out to Him.

He lifted us to solid ground,
To freedom from our sin.

Chorus

Oh sing my soul,
And tell all He's done,
Till the earth and heavens are filled with His glory!

*Please stand if you are able

2

Lift high the name of Jesus,
Of Jesus our Lord.
His power in us is greater than,
Is greater than this world.
To share the reason for our hope,
To serve with love and grace,
That all who see Him shine through us
Might bring the Father praise.
(chorus)

3

Lift high the name of Jesus,
Of Jesus our Light.
No other name on earth can save,
Can raise a soul to life.
He opens up our eyes to see
The harvest He has grown.
We labor in His fields of grace
As He leads sinners home.
(chorus x2)

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AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

God is Love

Christian, what do you believe?

We believe that God is love

—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—

And that he dwells in eternal love for all time.

We believe in the creation of love;

**That this world is an overflow of God's love, given to His creatures;
That our job is to receive that love, participate in it, and extend it to
the world.**

We believe in the corruption of love.

**We understand that we sinned and chose lesser loves;
That we have been exiled from our Beloved
and disordered in our ability to love. But,**

We believe in the pursuit of love;

**That God promised He would come into this world
To return us to Himself and reorder our loves;
And He has done this in Jesus Christ.**

**We believe that in the incarnation of Jesus love pursued us;
In the ministry of Jesus love served us;
In the crucifixion of Jesus love bore our sin and suffering;
In the resurrection of Jesus love secured our life;
In the ascension of Jesus love governs us in wisdom now;
In Jesus' sending of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost
love equips us for the work ahead;
And, at the return of Jesus love will overcome.**

We believe in the triumph of love.

**We believe that at Jesus' return God will in fact make all things
new;
He will receive us as His beloved,
And He will transform this world into a city of love;
Where we can dwell together, with Him, for all time. Amen.**

—A liturgical confession based on Greg Thompson's, "The Way Forward: Six Practices of Love for Our Time" regarding the practice of confession.

*SONG

GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH

1

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,
Pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
Hold me with Thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven,
Feed me now and evermore;
Bread of heaven,
Feed me now and evermore.

2

Open now the crystal fountain,
Whence the healing waters flow;
Let the fiery cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer,
Be Thou still my Strength and Shield;
Strong Deliverer,
Be Thou still my Strength and Shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
 Bid my anxious fears subside;
 Death of death, and hell's destruction,
 Land me safe on Canaan's side.
 Songs of praises,
 I will ever give to Thee;
 Songs of praises,
 I will ever give to Thee.

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GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Rev. Mark Husband

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Book of Common Prayer

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Titus 3:4-7

When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Leader: In Christ you are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God.

(Collection of tithes, gifts and offerings)

1

Come praise and glorify our God
 The Father of our Lord
 In Christ He has in heav'nly realms
 His blessings on us poured
 For pure and blameless in His sight
 He destined us to be
 And now we've been adopted through
 His Son eternally

Chorus

To the praise of Your glory
 To the praise of Your mercy and grace
 To the praise of Your glory
 You are the God who saves

2

Come praise and glorify our God
 Who gives His grace in Christ
 In Him our sins are washed away
 Redeemed through sacrifice
 In Him God has made known to us
 The myst'ry of His will
 That Christ should be the head of all
 His purpose to fulfill

(chorus)

3

Come praise and glorify our God
 For we've believed the Word
 And through our faith we have a seal
 The Spirit of the Lord
 The Spirit guarantees our hope
 Until redemption's done
 Until we join in endless praise
 To God the Three in One

(chorus x2)

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*NEW TESTAMENT READING

2 Timothy 4:6-8,18
 Karla Pollock

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
 People: **Thanks be to God!**

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.

GOD FEEDS US FROM HIS WORD

*SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 35-36

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Rev. Mark Husband

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GOD FEEDS US AT HIS TABLE

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

- ❖ *CTK welcomes all baptized believers who are communing members of gospel-believing churches to participate in the Supper.*
- ❖ *Come forward to receive the elements.*
- ❖ *Gluten-free and nut-free bread is in a small box on the plate.*
- ❖ *If you are not partaking, you may either remain in your seat or come forward and pass by the elements, whichever makes you most comfortable.*
- ❖ *If you are unable to come forward, an Elder will serve you the elements at your seat.*
- ❖ *Once you have been served, please take the elements back to your seat. We will eat and drink together once everyone has been served.*

SONG DURING COMMUNION

THE CHURCH’S ONE FOUNDATION

1

The church’s one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is his new creation
By water and the Word.
From heaven he came and sought her
To be his holy bride;
With his own blood he bought her,
And for her life he died.

2

Elect from every nation,
Yet one o'er all the earth;
Her charter of salvation,
One Lord, one faith, one birth;
One holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

3

Though with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore oppressed,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distressed.
Yet saints their watch are keeping;
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

4

The church shall never perish,
Her dear Lord to defend,
To guide, sustain and cherish,
Is with her to the end.
Though there be those that hate her,
And false sons in her pale,
Against a foe or traitor,
She ever shall prevail.

5

Mid toil and tribulation,
And tumult of her war
She waits the consummation,
Of peace for evermore
Till with the vision glorious,
Her longing eyes are blest
And the great church victorious
Shall be the church at rest

6

Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won
O happy ones and holy,
Lord gives us grace that we
Like them the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with Thee

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*SONG

HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION

1

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,
Is laid for your faith in his excellent word.
What more can he say than to you he hath said,
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

2

Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed.
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid.
I'll strengthen thee, help thee
And cause thee to stand,
Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

3

When through the deep waters I call thee to go,
The rivers of grief shall not thee overflow.
For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless,
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

4

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose
I will not, I will not, desert to its foes.
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to break,
I'll never, no never, no never forsake.

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GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*BENEDICTION

Hebrews 13:20-21

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

*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

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Genesis 35-36

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nesting Party, October 28

Please join us for a Nesting Party on Saturday, October 28th from 1-3 pm at the home of Rachel Husband in preparation for the upcoming birth of Josiah. Instead of a traditional baby shower, we will prepare freezer meals and the home for this precious new arrival. The gift of your time will be greatly appreciated.

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Men's Ministry

The men meet for **Bible Study** on Wednesdays at **7 pm** at the church office (313 N. 9th St, Midlothian).

For questions on Men's Ministry contact Billy Hollingsworth at 469-570-9553.

Youth Group Meets Every Sunday Evening

The Youth Group for students in grades 6 to 12 meets weekly, **from 5 to 7 pm** at the church office (313 N. 9th St, Midlothian). Questions? Contact Mark Husband at 601-906-1227.

Sunday Morning Sunday School for all ages is offered from 9:30 to 10:20 am:

- *Lower Elementary* class (age 4 through 2nd grade)
 - *Upper Elementary* class (grade 3 through 5)
- Each Elementary Sunday School class will be going through the Gospel Story Curriculum. **Parents, please make sure you pick up your kids from Sunday School no later than 10:20** so our teachers can make it to their various other activities and responsibilities.
- *Youth Class* (grades 6 to 12)
 - *Adult Class*

Corporate Prayer every First, Third and Fifth Wednesday

Everyone is encouraged to come to Corporate Prayer in the CTK office

(313 N. 9th St, Midlothian) on the first, third and fifth Wednesdays, 6:30- 7:30 pm. Join us:

- **This Wednesday, October 18**
- November 1

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