



CHRIST THE KING

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Lord's Day Worship

January 28, 2024

GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Colossians 1:15-20
Rev. Dave Lindberg

Leader: *He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.*

People: ***For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.***

Leader: *And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together.*

People: ***And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preminent.***

Leader: *For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell,*

People: ***and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.***

*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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*Please stand if you are able

Christians, what do you believe?

We believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, begotten from the Father before all ages, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made; of the same essence as the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; he became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and was made human. He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried. The third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures. He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead. His kingdom will never end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life. He proceeds from the Father and the Son, and with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified. He spoke through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic church. We affirm one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and to life in the world to come. Amen.

*That is, the true Christian church of all times and all places

*SONG

IN THE VALLEY

1

When the path that I feared
Is the way He has set
And I long to give in and retreat
Still to Jesus I hold
As I face every step

For the Lord He will give me His peace
(chorus 1)

Bless the Lord He will give me His peace
Bless the Lord He will give me His peace
And if I should remain in the valley today
Bless the Lord He will give me His peace

2

When the road that I tread
Fills my heart with despair
And it seems that my grief has no end
Still to Jesus I hold

Who will walk with me there
And the Lord He will give me His strength

(chorus 2)

Bless the Lord He will give me His strength
Bless the Lord He will give me His strength
And if I should remain in the valley today
Bless the Lord He will give me His strength

3

On the road that You walked
With the weight of the cross
All my pain and my sorrow You held
So to You I shall hold
You redeem every loss
For my Lord You have given Yourself

(chorus 3)

Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself
Bless the Lord for he gives me Himself
And if I should remain in the valley today
Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself
(repeat chorus 3)
Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Psalm 51:1-4

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

2 Corinthians 5:14-15, 17

We have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died; and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised...Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold the new has come.

Leader: In Christ you are forgiven.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SONG

(Collection of tithes, gifts and offerings)

1

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 thy glorious rest above.

2

O the deep, deep love of Jesus;
Spread his praise from shore to shore.
How he loveth; ever loveth,
changeth never, never more.

O THE DEEP, DEEP LOVE OF JESUS

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.

3

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 heaven of heavens to me;
For it lifts me up to glory;
for it lifts me up to thee.

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*OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 48:1-22

Nate Ford

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 49:1-50:14

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Rev. Dave Lindberg

“Prophetic Blessings from a Dying Man”

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

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.

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*SONG

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

1

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
there is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not,
Thy compassions, they fail not;
as Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

2

Summer and winter,
and springtime and harvest;
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
join with all nature in manifold witness
to Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Chorus

Great is Thy faithfulness!
Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed Thy hand hath provided:
great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

3

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence
to cheer and to guide;
strength for today
and bright hope for tomorrow:
blessings all mine,
with ten thousand beside!
(chorus)

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GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*BENEDICTION

Zephaniah 3:17

The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

*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
“Prophetic Blessings from a Dying Man”
Genesis 48 – 50:14

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ministry Social - Sunday, February 4 at 9 am

Enjoy breakfast treats, coffee and fruit on Sunday, February 4 from 9 am till 10:15 am. Spend time with your church family and hear an update from the Session on 2024. Children's Sunday school and nursery will begin at 9:30 as usual.

Youth Small Groups – Girls Meet Tonight

Youth (grades 6 – 12) small groups meet on Sunday nights from 5 pm to 7 pm at the home of Brittany and Matt Thompson (645 Summer Grove Dr., Midlothian 76065). Boys meet on 1st and 3rd Sundays; girls meet 2nd and 4th Sundays. Please contact Pastor Dave with questions.

CTK Budget Update Year-to-Date December 2023

General Fund Contributions and Expenses

Budget \$402,000

Contributions* \$395,000

Expenses (\$400,000)

*Includes funds from Ministry Growth Fund.

CTK General Fund Budget 2024 \$377,000

Sunday Morning Sunday School 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 6-12)
- *Adult* class – Hugh Comer is teaching on the Sermon on the Mount.

Come Pray Together

Corporate Prayer every First, Third and Fifth Wednesday

We will meet to pray from 6:30 to 7:30 pm at the church office, 313 N. 9th St., Midlothian 76065

January 31

February 7

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