

The Lord's Service

October 7, 2018

*All who are able, please stand.

Prelude

*Song of Praise with Greeting

Majesty

How Majestic Is Your Name

Majesty, worship His majesty.

Unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise.

Majesty, kingdom authority

Flow from His throne, unto His own, His anthem raise.

So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus.

Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus the King.

Majesty, worship His majesty.

Jesus who died, now glorified, King of all Kings.

(1981 Rocksmith Music)

O Lord, our Lord,

How majestic is Your name in all the earth. (2x)

O Lord, we praise Your name. O Lord, we magnify Your name:

Prince of Peace, mighty God; O Lord God Almighty.

(1989 Word Music)

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us

In silent meditation, prepare to meet the *majestic* God in worship.

*Call to Worship

1 Chronicles 29.10-13

LEADER: Therefore, David blessed the Lord in the presence of all the assembly. And David said: “Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of Israel our father, forever and ever.”

PEOPLE: **Yours, O Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the victory and the majesty, for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is Yours.**

LEADER: Yours is the kingdom, O Lord, and You are exalted as head above all.

PEOPLE: **Both riches and honor come from You, and You rule over all.**

LEADER: In Your hand are power and might, and in Your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all.

PEOPLE: **And now we thank You, our God, and praise Your glorious name.**

*Hymn

No. 295

Crown Him with Many Crowns

*Invocation

Elder Mike Walker

God Cleanses Us

Reading of the Law of God

Exodus 20.2, 12-17

LEADER: I am the Lord your God, Who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

PEOPLE: **Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.**

LEADER: You shall not murder.

PEOPLE: **You shall not commit adultery.**

LEADER: You shall not steal.

PEOPLE: **You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.**

LEADER: You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.

Corporate Confession of Sin (in unison)

Merciful God,

we humble ourselves in Your presence,
confessing our sinfulness in Your sight.

We have broken Your holy law.

We have not sought first Your kingdom and
righteousness.

We have been anxious and troubled about many things,
and have neglected the things that belong to our peace.

We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves,
or done to others as we would have them do unto us.

Gracious God, our heavenly Father,

Who has given us Your Son, Jesus Christ,
to save Your people from their sins;

forgive us, we pray,

cleanse us from all unrighteousness,

and renew a right spirit within us;

through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ,

our Lord and Savior. Amen.

LEADER: Lift up your heads and hear the Good News:

“Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name! Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits, Who forgives all your iniquity, Who heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from the pit, Who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, Who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle’s.”

The peace of the Lord be with you!

PEOPLE: **And also with you!**

*Hymn

No. 521

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

God Consecrates Us

Old Testament Reading

Elder Jason Brown

Psalm 96.1-9 (p. 499)

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Anthem

Choir

For the Beauty of the Earth

For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,
For the love which from our birth, over and around us lies:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

For the beauty of each hour, of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,
Friends on earth, and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

For each perfect gift of Thine to our race so freely given,
Graces human and divine, flowers of earth and buds of heaven:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

(Rutter 1980 Hinshaw Music)

*Doxology

No. 731

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 the Church

Pastor Bennett

*Hymn

My Heart is Filled

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who bore my pain;
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace and gave me life again;
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness and clothed me with His light
And wrote His law of righteousness with pow'r upon my heart.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who walks beside;
Who floods my weaknesses with strength and causes fears to fly.
Whose ev'ry promise is enough for ev'ry step I take.
Sustaining me with arms of love and crowning me with grace.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who reigns above;
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace, whose ev'ry thought is love.
For ev'ry day I have on earth is given by the King.
So I will give my life, my all, to love and follow Him.

(2003 Thankyou Music)

INVITATION INTO HIS-STORY

*Hymn

No. 520

Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

*Confession of Faith (in unison) 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.**

*Gloria Patri

No. 734

**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.**

[†] "catholic" -- universal

God Communes with Us

*The Celebration of the Lord's Supper

LEADER: Lift up your hearts.

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

LEADER: Let us give thanks to the Lord.

PEOPLE: **It is good and right so to do**

LEADER: It is right, and good, and a joyful thing...

Therefore with angels and archangels, and
with all the company of heaven, we praise
and magnify Your glorious name, ever more
praising and singing...

*Song of Ascent

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al-might-y! Wor - thy is the



Lamb Who was slain! High - est prai - ses, ho-nor, and glo - ry



be un-to Your Name, be un-to Your Name.

The Institution

Distribution Hymn

No. 693

Blessed Assurance

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain: This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love. (Refrain)

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love. (Refrain)

*Hymn

No. 460

Amazing Grace! (vs. 1-3, 6)

God Commissions Us

*Benediction

Pastor Mullinax

Postlude