



September 29, 2020

Home Worship

CALL TO WORSHIP *

Psalm 50:1-15

Hymnal, p.803

INVOCATION*

SONGS OF PRAISE *

All Creatures of Our God and King

Hymn #115

Psalm 122

Psalter, p.110

Tune: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Give Us Clean Hands

We bow our hearts we bend our knees
O Spirit come make us humble
We turn our eyes from evil things
O Lord we cast down our idols

Chorus:

Give us clean hands give us pure hearts
Let us not lift our souls to another
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Let us not lift our souls to another
And oh God let us be a generation that seeks
That seeks Your face O God of Jacob
And oh God let us be a generation that seeks
That seeks Your face O God of Jacob. *(repeat all)*

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GOD'S LAW AND OUR CONFESSION

When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God. You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another.

Leviticus 19:9-11

Christ came to bear our sorrows and griefs,
And by his wounds we are healed.

**Yet, we all like sheep have gone astray,
turning to our own ways.**

**We have foolishly closed our eyes
to the only place to find true mercy and healing.**

Christ is the light of the world.

**But we have been willing to place that light under a bushel,
instead of placing it high on a hill for all to see.**

**We have failed to invite others to the experience of God's
mercy:**

**the poor, the dispossessed, the widow, the orphan, the
brokenhearted**

the adulterer, the fool, the rich, the powerful.

Lord, to you, we confess our sins and failures.

We confess that we have denied our own need of mercy, and have failed to display and offer that mercy to others. Restore to us the joy of knowing that we find mercy in Christ. Make us ambassadors of mercy, we pray.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 1:18

Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

PROFESSION OF FAITH*

Who is the Redeemer of God's elect?

The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever.

What offices does Christ execute as our Redeemer?

Christ, as our Redeemer, executes the offices of a prophet, of a priest, and of a king, both in his estate of humiliation and exaltation.

How does Christ execute the office of a prophet?

Christ executes the office of a prophet, in revealing to us, by his word and Spirit, the will of God for our salvation.

How does Christ execute the office of a priest?

Christ executes the office of a priest, in his once offering up of himself a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice, and reconcile us to God, and in making continual intercession for us.

How does Christ execute the office of a king?

Christ executes the office of a king, in subduing us to himself, in ruling and defending us, and in restraining and conquering all his and our enemies.

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q&A 21, 23-26

CHILDREN'S SERMON

1 Corinthians 12:12-13

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit.

PRAYER

**Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be your name.**

**Your kingdom come, your 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.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil:

**For yours is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

HYMN OF PREPARATION *

God Be Merciful to Me (Psalm 51)

God be merciful to me on Thy grace I rest my plea
Plenteous in compassion Thou blot out my transgressions now
Wash me make me pure within cleanse
O cleanse me from my sin

My transgressions I confess, grief and guilt my soul oppress
I have sinned against Thy grace and provoked Thee to Thy face
I confess Thy judgment just, speechless I Thy mercy trust

I am evil born of sin thou desirest truth within
Thou alone my Savior art teach Thy wisdom to my heart
Make me pure Thy grace bestow
Wash me whiter than the snow

Broken humbled to the dust by Thy wrath and judgment just
Let my contrite heart rejoice and in gladness hear Thy voice
From my sins O hide Thy face blot them out in boundless grace

Gracious God my heart renew, make my Spirit right and true
Cast me not away from Thee, let Thy Spirit dwell in me
Thy salvation's joy impart, steadfast make my willing heart

Sinners then shall learn from me and return O God to Thee
Savior all my guilt remove and my tongue shall sing Thy love
Touch my silent lips O Lord and my mouth shall praise accord

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SCRIPTURE READING*

Luke 11:37-54

Pew Bible p.870

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“Woe! Whoa! Woe!”

Pastor Ian Hard

HYMN OF RESPONSE*

Gloria Patri

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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CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

*Elders will distribute elements to seats. Juice and wine are both available.
We will partake together after all have been served.*

When we eat this meal we are reminded
that we are not our own,
**But together belong to Christ,
and in Christ belong to one another.**

MERCY OFFERING

HYMN OF SENDING*

Marvelous Grace

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Hymn

BENEDICTION*