
preparing our hearts

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are.

– 1 John 3:1 ESV

**** call to worship**

Leader: All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD, and all your saints shall bless you!

All: 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 deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

All: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

Leader: [The LORD is faithful in all his words and kind in all his works.]

– Psalm 145:10-13 ESV

PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation.
All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near;
Praise him in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth;
Shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth.
Hast thou not seen how all your longings have been
Granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
Surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
If with his love he befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him.
Let the "Amen" sound from his people again;
Gladly forever adore him!

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****prayer of invocation**

Leader: Holy Father, we come to you in thanks and praise. In your Son, Jesus Christ, you have given us every spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms. We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life. You have given us your Holy Spirit as a seal and pledge of our inheritance. Father, make us children of redemption and heirs of peace. Kindle in us the fire of your love, and by your power be our strength in weakness. Lord, you know all we need even before we ask, so we ask in confidence, and we praise your Name as your covenant children. To you belong all glory and honor, Amen.

**** affirmation of faith**

Leader: What is the duty that God requires of man?

All: The duty God requires of man, is obedience to his revealed will.

Leader: What did God at first reveal to man for the rule of his obedience?

All: The rule which God at first revealed to man for his obedience, was the moral law.

Leader: Where is the moral law summarily comprehended?

All: The moral law is summarily comprehended in the Ten Commandments.

Leader: What is the sum of the Ten Commandments?

All: The sum of the Ten Commandments is, to love the Lord our God with all our heart, with all our soul, with all our strength, and with all our mind; and our neighbor as ourselves.

— *Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q&A 39-42*

WHAT A BEAUTIFUL NAME

You were the Word at the beginning, one with God, the Lord Most High.
Your hidden glory in creation, now revealed in you, our Christ.

What a beautiful Name it is, what a beautiful Name it is: the Name of Jesus Christ, my King.
What a beautiful Name it is – nothing compares to this – what a beautiful Name it is:
The Name of Jesus.

We couldn't find heaven without you, so Jesus, you brought heaven down.
My sin was great, your love was greater, what could separate us now?

What a wonderful Name it is, what a wonderful Name it is: the Name of Jesus Christ, my King.
What a wonderful Name it is – nothing compares to this – what a wonderful Name it is:
The Name of Jesus.

Death could not hold you, the veil tore before you, you silence the boast of sin and grave.
The heavens are roaring the praise of your glory, for you are raised to life again.
You have no rival, you have no equal, now and forever, God, you reign.
Yours is the kingdom, yours is the glory, yours is the Name above all names.

What a powerful Name it is, what a powerful Name it is: the Name of Jesus Christ, my king.
What a powerful Name it is – nothing can stand against – what a powerful Name it is:
The Name of Jesus.

What a powerful Name it is: the Name of Jesus.

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CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Leader: Whoever says “I know him” but does not keep his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him, but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected.

– 1 John 2:4-5_{ESV}

Let us confess our sins to the Lord.

All: **O Lord, Father most gracious,
You are God of love, justice, and peace.
As your children, we long for harmony in our families
And serenity in the midst of struggle.
We long for our homes to be a dwelling place for your love;
Yet we confess that we are often anxious, that we do not trust each other,
And that we harbor ill-will against one another.
We confess that we are not willing to make the sacrifices
And take the risks that love requires.
We ask you, as our Father, to look upon us with kindness and grace.
Rule in our homes and in our world,
And in your mercy show us how to walk as your adopted children. Amen.**

Please reflect and silently confess your sins.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE **

Leader: As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him. For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust.

– Psalm 103:13-14_{ESV}

All: **Thanks be to God.**

JESUS PAID IT ALL

I hear the Savior say, “Your strength indeed is small.
Child of weakness, watch and pray. Find in me your all in all.”*

* *Chorus:*

Jesus paid it all; all to him I owe.
Sin had left a crimson stain; he washed it white as snow.

Lord, now indeed I find your power, and yours alone,
Can change the leper’s spots and melt the heart of stone. *

For nothing good have I whereby your grace to claim;
I’ll wash my garments white in the blood of Calvary’s Lamb. *

And when, before the throne I stand in him complete,
“Jesus died my soul to save,” my lips shall still repeat. *

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scripture reading

Leader: Matthew 10:34-39
This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

prayer

An officer of the church prays for the world, nation, community, and church.

Leader: All these mercies we ask in the name of Jesus, who prayed saying,
**All: Our Father who is 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,
Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors,
Do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, Amen.**

Leader: Jesus said, “Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.” In a world filled with trouble, let us encourage one another to look to the one who has overcome the world. May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

An elder will lead the passing of the peace.

If you are joining us from your home, unmute yourself so that you can greet one another.

If you are gathered here with us today, greet one another warmly with the peace of Christ while being careful to practice safe social distancing.

sermon

Series | “The Ten Commandments – Living in Freedom”

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Sermon | “Honor in God’s Family”

August 2, 2020

Exodus 20:1-17 ESV | 1 And God spoke all these words, saying,

2 “I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

3 “You shall have no other gods before me.

4 “You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. 5 You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, 6 but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

7 “You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

8 “Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. 9 Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, 10 but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. 11 For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

12 “Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

13 “You shall not murder.

14 “You shall not commit adultery.

15 “You shall not steal.

16 “You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

17 “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.”

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

sermon notes

1. Honor and responsibility
2. Flourishing and submission
3. How God makes his family perfect

** gospel charge

Leader: In light of the Word we have heard, how ought we live?

All: Put on then, as God’s chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving each other. And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony.

– Adapted from Colossians 3:12-14_{ESV}

WELCOME TO HIS TABLE

The Lord's Supper is a family meal for Christians – a time when we delight in Christ and in the good news that His work alone has made us right with God. All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone as their Savior, belong to a church that embraces the gospel, and seek strength to live more faithfully to Christ are invited to participate. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, please use this time to meditate on the following prayer.

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

Please remain seated for communion. As a symbol of our unity in Christ, please wait until everyone has been served the elements, and we will all partake together. There are two tabs on the communion sets. The clear tab on top opens the bread. The tab underneath opens the grape juice.

Please hold on to your materials to dispose of on your way out of the sanctuary. If you have a gluten allergy, please indicate this when prompted and to your server, to receive a gluten-free wafer. During the celebration of communion, we will sing the printed hymn.

NOTE TO PARENTS: *To receive communion, a child must have been baptized, publicly professed their faith in Christ, and been formally received as a communing member by the elders of this church or the governing body of the church to which you belong. We look forward to welcoming your children to the table when they come to this point and ask that you speak to the pastor when you feel your child is ready to begin the process of becoming a communing member.*

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

And as they were eating, he took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to them, and said, “Take; this is my body.” And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it. And he said to them, “This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many.”

– Mark 14:22-24^{ESV}

Minister: Let us lift up our hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Minister: It is very good and right, our duty and privilege, to at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto you, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, Creator of heaven and earth.

Hear us then, as we pray.

All: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these your gifts of bread and the cup, that the bread we break and the cup we bless may be the communion of the body and blood of Christ. By your Spirit make us one with Christ, that we may be one with all who share this feast, united in ministry in every place. And as this bread is Christ’s body for us, send us out to be the body of Christ in this world, bringing all glory and honor to your great Name.

Minister: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

As the elements are distributed, sing as one body, affirming that in Christ we are united to him and to one another.

BE THOU MY VISION

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; naught be all else to me, save that thou art;
Thou my best thought by day or by night; waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom and thou my true Word; I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father and I thy true son; thou in me dwelling and I with thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise; thou my inheritance, now and always;
Thou and thou only, first in my heart; High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won. May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

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Note: [Other ways to give](#), including mailing a check to the office, are available.

ARISE, MY SOUL, ARISE

Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears;
The bleeding sacrifice on my behalf appears.
Before the throne my surety stands, before the throne my surety stands;
My name is written on his hands. *

** Chorus:*

Arise (arise), arise (arise), Arise, arise my soul, arise. (x2)
Shake off your guilty fears and rise.

He ever lives above, for me to intercede;
His all-redeeming love, his precious blood to plead.
His blood atoned for every race, his blood atoned for every race,
And sprinkles now the throne of grace. *

Five bleeding wounds he bears, received on Calvary;
They pour effectual prayers; they strongly plead for me.
“Forgive him, O forgive,” they cry, “Forgive him, O forgive,” they cry;
“Let not that ransomed sinner die!” *

My God is reconciled; his pardoning voice I hear.
He owns me for his child; I can no longer fear.
With confidence I now draw nigh, with confidence I now draw nigh,
And “Father, Abba Father,” cry. *

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**** benediction**

****doxology**

**All: 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.**