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We gather to worship Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

Preparation Hymn "How Firm A Foundation"

Welcome

Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 107:1-3

Prayer of Praise

Hymn "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Hymn "For He Alone Is Worthy"

Scripture Reading Isaiah 49:22-26

Scripture Reading Colossians 1:13-20

Prayer of Confession

Scriptural Assurance of Pardon 1 John 2:12

Hymn "Rejoice The Lord Is King"

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer of Petition

Sermon Mad, Bad, or God?

Mark 3:7-35

Hymn "Crown Him With Many Crowns"

Hymn "Doxology"

Benediction Numbers 6:24-26

Moment of Silent Reflection



SCRIPTURAL CALL TO WORSHIP

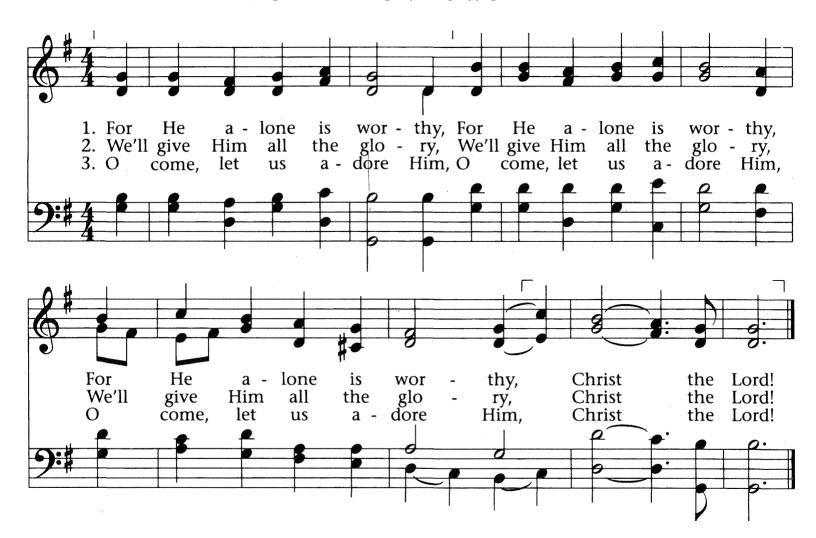
PSALM 107:1-3

- ¹ Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!
- ² Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble
- ³ and gathered in from the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.



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FOR HE ALONE IS WORTHY



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SCRIPTURE READING

ISAIAH 49:22-26

- ²² Thus says the Lord GOD:
 - "Behold, I will lift up my hand to the nations, and raise my signal to the peoples; and they shall bring your sons in their arms, and your daughters shall be carried on their shoulders.
- 23 Kings shall be your foster fathers,
 and their queens your nursing mothers.
 With their faces to the ground they shall bow down to you,
 and lick the dust of your feet.
 Then you will know that I am the LORD;
 those who wait for me shall not be put to shame."
- ²⁴ Can the prey be taken from the mighty, or the captives of a tyrant be rescued?
- ²⁵ For thus says the LORD:

 "Even the captives of the mighty shall be taken,
 and the prey of the tyrant be rescued,
 for I will contend with those who contend with you,
 and I will save your children.
- ²⁶ I will make your oppressors eat their own flesh, and they shall be drunk with their own blood as with wine. Then all flesh shall know that I am the LORD your Savior, and your Redeemer, the Mighty One of Jacob."

SCRIPTURE READING

COLOSSIANS 1:13-20

¹³ He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. ¹⁶ 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. ¹⁷ And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ 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 preeminent. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

SCRIPTURAL ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 John 2:12

I am writing to you, little children, because your sins are forgiven for his name's sake.

REJOICE THE LORD IS KING



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MAD, BAD, OR GOD?

MARK 3:7-35

⁷ Jesus withdrew with his disciples to the sea, and a great crowd followed, from Galilee and Judea ⁸ and Jerusalem and Idumea and from beyond the Jordan and from around Tyre and Sidon. When the great crowd heard all that he was doing, they came to him. ⁹ And he told his disciples to have a boat ready for him because of the crowd, lest they crush him, ¹⁰ for he had healed many, so that all who had diseases pressed around him to touch him. ¹¹ And whenever the unclean spirits saw him, they fell down before him and cried out, "You are the Son of God." ¹² And he strictly ordered them not to make him known.

¹³ And he went up on the mountain and called to him those whom he desired, and they came to him. 14 And he appointed twelve (whom he also named apostles) so that they might be with him and he might send them out to preach 15 and have authority to cast out demons. 16 He appointed the twelve: Simon (to whom he gave the name Peter); ¹⁷ James the son of Zebedee and John the brother of James (to Sons whom gave the name Boanerges, that is. Thunder); 18 Andrew, and Philip, and Bartholomew, and Matthew, and Thomas, and James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus, and Simon the Zealot, ¹⁹ and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

²⁰ Then he went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. ²¹ And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, "He is out of his mind."

²² And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, "He is possessed by Beelzebul," and "by the prince of demons he casts out the demons." ²³ And he called them to him and said to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? ²⁴ If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. ²⁵ And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. ²⁶ And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. ²⁷ But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

²⁸ "Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, ²⁹ but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin"— ³⁰ for they were saying, "He has an unclean spirit."

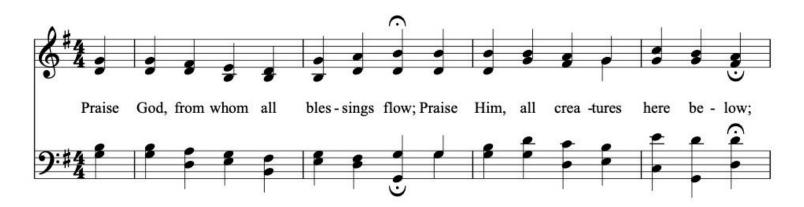
³¹ And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. ³² And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you." ³³ And he answered them, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" ³⁴ And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! ³⁵ For whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother."

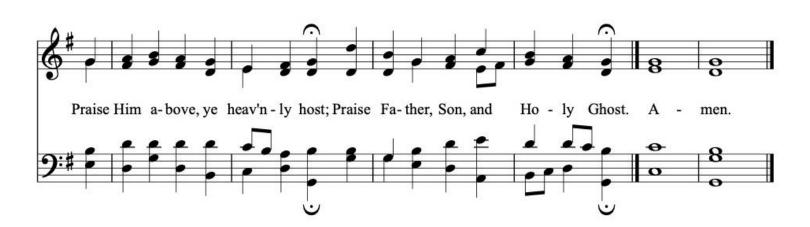
CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS



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DOXOLOGY





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WHO IS JESUS?

Our greatest prayer for you is that you would come to know Jesus. Though we have all rebelled against God, He sent Jesus, His only Son, into our broken world. Through Jesus's obedient life, sacrificial death, and victorious resurrection, sinners can be forgiven and reconciled to God through turning from our sins and trusting in Him.

FOLLOWING JESUS

Baptism is publicly professing your faith in Jesus and identifying with His people.

Discipleship is walking together in life and helping one another follow Jesus faithfully.

Membership is our mutual commitment to follow Jesus together in the context of a local church.

Service to the church and the world is what characterizes Jesus's followers as we seek to make Him known.

If you would like to learn more about Jesus and what it means to follow Him, we would love to talk with you. Please speak with one of our elders or submit a connect card (available in the pews or by scanning the QR code below).

VISITORS & GUESTS

Welcome! If you are new to our church, we invite you to connect with an elder in the foyer after the service so that we can welcome you personally.



You can also complete a **Connect Card**, available in the pews or via this QR code, to request more information about this church or about what it means to be a Christian.

Families with Children We offer Sunday School classes at 9:30am for grades K-12, and childcare for infants to pre-K during the 10:45 worship service. Canvas 'busy bags' are available in the lobby for children to use during the service. Additional information about our Children's Ministry is available on our website.

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Sunday Night Prayer Meeting Sunday, July 9, 5:00pm, Fellowship Hall

We typically gather on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month for a time of prayer and fellowship. Join us TONIGHT, Sunday, July 9th, at 5:00pm. Everyone is welcome.

FBC Members' Meeting Sunday, July 16, 5:30pm, Worship Hall

FBC Members - Please join us next Sunday, July 16th for our Members' Meeting.

Adult Sunday School Class: "London Baptist Confession of Faith" Sundays, 9:30am, Multi-Purpose Room

Children's Ministry Summer Break

Our 9:30am Sunday School classes for children and youth, grades K-12, will resume on Sunday, September 10. In the meantime, everyone is welcome in the Adult Sunday School class, littles and children included!

CHURCH INFO





