

POTOMAC HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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HOME WORSHIP SERVICE
April 19, 2020

As you know, Loudoun County Public Schools has closed all school facilities until at least June 7 due to the Coronavirus pandemic. Therefore, we have put together the following worship service for use at home.

Any change in church status or schedule will be communicated via email, Realm, Facebook, and on our website at www.potomachills.org.

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All music and the sermon for today can be found in the April 19, 2020 playlist on our PHPC YouTube channel.
https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLK_t54i97wu36L6lJykuNQ--6HGqBaxFN

If you use the playlist you will not have to individually click on each video link below – just let the videos automatically advance (pressing pause so that you can continue through the Worship Guide).

WELCOME TO POTOMAC HILLS!

Today we are a church distributed, each meeting at home, but still gathered with the saints to worship the Triune God, not just here in Northern Virginia, but around the world.

GATHERING HYMN

Sing the 1st song! All of our songs can be found on YouTube. All the lyrics are in the YouTube videos, so you don't have to print the lyrics. At the end of this bulletin we have given you songsheets containing the lyrics for all of today's worship songs.

The YouTube link for our Gathering Hymn

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UTqu1Sb8ERA>

ANNOUNCEMENTS for 4/19/20

All Bible studies, Community Groups, Youth Group, and any other church events will not meet in person until at least June 10th, unless changed by the Governor of Virginia. These groups may meet virtually on Zoom, by phone, etc. Keep an eye out for notifications from your group leader on how these events will proceed.

4/19 – 4/25: Community Groups

4/26 – 5/2: Bible Studies and Community Group Prayer Meetings

5/3 – 5/9: Community Groups

5/10 – 5/16: Bible Studies and Community Group Prayer Meetings

5/17 – 5/23: Community Groups

Take a group selfie of your family gathered to worship!

CALL TO WORSHIP (Read in unison):

Hebrews 10:35-11:1

Therefore do not throw away your confidence, which has a great reward. For you have need of endurance, so that when you have done the will of God you may receive what is promised. For, "Yet a little while, and the coming one will come and will not delay; but my righteous one shall live by faith, and if he shrinks back, my soul has no pleasure in him." But we are not of those who shrink back and are destroyed, but of those who have faith and preserve their souls. Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.

OPENING PRAYER

Pray that the Lord would bless our time of worship, focus us upon worshipping Him, and speak to us through His Word.

WORSHIP WITH SONGS & HYMNS OF PRAISE

Again, go to YouTube and sing the worship set.

The YouTube link for our Songs and Hymns of Praise

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yVisFlotVnM>

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER:

Here are some suggestions of how we can pray from LifeWay.

- 1. Pray for the Sick.** Pray for those who are sick, and their families, that the Lord would heal and comfort them.
- 2. Pray for the Healthcare Workers.** Pray for those on the frontlines treating those who are sick, that the Lord would protect and strengthen them.
- 3. Pray for the Vulnerable.** Pray for those who are especially vulnerable to disease, that the sickness would pass over them and that they would rely on others for help..
- 4. Pray for the Unemployed.** Pray for those who have lost work, that God would provide through their families and communities.
- 5. Pray for our Leaders.** Pray for national and local government leaders, that they would have wisdom to do what is best for all.
- 6. Pray for Students & Families.** Pray for students who are out of school, and their families, that the Lord would give them patience and discipline.
- 7. Pray for Churches.** Pray for churches and ministry leaders, that they would know how to best show the love of Christ in this time.

CONFESSION OF SIN (pray together in unison)

Holy Lord, we are guilty—of pride and unbelief, of failure to find Your mind in Your Word, of neglect to seek You in our daily lives. Our violations and shortcomings present our consciences with a long list of accusations, but they shall not stand! For we lay them all now on Christ, our sacrifice and advocate. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (read in unison)

And who is this mediator—true God and at the same time truly human and truly righteous? Our Lord Jesus Christ, who was given us to set us completely free and to make us right with God. (Heidelberg Catechism 18)

WORSHIP THROUGH OFFERING AND A SONG

We believe that the offering is an act of worship. Giving to the work of the church in building God's Kingdom is a strong reminder of our dependence on Him.

You can give through your bank's billpay system, or mail checks to the church office: 2 Cardinal Park Drive, Suite 101A, Leesburg, VA 20175. You can give today through the Realm app on your phone, at <https://onrealm.org/PotomachHills/-/give/now> , or through PayPal to give@potomachills.org

The YouTube link for our Offering Song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dReV2QNT4g4>

READING OF THE WORD: Mark 9:14-29

Dr. Silvernail will read today's passage at the beginning of the sermon video; please have your Bible open and ready so you may follow along.

*¹⁴And when they came to the disciples, they saw a great crowd around them, and scribes arguing with them. ¹⁵And immediately all the crowd, when they saw him, were greatly amazed and ran up to him and greeted him. ¹⁶And he asked them, "What are you arguing about with them?" ¹⁷And someone from the crowd answered him, "Teacher, I brought my son to you, for he has a spirit that makes him mute. ¹⁸And whenever it seizes him, it throws him down, and he foams and grinds his teeth and becomes rigid. So I asked your disciples to cast it out, and they were not able." ¹⁹And he answered them, "O faithless generation, how long am I to be with you? How long am I to bear with you? Bring him to me." ²⁰And they brought the boy to him. And when the spirit saw him, immediately it convulsed the boy, and he fell on the ground and rolled about, foaming at the mouth. ²¹And Jesus asked his father, "How long has this been happening to him?" And he said, "From childhood. ²²And it has often cast him into fire and into water, to destroy him. But if you can do anything, have compassion on us and help us." ²³And Jesus said to him, "If you can! All things are possible for one who believes." ²⁴Immediately the father of the child cried out and said, "**I believe; help my unbelief!**" ²⁵And when Jesus saw that a crowd came running together, he rebuked the unclean spirit, saying to it, "You mute and deaf spirit, I command you, come out of him and never enter him again." ²⁶And after crying out and convulsing him terribly, it came out, and the boy was like a corpse, so that most of them said, "He is dead." ²⁷But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him up, and he arose. ²⁸And when he had entered the house, his disciples asked him privately, "Why could we not cast it out?" ²⁹And he said to them, "This kind cannot be driven out by anything but prayer."*

PREACHING OF THE WORD: Dr. Silvernail

"Belief and Unbelief"

This is the 27th sermon in the Gospel of Mark entitled "**The King and His Cross**"
All sermons are recorded and available for download at www.PotomacHills.org.

Today's sermon was pre-recorded and you can find it on Youtube! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9QHUhXBThWU>

If you would rather read today's sermon, you can find the manuscript at:

<https://www.potomachills.org/sermons/sermon/2020-04-18/belief-and-unbelief-mark-9:14-29>

RESPONDING TO GOD IN PRAYER AND SONG

Acceptable responses to hearing and applying God's Word to our lives include Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving and Supplication. Take time to thank God that we can worship Him no matter where we are, or what crisis we're facing!

Then go to YouTube and sing our Closing Hymn

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G_ZApnOsBjc

RECEIVING THE BLESSING & ONE ANOTHER TIME

End your time worshiping together with this blessing from **John 16:32-33**

"Behold, the hour is coming, indeed it has come, when you will be scattered, each to his own home, and will leave Me alone. Yet I am not alone, for the Father is with Me. I have said these things to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world."

We're glad you joined the church distributed for worship today!

GO TO OUR FACEBOOK GROUP OR REALM AND POST THE GROUP SELFIE YOU TOOK EARLIER!

Remember to keep in touch with each other by whatever technological means you have –
call, text, email, use your favorite messaging service, Facetime, Google Hangouts, Zoom

Send prayer requests or theological questions or comments to dsilvernail@potomachills.org

Have a good week! Keep Your Distance, Wash Your Hands, and Pray for Each Other!

And Stay Tuned For The Fun Contest We're Going To Have On Facebook This Week!

April 19, 2020 Worship Song Lyrics

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (written by Edward Perronet and Oliver Holden, Public Domain, Trinity Hymnal # 296)

All hail the power of Jesus' name, let angels prostrate fall.
Bring forth the royal Diadem, and crown Him Lord of all.
Bring forth the royal Diadem, and crown Him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall.
Hail Him who saves you by His grace and crown Him Lord of all.
Hail Him who saves you by His grace and crown Him Lord of all.

Let every kindred, every tribe on this terrestrial ball.
To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all.
To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng we at His feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all.
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all.
And crown Him Lord of all!

His Forever (Written by Pat Sczebel @2004 Sovereign Grace Worship ACAP CCLI# 4383811)

Jesus, friend of sinners, loved me ere I knew Him. Drew me with His cords of love, tightly bound me to Him.
'Round my heart still closely twined, the ties that none can sever. For I am His and He is mine, forever and forever.

Jesus, friend of sinners, a crown of thorns You wore for me. Bruised for my transgressions, pierced for my iniquities.
The wrath of God that I deserved was poured out on the Innocent. He took my place, my soul to save,
now I am His forever.

Jesus, friend of sinners, I love to tell the story. Redeeming love has been my theme and will be when in glory.
Not death nor life nor anything can ever separate me. Oh love that will not let me go, yes, I am His forever.

Not death nor life nor anything can ever separate me. Oh love that will not let me go, yes, I am His forever,
Yes, I am His forever.

O Church Arise (Written by Keith Getty and Stuart Townend @2005 Thankyou Music EMI Christian Music Publishing CCLI# 4611992)

O Church, arise and put your armor on hear the call of Christ our Captain.
For now the weak can say that they are strong in the strength that God has given.
With shield of faith and belt of truth we'll stand against the devil's lies;
An army bold, whose battle cry is love, reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor.
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will fight with faith and valor.
When faced with trials on every side, we know the outcome is secure.
And Christ will have the prize for which He died- an inheritance of nations.

Come see the cross, where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God is stricken
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen!
And as the stone is rolled away and Christ emerges from the grave,
This victory march continues till the day every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit come, put strength in every stride. Give grace for every hurdle,
That we may run with faith to win the prize of a servant good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace,
We hear their calls and hunger for the day when with Christ we stand in glory.
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Indescribable (Written by Laura Story, Jesse Reeves @2004 worshiptogether.com Songs/sixsteps Music/Gleaning Publishing CCLI # 4403076)

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea, creation's revealing Your majesty.
Through the colors of fall to the fragrance of spring, every creature unique in the song that it sings, all exclaiming...

*Chorus: Indescribable, uncontainable, You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name,
You are amazing, God!
All-powerful, untamable, awestruck we fall to our knees as we humbly proclaim,
You are amazing God!*

Who has told every lightning bolt where it should go? Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow?
Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light, yet conceals it to bring us the Coolness of night?
None can fathom.

*Chorus: Indescribable, uncontainable, You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name,
You are amazing, God!
Incomparable, unchangeable, You see the depths of my heart and You love me the same.
You are amazing God! You are amazing God!*

Christ is Mine Forevermore (by City Alight, written by Johnny Robinson and Rich Thompson @2016 City Alight Music, CCLI# 7036096)

Mine are days that God has numbered, I was made to walk with Him.
Yet I look for worldly treasure and forsake the King of Kings.
But mine is hope in my Redeemer, though I fall, His love is sure;
For Christ has paid for every failing, I am His forevermore.

Mine are tears in times of sorrow, darkness not yet understood.
Through the valley I must travel where I see no earthly good.
But mine is peace that flows from heaven and the strength in times of need,
I know my pain will not be wasted, Christ completes His work in me.

Mine are days here as a stranger, pilgrim on a narrow way.
One with Christ I will encounter harm and hatred for His name.
But mine is armor for this battle, strong enough to last the war,
And He has said He will deliver safely to the golden shore.

*Chorus: And mine are keys to Zion city where beside the King I walk.
For there my heart has found its treasure, Christ is mine forevermore.*

*Bridge: Come, rejoice now, O my soul, for His love is my reward.
Fear is gone and hope is sure, Christ is mine forevermore.*

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Christ is mine forevermore. Christ is mine forevermore.

My Soul Finds Rest (Psalm 62) (Words and Music by Aaron Keyes and Stuart Townend @2007 Thankyou Music EMG CMG Publishing CCLI# 5040902)

My soul finds rest in God alone, my rock and my salvation. A fortress strong against my foes, and I will not be shaken.
Though lips may bless and hearts may curse and lies like arrows pierce me.
I'll fix my heart on righteousness, I'll look to Him who hears me.

*Chorus: O praise Him, hallelujah, my delight and my reward.
Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.*

Find rest, my soul, in God alone amid the world's temptations.
When evil seeks to take a hold, I'll cling to my salvation.
Though riches come and riches go, don't set Your heart upon them,
The fields of hope in which I sow are harvested in heaven.

*Chorus: O praise Him, hallelujah, my delight and my reward.
Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.*

I'll set my gaze on God alone and trust in Him completely.
With every day pour out my soul, and He will prove His mercy.
Though life is but a fleeting breath, a sigh too brief to measure,
My King has crushed the curse of death and I am His forever.

*Chorus: O praise Him, hallelujah, my delight and my reward.
Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.*

Take My Life and Let It Be (Music by Frances Havergal, Words by Henri Malan, Public Domain, Trinity Hymnal # 585)

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord to Thee.
Take my moments and my days, let them flow in endless praise.
Let them flow in endless praise.

Take my voice and let me sing always, only, for my King.
Take my lips and let them be filled with messages from Thee.
Filled with messages from Thee.

Take my will and make it Thine. It shall be no loner mine.
Take my heart it is Thine own. It shall be Thy royal throne.
It shall be Thy royal throne.

Take my love, my God, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store.
Take my self and I will be ever, only, all for Thee,
Ever, only, all for Thee