

# THE LORD'S DAY

## MORNING WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 23, 2020 • 11:00 A.M.

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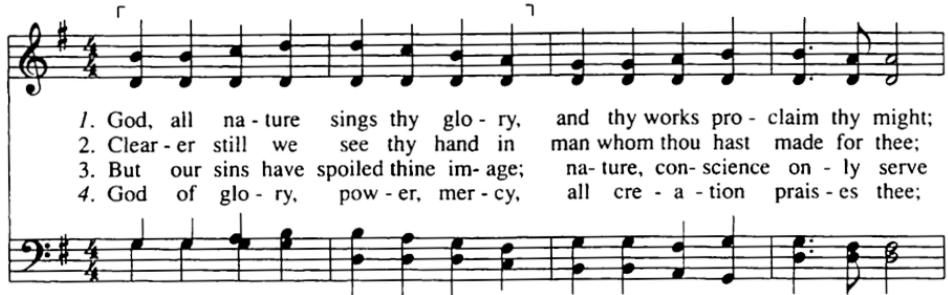
“...let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.”

~ Hebrews 10:22-23

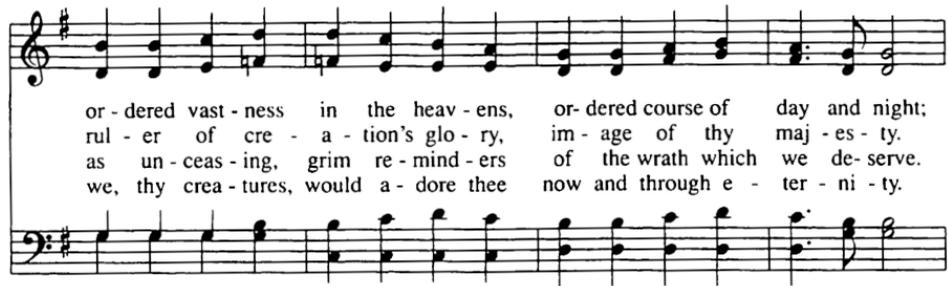
- ▶ PRELUDE..... *Concerto in B-Flat Major*, George Frideric Handel
  
- ▶ WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
  
- ▶ INTROIT.....*Surely the Lord is in This Place*, Herbert Colvin
  
- ▶ \*CALL TO WORSHIP - HEBREWS 10:22-23..... Rev. Danny Myers



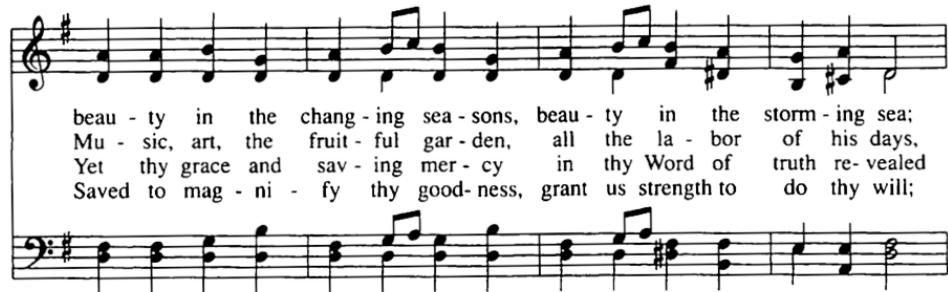
► \*THE HYMN OF PRAISE .....*God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory* (HYMNAL #122)



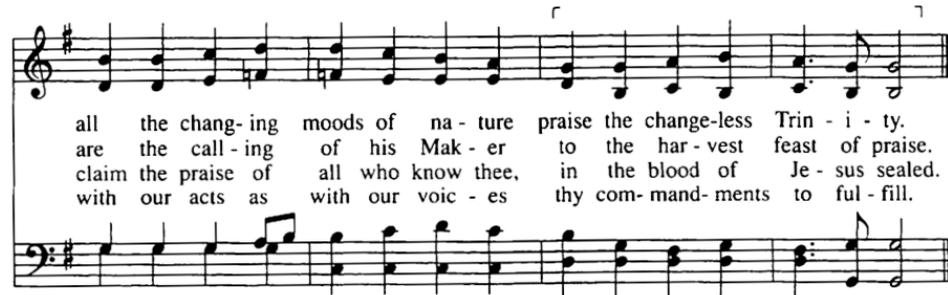
1. God, all na - ture sings thy glo - ry, and thy works pro - claim thy might;  
 2. Clear - er still we see thy hand in man whom thou hast made for thee;  
 3. But our sins have spoiled thine im - age; na - ture, con - science on - ly serve  
 4. God of glo - ry, pow - er, mer - cy, all cre - a - tion prais - es thee;



or - dered vast - ness in the heav - ens, or - dered course of day and night;  
 rul - er of cre - a - tion's glo - ry, im - age of thy maj - es - ty.  
 as un - ceas - ing, grim re - mind - ers of the wrath which we de - serve.  
 we, thy crea - tures, would a - dore thee now and through e - ter - ni - ty.



beau - ty in the chang - ing sea - sons, beau - ty in the storm - ing sea;  
 Mu - sic, art, the fruit - ful gar - den, all the la - bor of his days,  
 Yet thy grace and sav - ing mer - cy in thy Word of truth re - vealed  
 Saved to mag - ni - fy thy good - ness, grant us strength to do thy will;



all the chang - ing moods of na - ture praise the change - less Trin - i - ty.  
 are the call - ing of his Mak - er to the har - vest feast of praise.  
 claim the praise of all who know thee, in the blood of Je - sus sealed.  
 with our acts as with our voic - es thy com - mand - ments to ful - fill.

David Clowney, 1960

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ODE TO JOY 8.7.8.7.D.  
 Ludwig van Beethoven, 1824; arr.



▶ \*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION

▶ \*THE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty God, who is rich in mercy to all those who call upon You; Hear us as we come to You humbly confessing our sins and transgressions, and imploring Your mercy and forgiveness. We have broken Your holy laws by our deeds and by our words, and by the sinful affections of our hearts. We confess before You our disobedience and ingratitude, our pride and willfulness; and all our failures and shortcomings toward You and toward our fellow men. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; And of Your great goodness grant that we may hereafter serve and please You in newness of life; through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

▶ \*THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON - 1 Timothy 1:15 (NKJV)

“This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief.”

▶ THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - Levi Williams & Amos Williams

▶ THE PASTORAL PRAYER.....Rev. Joel Smit

▶ THE LORD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS (Please sign & pass the registration pad.)

▶ THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM.....*Hallelujah, Amen*, George Frideric Handel

Hallelujah, amen, amen, hallelujah, amen. O Judah, rejoice, rejoice, rejoice, O Judah in songs divine, with cherubim and seraphim harmonious join. Hallelujah, amen, amen, hallelujah, amen. Amen. Amen. Hallelujah! Amen.

▶ \*THE DOXOLOGY .....*Old Hundreth*, Louis Bourgeois

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav’nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.



► \*THE HYMN OF PREPARATION..... *Give Me Jesus*

1. In the morn-ing when I rise, In the morn-ing when I rise,  
 2. Oh, when I am a - lone, Oh, when I am a - lone,  
 3. Oh, when I come to die, Oh, when I come to die,

In the morn - ing when I rise, Give me Je - sus.  
 Oh, when I am a - lone, Give me Je - sus.  
 Oh, when I come to die, Give me Je - sus.

Give me Je - sus, Give me Je - sus,

You may have all this world, Give me Je - sus.

Words: Spiritual  
 Music: Spiritual; arr. Mark Rice



► THE SCRIPTURE READING..... Ecclesiastes 4:4-16 (Pew Bible pg. 555)

4 Then I saw that all toil and all skill in work come from a man's envy of his neighbor. This also is vanity and a striving after wind.

5 The fool folds his hands and eats his own flesh.

6 Better is a handful of quietness than two hands full of toil and a striving after wind.

7 Again, I saw vanity under the sun: 8 one person who has no other, either son or brother, yet there is no end to all his toil, and his eyes are never satisfied with riches, so that he never asks, "For whom am I toiling and depriving myself of pleasure?" This also is vanity and an unhappy business.

9 Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil. 10 For if they fall, one will lift up his fellow. But woe to him who is alone when he falls and has not another to lift him up! 11 Again, if two lie together, they keep warm, but how can one keep warm alone? 12 And though a man might prevail against one who is alone, two will withstand him—a threefold cord is not quickly broken.

13 Better was a poor and wise youth than an old and foolish king who no longer knew how to take advice. 14 For he went from prison to the throne, though in his own kingdom he had been born poor. 15 I saw all the living who move about under the sun, along with that youth who was to stand in the king's place. 16 There was no end of all the people, all of whom he led. Yet those who come later will not rejoice in him. Surely this also is vanity and a striving after wind.

► THE SERMON..... Simple Life: Finding Meaning in Relationships, Rev. Joel Smit



► \*THE HYMN OF AFFIRMATION.....*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*



1. The King of love my Shep - herd is, Whose good - ness  
 2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow My ran - somed  
 3. Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed, But yet in  
 4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill With You, dear  
 5. You spread a ta - ble in my sight; Your sav - ing  
 6. And so through all the length of days Your good - ness



fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if  
 soul He lead - eth, And where the ver - dant  
 love He sought me, And on His shoul - der  
 Lord, be - side me; Your rod and staff my  
 grace be - stow - ing; And O what trans - port  
 fails me nev - er. Good Shep - herd, may I



I am His And He is mine for - ev - er.  
 pas - tures grow, With food ce - les - tial feed - eth.  
 gen - tly laid, And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.  
 com - fort still, Your cross be - fore to guide me.  
 of de - light From Your pure chal - ice flow - ing!  
 sing Your praise With - in Your house for - ev - er.



Words: Henry Williams Baker  
 Music: Irish Melody



▶ \*BENEDICTION

▶ \*CONGREGATIONAL CHORUS ..... *Gloria Patri* (HYMNAL #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.

▶ \*POSTLUDE..... *Second Overture in Solomon*, George Frideric Handel

## SERMON NOTES



# THE LORD'S DAY

## EVENING WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 23, 2020 • 6:00 P.M.

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▶ PRELUDE

▶ WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

▶ \*CALL TO WORSHIP

▶ \*THE HYMN ..... *Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord* (HYMNAL #16)

▶ THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION

▶ \*THE HYMN ..... *To You, I Lift My Soul* (PSALTER 25A)

▶ THE OFFERING & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

▶ THE OFFERTORY



▶ THE EVENING PRAYER

▶ \*THE HYMN ..... *Be Still, My Soul* (HYMNAL #689)

▶ THE SCRIPTURE READING..... Psalm 25 (Pew Bible pg. 459)

▶ THE SERMON ..... The Guidance of God, Rev. Danny Myers

▶ \*THE HYMN ..... *Have Thine Own Way, Lord!* (HYMNAL #688)

▶ \*BENEDICTION

▶ \*POSTLUDE



# OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH

There are many opportunities to engage in the life of the church.  
We welcome you to join us.

**LORD'S DAY**      9:15 AM Prayer Time  
                         9:45 AM Adult & Children Sunday School  
                         10:30 AM Fellowship Time  
                         11:00 AM Worship of Almighty God  
                         6:00 PM Evening Worship

**MONDAY**            7:30 PM Men's Discipleship

**TUESDAY**          10:00 AM Women of the Word

**WEDNESDAY**      5:30 PM Fellowship Meal  
                         6:30 PM Adult Prayer & Bible Study  
                         6:30 PM King's Kids  
                         6:30 PM Youth Group  
                         6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY**        10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry

**FRIDAY**

**SATURDAY**



# VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

## NURSERY WORKERS

### FEBRUARY 23RD

Bunny—Margaret MacGregor and Patricia Raymond

Fox—Karen Kee and Chalonte Harper

Owl—Brittany Newland and Josh Grantham

Extra—Devron Douglas

Floater—Ella Becker

Children's Church—[Ruth O'Neal/Grant Williams] and Lily Becker

### MARCH 1ST

Bunny— Leslie Boyd and Patricia Raymond

Fox—Josh Stevenson and Chalonte Harper

Owl—Leah Thomas and Amanda Stevenson

Extra—Jordan Lee

Floater—Will Holland

Children's Church—Josh Fogarty and Lucy Katrek

## GREETERS

### FEBRUARY 23RD

Church Wing—Jill Fogarty

School Wing—Linda Koppany

### MARCH 1ST

Church Wing—Chip and Sis Howell

School Wing—Randy and Page Whitfield

\*\*If you have a conflict, change your date with someone else and contact the staffing coordinator.





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# NEWS & EVENTS

## **WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL AND**

**ACTIVITIES:** On Wednesday, February 26th, we will have poppy seed chicken, jasmine rice, salad bar, rolls, and dessert for dinner. After the meal, we will gather for a time of prayer & Bible study.

**WOMEN OF THE WORD:** The spring session of the Women of the Word Bible study begins on Tuesday, February 25th at 10:00 AM. All women who have registered are asked to bring \$10 cash or check for the study's workbook. If you haven't registered yet and would like to participate, there is a sign up sheet in the Narthex or on the church website. However, the online form is required if childcare is needed.

## **WOMEN IN THE CHURCH (WIC)**

**COUNCIL MEETING:** The WIC Council will meet on Thursday, February 27th at 7:00 PM.

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:** If you love knit or crochet and pray, the Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet at 10:00 AM on Thursday, February 27th in the church parlor.

**MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP:** Discipleship is teaching, it is imparting, it is modeling, it is empowering and it is coaching others by living, learning, and laboring through the Christian life together. Paul tells the church at Corinth to "act like men" (1 Cor. 16:13). We want to then grow as godly men in our understanding of being reformed disciples of Christ. If you are interested, please RSVP by emailing Danny Myers ([danny.myers@smyrnapres.org](mailto:danny.myers@smyrnapres.org)). This meeting will be tomorrow—Monday, February 24th—at Bad Daddy's Burger Bar in Smyrna. It will begin at 7:30pm.

**TEACHERS NEEDED:** We are in need of teachers for Children's Church during our Sunday morning worship service and King's Kids on Wednesday nights. If you feel led to teach within any one of these ministries, please see the following coordinators: Paris Garrett for Children's Church and Pastor Danny Myers for King's Kids.

