



Sunday, January 17, 2021

“Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!”

1 Chronicles 16:8

Order of Worship and Lyrics

Call to Worship

Hymn: Come, Thou Almighty King

Come, thou Almighty King, help us thy name to sing,
Help us to praise.
Father, all glorious, o'er all victorious,
Come and reign over us,
Ancient of Days.

Come, thou Incarnate Word, gird on thy mighty sword,
Our prayer attend!
Come, and Thy people bless,
And give Thy word success;
Spirit of holiness,
On us descend.

Come, Holy Comforter, thy sacred witness bear
In this glad hour!
Thou who almighty art, now rule in ev'ry heart,
And ne'er from us depart,
Spirit of power.

To Thee great One in Three, The highest praises be,
Hence evermore;
Thy sov'reign majesty May we in glory see,
And to eternity
Love and adore.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Corporate Prayer of Confession

ALL: Almighty God, we confess to you the difficulty of obedience to your Word. We live in this world and you have called us to be your people, but each day we are faced with temptations, opportunities to stray from what is right and our own selfishness. We ask that you would humble us and show us what things in our lives need to be removed so that we may be your faithful Church. Show us in your Word the right path to walk and awaken our hearts to the power available to us for holy living. Forgive us when we fall short of your desire for your Church and we seek forgiveness for those actions, attitudes and words we have held and said that are not pleasing to you. Heavenly Father, we ask for your grace to work in our lives that we might be a light unto this world. In Jesus name we pray, Amen.

Silent Time of Personal Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: If you, O Lord, should mark our iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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.

Unison Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-11

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God’s power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, so that the tested genuineness of your faith —more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire— may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ. Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls. Concerning this salvation, the prophets who prophesied about the grace that was to be yours searched and inquired carefully, inquiring what person or time the Spirit of Christ in them was indicating when he predicted the sufferings of Christ and the subsequent glories.”

Pastoral Prayer and Singing of Lord’s Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread, forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but

deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.

Anthem: In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song.
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace.
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
My Comforter, my All in All, Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! -who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe.
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied.
For every sin on Him was laid Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain:
Then bursting forth in glorious day,
Up from the grave He rose again.
And as He stands in victory, Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine,
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me,
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand.

Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

Sermon: "Examine Yourselves" Randy Jenkins

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 13:5

"Examine yourselves, to see whether you are in the faith. Test yourselves. Or do you not realize this about yourselves, that Jesus Christ is in you?—unless indeed you fail to meet the test!"

Communion Hymn: Let us Break Bread Together

Let us break bread together on our knees,
Let us break bread together on our knees;
When I fall on my knees, With my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink the cup together on our knees, Let us
drink the cup together on our knees;
When I fall on my knees, With my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Communion Hymn: Let Us Break Bread Together

Let us praise God together on our knees,
Let us praise God together on our knees;
When I fall on my knees, With my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Benediction/Response: Doxology

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!

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