

Comfort and Assurance of the Gospel Psalm 103.8,10-12

“The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in lovingkindness. He has not dealt with us according to our sins, nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His lovingkindness toward those who fear Him. As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us.”

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

Hymn #307

Nothing but the Blood of Jesus
(Arrangement by Wilder Adkins)

~God Receives Our Offerings and Requests~

We Worship God with Our Tithes and Offerings Only a Holy God

Missions Moment

Doxology #731

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.

~God Blesses and Sends Us Out~

Benediction

Announcements

Postlude

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Sunday Service of Worship

Welcome

Prelude

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Nothing but the Blood *(Arrangement by Wilder Adkins)*

~God Calls Us to Worship Him~

Call to Worship Psalm 111:1-3, 7-9

Leader

Praise the Lord!

Congregation

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Leader

Great are the works of the Lord!

Congregation

Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

Leader

The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy;

Congregation

they are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

Leader

He sent redemption to his people;

All

He has commanded his covenant forever. Holy and awesome is his name!

Hymn #172 Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Prayer of Worship

~God Instructs Us with His Word~

We Listen to God Hebrews 9:11-12

Sermon Eureka! I Have found it!

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

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~God Feeds Us at His Table~

We Corporately Confess Our Sin and Our Faith

My God, my Father, and Preserver—who of your goodness has watched over us during the past night and brought us to this day—our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo.

Please forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a hopeful future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

(Please take a moment to silently confess your sins to the Lord.)