

# *Soli Deo Gloria*

*To God Alone be the Glory*



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# Order of Worship

## Call to Worship & Prayer of Praise

*Psalm 130*

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD! O Lord, hear my voice!

**Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!**

If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?

**But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.**

I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope;

**My soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning,  
more than watchmen for the morning.**

O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love,  
and with him is plentiful redemption.

**And he will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.**

## Hymns of Praise

### **GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS** (*Hymn #96*)

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father; There is no shadow of turning with Thee.  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not; As Thou has been, Thou forever wilt be.

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new  
mercies I see:*

*All I have needed Thy hand hath provided; Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter, and spring-time and harvest, Sun, moon and stars in their courses above  
Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth. Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine with 10,000 beside!

### **BY GRACE ALONE** (*Ward*)

Out of the depths I cry to You...Lord, hear my voice of pleading;  
Bend down Your gracious ear, I pray,...Your humble servant heeding.  
If You remember each misdeed, And of each thought and word take heed,  
Who can remain before You? Only by grace, by grace alone.

Your pardon is a gift of love...Your grace alone must save us,  
Our works will not remove our guilt; The strictest life would fail us.  
Let none in deeds or merits boast, But let us own the Holy Ghost  
For He alone can change us: Only by grace, by grace alone.

Though great our sins and sore our woes. His grace much more aboundeth;  
His helping love no limit knows, Our utmost need it soundeth.  
Our kind and faithful Shepherd He, Who will set all His people free  
From all their sin and sorrow: Only by grace, by grace alone.

## **Hymn of Response**

### **IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL** (HYMN #447)

1. When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, When sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, Thou has taught me to say, It is well, it is well, with my soul.

*It is well, with my soul...It is well, with my soul, It is well, it is well, with my soul.*

2. Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control,  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.
3. My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought! My sin, not in part but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more,  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
4. And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, Even so, it is well with my soul.

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## **Scripture Readings**

### **PSALM 62:1-8**

For God alone my soul waits in silence;  
from him comes my salvation.

<sup>2</sup> He alone is my rock and my salvation,  
my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken.

<sup>3</sup> How long will all of you attack a man  
to batter him,  
like a leaning wall, a tottering fence?

<sup>4</sup> They only plan to thrust him down from his high position.  
They take pleasure in falsehood.

They bless with their mouths,  
but inwardly they curse. *Selah*

<sup>5</sup> For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence,  
for my hope is from him.

<sup>6</sup> He only is my rock and my salvation,  
my fortress; I shall not be shaken.

<sup>7</sup> On God rests my salvation and my glory;  
my mighty rock, my refuge is God.

<sup>8</sup> Trust in him at all times, O people;  
pour out your heart before him;  
God is a refuge for us.

## **1 PETER 1:3-12**

<sup>3</sup>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, <sup>4</sup>to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, <sup>5</sup>who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. <sup>6</sup>In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, <sup>7</sup>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. <sup>8</sup>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, <sup>9</sup>obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

<sup>10</sup>Concerning this salvation, the prophets who prophesied about the grace that was to be yours searched and inquired carefully, <sup>11</sup>inquiring what person or time the Spirit of Christ in them was indicating when he predicted the sufferings of Christ and the subsequent glories. <sup>12</sup>It was revealed to them that they were serving not themselves but you, in the things that have now been announced to you through those who preached the good news to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven, things into which angels long to look.

### **Sermon**

### **“Our Only Hope”**

#### **I. PEOPLE (v3-4)**

A. David is coming from a place of severe pressure as King

1. SO MANY people were after him, many of us would've been paranoid sitting on his throne
2. He has to be careful with whom he can trust (Absalom)

B. So many of us are deeply desiring affection, desiring emotional connection and validation, trying to put others on the throne that God deserves

C. Whether it's with our enemies or with our friends, our relationships become skewed and we can abuse people that way

#### **II. POSITIVE OUTCOMES (v3-4)**

A. David's placement as a leader was dependent on the nation doing well, what happened if it didn't?

B. If I were David, I would be TREMBLING with the weight on my shoulders. Any of us ever feel overwhelmed?

## Hymn of Reflection

### IN CHRIST ALONE (*Hymn #506*)

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.

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## Doxology & Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

### The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
born of the virgin Mary.  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

## The MSBC Church Covenant

In the presence of God and of men, confessing Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, and relying on the help of the Holy Spirit, we joyfully and solemnly covenant with each other:

- Habitually to observe secret prayer
- Devoutly to study the Scriptures and teach them to our children
- Heartily to sustain the work and worship of the Church
- Faithfully to observe the ordinance of the Lord's Supper
- To walk together in brotherly love and exercise a Christian care and watchfulness over one another
- To aid as God shall prosper us in supporting a faithful ministry
- To seek as we have opportunity to lead others to Jesus Christ
- To live soberly, righteously, and godly in this present world, abstaining from whatever is unbecoming the Christian profession

## Preparing Our Hearts

## Receiving the Bread and Cup

## Closing Hymn

### THE SOLID ROCK (*Hymn #511*)

1. My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness;  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

*On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand –  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand.*

2. When darkness seems to hide His face, I rest on His unchanging grace;  
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil.
3. His oath, His covenant, His blood support me in the whelming flood;  
When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.
4. When He shall come with trumpet sound, Oh may I then in Him be found;  
Dressed in His righteousness alone, Faultless o stand before the throne.

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## Benediction