

Soli Deo Gloria

To God Alone be the Glory



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Order of Worship

Call to Worship & Prayer of Praise

Psalm 98

Oh sing to the LORD a new song,
for he has done marvelous things!

**His right hand and his holy arm
have worked salvation for him.**

The LORD has made known his salvation;
he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.
He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness
to the house of Israel.

**All the ends of the earth have seen
the salvation of our God.**

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;
break forth into joyous song and sing praises!
Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre,
with the lyre and the sound of melody!

**With trumpets and the sound of the horn
make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD!**

Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;
the world and those who dwell in it!
Let the rivers clap their hands;
let the hills sing for joy together
before the LORD, for he comes
to judge the earth.

**He will judge the world with righteousness,
and the peoples with equity.**

Hymns of Praise

COME, THOU ALMIGHTY KING (*Hymn #336*)
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 every heart
And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power.

To the great One in Three, Eternal praises be!
Hence evermore. Thy Sovereign Majesty, May we in glory see
And through eternity Love and adore.

ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME (*Hymn #314*)

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' Name!

Let angels prostrate fall;
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!

Let every kindred, every tribe,
On this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe,
And crown Him Lord of all!

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

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Scripture Reading

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. ² And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

³ But sexual immorality and all impurity or covetousness must not even be named among you, as is proper among saints. ⁴ Let there be no filthiness nor foolish talk nor crude joking, which are out of place, but instead let there be thanksgiving. ⁵ For you may be sure of this, that everyone who is sexually immoral or impure, or who is covetous (that is, an idolater), has no inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God. ⁶ Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience. ⁷ Therefore do not become partners with them; ⁸ for at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light ⁹ (for the fruit of light is found in all that is good and right and true), ¹⁰ and try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord. ¹¹ Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. ¹² For it is shameful even to speak of the things that they do in secret. ¹³ But when anything is exposed by the light, it becomes visible, ¹⁴ for anything that becomes visible is light. Therefore it says,

“Awake, O sleeper,
and arise from the dead,
and Christ will shine on you.”

¹⁵ Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶ making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸ And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹ addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, ²⁰ giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.

Prayer of Confession

Hymn of Response

JESUS, KEEP ME NEAR THE CROSS (Hymn #233)

Jesus, keep me near the cross; There a precious fountain,
Free to all, a healing stream, Flows from Calvary's mountain.
In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever,
Till my raptured soul shall find Rest beyond the river.

Near the cross, a trembling soul, Love and mercy found me;
There the bright and morning star Sheds its beams around me.
In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever,
Till my raptured soul shall find Rest beyond the river.

Near the cross! O Lamb of God, Bring its scenes before me;
Help me walk from day to day With its shadow o'er me.
In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever,
Till my raptured soul shall find Rest beyond the river.

Near the cross I'll watch and wait, Hoping, trusting ever,
Till I reach the golden strand Just beyond the river.
In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever,
Till my raptured soul shall find Rest beyond the river.

Scripture Readings

MALACHI 4:1-6

“For behold, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble. The day that is coming shall set them ablaze, says the LORD of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. ² But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness shall rise with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall. ³ And you shall tread down the wicked, for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet, on the day when I act, says the LORD of hosts.

⁴ “Remember the law of my servant Moses, the statutes and rules that I commanded him at Horeb for all Israel.

⁵ “Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the great and awesome day of the LORD comes. ⁶ And he will turn the hearts of fathers to their children and the hearts of children to their fathers, lest I come and strike the land with a decree of utter destruction.”

2 PETER 3:1-7

This is now the second letter that I am writing to you, beloved. In both of them I am stirring up your sincere mind by way of reminder, ² that you should remember the predictions of the holy prophets and the commandment of the Lord and Savior through your apostles, ³ knowing this first of all, that scoffers will come in the last days with scoffing, following their own sinful desires. ⁴ They will say, “Where is the promise of his coming? For ever since the fathers fell asleep, all things are continuing as they were from the beginning of creation.” ⁵ For they deliberately overlook this fact, that the heavens existed long ago, and the earth was formed out of water and through water by the word of God, ⁶ and that by means of these the world that then existed was deluged with water and perished. ⁷ But by the same word the heavens and earth that now exist are stored up for fire, being kept until the day of judgment and destruction of the ungodly.

Sermon

“Scoffers & the Second Coming”

I. PETER’S REMINDER OF THE 2nd COMING (2 Pet. 3:1-2)

A. Remember the *Predictions* of the Prophets (Mal. 4)

- The P _____ will be D _____
- The H _____ will be D _____

B. Remember the *Commandment* of the Lord (Mark 1:14)

- As Given through the A _____
- “R _____ and B _____”

II. PETER’S WARNING OF SCOFFERS (2 Pet. 3:3-4)

A. The Motivation of Scoffers

- *Not* F _____ the T _____...
- ..but their own S _____ D _____

B. The Reasoning of Scoffers

- “All things C _____ ...Nothing C _____”

III. PETER’S WORD TO SCOFFERS (2 Pet. 3:5-7)

A. Remember this *Fact*: the Word of the Lord ...

- ...F _____ the Earth out of W _____ (Gen. 1)
- ...D _____ the World with W _____ (Gen. 6)

B. By this *Same* Word

- The Earth is S _____ up for F _____

IV. PETER’S WORD TO US (2 Pet. 3:14-18)

Hymn of Response

IT IS WELL (Hymn #447)

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.

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.

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!

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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Missions Moment

Jonathan and Bethany Kimball

Prayers of the Church

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Closing Hymn

WHEN THE ROLL IS CALLED UP YONDER (HYMN #600)

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound, and time shall be no more,
And the morning breaks, eternal, bright, and fair;
When the saints of earth shall gather over on the other shore,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there!

When the roll...is called up yonder (3x)

When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there!

On that bright and cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise,
And the glory of His resurrection share;
When His chosen ones shall gather to their home beyond the skies,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there!

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun,
Let us talk of all His wondrous love and care;
Then when all of life is over, and our work on earth is done,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there!

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Benediction