



ORDER FOR THE
PUBLIC WORSHIP *of* GOD

July 3, 2022
Trinity Season

Morning Worship

8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

The order of worship for the evening service begins on page 10.

LET US HONOR JESUS, OUR KING

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE:

“Fugue for Trumpet and Organ” G.F. Handel; arr. Michel Rondeau
Tammy Holt, organ; Mark Woodring, trumpet

“My Song Is Love Unknown” J. Baptiste Calkin; arr. Molly Ijames
Tammy Holt, piano; James Ryan and Frank Lakatos, violins; Beth Luscombe, viola

CALL TO WORSHIP Dan Burns

♠HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 588 “God of Our Fathers” NATIONAL HYMN

Words: Daniel C. Roberts / Music: George W. Warren / Psalm 46:7

Organ or trumpets
before each stanza

1. God of our fa - thers, whose al - might - y
2. Thy love di - vine hath led us in the
3. From war's a - larms, from dead - ly pes - ti -
4. Re - fresh thy peo - ple on their toil - some

hand leads forth in beau - ty all the star - ry band
past; in this free land by thee our lot is cast;
lence, be thy strong arm our ev - er - sure de - fense;
way, lead us from night to nev - er - end - ing day;

of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the skies,
be thou our rul - er, guard - ian, guide, and stay;
thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in - crease,
fill all our lives with love and grace di - vine,



our grate - ful songs be - fore thy throne a - rise.
 thy Word our laws, thy paths our cho - sen way.
 thy boun - teous good - ness nour - ish us in peace.
 and glo - ry, laud, and praise be ev - er thine.

✦INVOCATION

✦LITANY OF THANKSGIVING Blanche Tosh

Let us give thanks to the High King of Heaven.

It is good and right so to do.

For the vision of the New Heavens and New Earth,
 with a new city shining on a hill,
 where righteousness and justice would prevail,

we thank You, Lord.

For our nation in which we have the freedom to worship You,

we thank You, Lord.

For the beauty and bounty of this land where You have placed us,
 and the many men and women who have defended it,

we thank You, Lord.

For the many races and nationalities You have gathered here
 and for the diverse cultures that comprise our society,

we thank You, Lord.

For Your Church, Your holy nation,
 which has dispersed all over the world and has been a light to our nation,

we thank You, Lord.

For the forgiveness which You have granted Your redeemed people
 for our many individual and corporate sins
 and for Your continual and undeserved blessing upon us all,

we thank You, Lord.

Most of all, we give You thanks for establishing Your Son, Jesus Christ,
 as King of kings, and Lord of lords, who is the Great King of all the nations,
 and the Protector and Defender of Your people.

**To Him be praise and high thanksgiving,
 with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
 both now and forevermore. Amen.**

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Words: Thomas Ken / Psalm 150

**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.**

LET US RECEIVE JESUS, OUR REDEEMER

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of everlasting love,
we confess that we have been unfaithful
to our covenant with You and with one another.
We have worshipped counterfeit gods
and have sought salvation from pseudo saviors.
We have not loved our neighbors as You have commanded
nor have we rightly loved ourselves.
Have mercy on us, most merciful Father!
Pardon all our sins,
known and unknown, felt and unfelt, remembered or forgotten.
Send Your purifying grace into our hearts,
that we may live faithfully according to Your word
and joyfully follow Jesus Christ, our Savior and King.**

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON..... Titus 3:4-7

*But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared,
he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness,
but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit,
whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior,
so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.*

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SOLO OFFERTORY: "How Can I Keep from Singing?" Alfred Fedak

Words and Music: Robert Lowry; arr. Alfred Fedak

My life goes on in endless song above earth's lamentations,
I hear the real, though far-off, hymn that hails a new creation.

Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear its music ringing,
It sounds an echo in my soul. How can I keep from singing?

*No storm can shake my inmost calm, while to that rock I'm clinging.
Since Christ is Lord of heaven and earth, how can I keep from singing?*

What though my joys and comforts die? The Lord my Savior liveth.
What though the darkness gather round? Songs in the night He giveth.

The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a fountain ever springing!
All things are mine since I am His! How can I keep from singing?

*Emily Hale, solo
Tammy Holt, piano*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A WORD TO THE CHILDREN..... Carol Overcast
Membership Coordinator

LET US FOLLOW JESUS, OUR LORD

✦PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE 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. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Sermon Notes

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♠HYMN OF PREPARATION: No. 121: "What Grace Is Mine" LONDONDERRY AIR

Words: Kristyn Getty / Music: Trad. Irish Folk Tune / Ephesians 2:4-5

1. What grace is mine that he who dwells in end-less light called through the
2. What grace is mine to know his breath a - live in me; be - neath his

night to find my dis-tant soul, and from his scars poured mer - cy that would
wings my wea-ry soul may soar; all fear can flee, for death's dark night is

plead for me, that I might live and in his name be known.
o - ver - come; my Sav - ior lives and reigns for - ev - er - more.

So I will go wher - ev - er he is call - ing me, I lose my

life to find my life in him. I give my all to gain the hope that

nev - er dies; I bow my heart, take up my cross, and fol - low him.

SCRIPTURE LESSON.....Joel 3:1-21
 (page 762 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,
but the Word of our God will stand forever. (*Isaiah 40:8*)

SERMON: Liberated for Mission George Robertson

- I. **Vigilant** (*Joel 3:1-8*)
- II. **Victorious** (*Joel 3:9-16*)
- III. **Vindicates** (*Joel 3:17-21*)

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

♠HYMN OF COMMITMENT: No. 472 "Take My Life, and Let It Be" HENDON

Words: Frances R. Havergal / Music: Henri A. C. Malan; harm. Lowell Mason / Romans 6:19

1. Take my life, and let it be con - se - crat - ed,
 2. Take my hands, and let them move at the im - pulse
 3. Take my voice, and let me sing, al - ways, on - ly,
 4. Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would
 5. Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no
 6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its

Lord, to thee. Take my mo - ments and my days; let them
 of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and
 for my King. Take my lips, and let them be filled with
 I with - hold. Take my in - tel - lect, and use ev - 'ry
 long - er mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall
 trea - sure - store. Take my self, and I will be ev - er,

flow in cease - less praise, let them flow in cease - less praise.
 beau - ti - ful for thee, swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
 mes - sag - es from thee, filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.
 pow'r as thou shalt choose, ev - 'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.
 be thy roy - al throne, it shall be thy roy - al throne.
 on - ly, all for thee, ev - er, on - ly, all for thee.

♠BENEDICTION

♠CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

♠POSTLUDE: "Lead On, O King Eternal" Henry T. Smart; arr. Mark Hayes

♠Indicates congregation standing

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Caring Ministry Update

Sympathy to:

Bette Bush on the death of her son,
Walker West Bush, June 22, 2022.

Mimi Vestal, John Ivy, Jr., and Hunter
Ivy on the death of their father, *John
Daly Ivy*, June 24, 2022.

Barbara Blair on the death of her son,
Christopher Blair, June 27, 2022.

In the Hospital (as of 6/29/22):

Jim Spratley, *Kirby Pines Rehab*

John Emmett, *Baptist Rehab*

Bill Hardin, *Baptist Rehab*

Virginia Webb, *Baptist Memphis*

Lynn Ballinger, *Baptist Memphis*

Weekly Prayer Focus

World Missions–Thomas and Jennifer McIntyre: Thomas and Jennifer finished their first church plant in Taiwan prior to their home assignment this past year. They ministered to us at 2PC during our World Missions Conference sharing their “seed-sowing and church planting” challenges and accomplishments. They are moving back to Taiwan this month to start a new church planting ministry with teammates from the Netherlands. Pray for a growing support team and a smooth transition for their entire family to one of the most unreached areas of Taiwan.

Domestic Missions–Life Choices: Life Choices is a pregnancy clinic that provides free services to women facing unplanned pregnancies. Their services include pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, adoption counseling, and post-abortion counseling. They also provide education regarding birth control, sexual choices, parenting, STDs, housing, and more. In light of the recent overturning of *Roe v. Wade*, please pray for the safety of their center, staff, and clients. Pray for Christ to redeem and renew the hearts of those who have promised violence upon an overturn verdict. Regardless of the laws of the state, Life Choices remains committed to their founding vision: to serve women in crisis pregnancies. As they continue standing for life in our city, pray for the Lord to strengthen them, uphold them, and establish the work of their hands. Pray for all women in crisis pregnancies across Memphis to find support and hope in Christ through the ministry of Life Choices.

2PC Ministry–Recreation Ministry: The mission of 2PC’s Sport and Recreation Ministry is to glorify God and build His church by using sports, fitness, and recreation to foster fellowship, evangelism, and service to the city. Pray that God would be preparing hearts for the gospel of Christ as people sign up for Fall sports, especially those who don’t attend church anywhere. Pray also for God to give our sports staff wisdom as to how to steward all that the Lord has entrusted to our church.

Sunday Night Worship

6:00 p.m.

♣CALL TO WORSHIP..... David Bowen

♣THE LION AND THE LAMB..... Leeland

Words: Brenton Brown, Brian Johnson, Leeland Mooring / Music: Dustin Loehrs, Dan Galbraith



1. He's com - ing on the clouds, kings and king - doms will bow down.
2. So o - pen up the gates, make way be - fore the King of Kings.



And ev - 'ry chain will break, as bro - ken hearts de - clare His
Our God who comes to save is here to set the cap - tives



praise, for who can stop the Lord Al - might - y?
free, for who can stop the Lord Al - might - y?

Chorus



Our God is the Li - on, the Li - on of Ju - dah.



He's roar - ing with pow - er, and fight - ing our bat - tles.



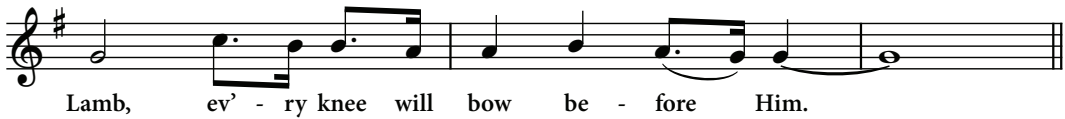
And ev - 'ry knee will bow be - fore Him. Our God is the Lamb,



the Lamb that was slain. For the sin of the world,



His blood breaks the chains, and ev' - ry knee will bow be - fore the Li - on and the



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PROVERBS 3 (TABLET OF YOUR HEART)Todd Dulaney

Words and Music: Todd Dulaney, Jaylen Moore, Isaac Target

✦*Congregation stands and joins at worship team's direction*

Write them on the tablet of your heart.

**I am the vine, You are the branches;
He who abides in me will forever be fruitful indeed.**

**I am the way, the truth, and the light;
No one gets to the Father
Except that He comes through me.**

So let not mercy and truth forsake you.

**Trust in the Lord with all your heart.
Trust in the Lord with all your mind.
Trust in the Lord with all your strength.
Lean not to your own understanding.**

✦PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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but the Word of our God will stand forever. (Isaiah 40:8)

SERMON: Experience God’s Goodness Philip James

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

NO. 546: BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVEBEFORE THE THRONE

Words and Music: Charitie Lees Bancroft, Vikki Cook; arr. Bruce Greer / Hebrews 4:14-16

1. Be - fore the throne of God a - bove I have a
 2. When Sa - tan tempts me to de - spair and tells me
 3. Be - hold him there, the ris - en Lamb, my per - fect

strong and per - fect plea; a great High Priest whose name is
 of the guilt with - in, up - ward I look and see him
 spot - less righ - teous - ness, the great un - change - a - ble I

Love, who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is
 there who made an end of all my sin. Be - cause the
 AM, the King of glo - ry and of grace. One with him -

grav - en on his hands, my name is writ - ten on his
 sin - less Sav - ior died, my sin - ful soul is count - ed
 self I can - not die; my soul is pur - chased by his

heart, I know that while in heav'n he stands no tongue can
 free; for God the just is sat - is - fied to look on
 blood. My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my

bid me thence de - part, no tongue can bid me thence de - part.
 him and par - don me, to look on him and par - don me.
 Sav - ior and my God, with Christ, my Sav - ior and my God!

♣HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: AMAZING GRACE (MY CHAINS ARE GONE) Chris Tomlin

Words and Music: John Newton, John Rees, Edwin Excell, Chris Tomlin, Louie Giglio / I Chronicles 17:16



1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me!
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears re - lieved;
3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His word my hope se - cures;
4. The earth shall soon dis - solve like snow, the sun for - bear to shine;



I once was lost, but now I'm found, was blind, but now I see.
how pre - cious did that grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!
He will my shield and por - tion be as long as life en - dures.
but God, who called me here be - low, will be for - ev - er mine.

Chorus



My chains are gone, I've been set free. My God, my



Sav - ior has ran - somed me, and like a flood His mer - cy



reigns; un - end - ing love, a - maz - ing grace.

♣BENEDICTION

♣GOSPEL AMEN

♣Indicates congregation standing

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Everyone Within My Reach

From Strangers to Neighbors to Family

BEGINS JULY 10

Join us at 9:45 a.m. on Sundays in July (starting July 10) for a special Sunday School hour series in the Fellowship Hall. "Everyone Within My Reach: From Strangers to Neighbors to Friends" aims to equip us to live as Christ's body in our city.

Get a glimpse of each week's focus:

July 10: Knowing My Neighbor

Barton Kimbro will teach on overcoming our habits and fears to reach those around us. Julia and Seth Harkins will share with us about how they have followed Christ by seeking to know their neighbor.

July 17: Walking with My Neighbor

Barton Kimbro will teach on cultivating relationships and connecting with the people God puts in our path. Rong and Sheng Zou will share with us about how they have followed Christ by seeking to walk with their neighbor.

July 24: Hearing My Neighbor

Todd Erickson will teach on building gospel-centered community in the midst of various cultural, socioeconomic, and religious differences we encounter. Kathie Russell and Gaye Carter will share with us about how they have followed Christ by seeking to hear their neighbor.

July 31: Time for My Neighbor

Todd Erickson will teach on prioritizing time to live missionally in our neighborhoods. Lizy Wegener and Susan and Mike Warner will share with us about how they have followed Christ by seeking to make time for their neighbor.

Welcoming Our Youngest Worshippers

Encouragement from Pastor George Robertson

Often I say during a child's baptism that we are pledging ourselves to rear children who will be dangerous to the devil's kingdom. A critical part of this discipleship occurs as our children worship with us in the Sanctuary.

The Bible says our covenant children assist us in our mission to advance the Kingdom of God against the kingdom of darkness. Jesus dignified the praises of the children in the temple by leveraging the power of their worship to advance His kingdom.

When praise to God comes from the lips of children and causes the devil's forces to scatter and hearts to change, God is shown to be infinitely powerful. When we bring them close to Christ, they become weapons in His hand.

May we be a church who imitates Jesus, taking seriously the praises of our children and gladly welcoming them into worship as we disciple them to be followers of Christ!

July Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary this month are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of: *Thomas Bechtel* by his wife, Judy Bechtel, and his children, Charles Bechtel and Kathryn Fox

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