



THE LORD'S DAY

MARCH 25, 2018

It sounds backward, but the path to holiness is through (not beyond) the grace of the gospel, because only undeserved grace can truly melt and transform the heart. The solution to restraint-free immorality is not morality. The solution to immorality is the free grace of God—grace so free that it will be (mis)heard by some as a license to sin with impunity. The route by which the New Testament exhorts radical obedience is not by tempering grace but by driving it home all the more deeply. —Dane Ortlund

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

***CALL TO WORSHIP**.....REVELATION 15:3-4

Great and marvelous are Your deeds, LORD God Almighty.

Righteous and true are Your ways, King of the ages.

Who will not fear You, O LORD, and bring glory to Your name? For You alone are holy.

All nations will come and worship before You, for Your righteous acts have been revealed.

***DOXOLOGY**

***INVOCATION**

***HYMN OF PRAISE**HOW GREAT YOU ARE

MUSIC AND WORDS BY JOEL SCZEBEL AND PAT SCZEBEL

Our God is great, The Father of Creation
His splendor fills the earth,
The Lightning crash The thunder sings His praises,
The galaxies can't help but shout His worth.

*My soul must sing to You an offering, How great You are
My should must sing, oh, let the heavens ring
How great you are, Oh, how great You are.*

The Word made flesh, God's promise to the fallen
He came with pow'r to save,
The light of life was crushed for our rebellion
He died our death and rose up from the grave.

Our King will come, With trumpet blasts resounding
To claim His blood-washed bride
He'll rend the skies, descending in His glory
And in an instant faith will turn to sight.

SCRIPTURE READING.....1 CHRONICLES 9

HYMN OF ADORATIONLOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING

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CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Loving God, you rode a donkey and came in peace,
humbled yourself and gave yourself for us.
We confess our lack of humility.
As you entered Jerusalem,
the crowds shouted “Hosanna: ‘Save us now!’”
On Good Friday they shouted, “Crucify!”
We confess our praise is often empty.
We sing “Hosanna,” but cry “Crucify.”
As the crowds laid their palms in front of you,
you took no glory for yourself.
We confess that we want to be accepted and take the easy way.
We do not stay true to your will.
Forgive us, Lord,
and help us to follow in the way of obedience.**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDONISAIAH 53:5

“But he was wounded for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities;
upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his stripes, we are healed.”

*HYMN OF ASSURANCEALAS & DID MY SAVIOR BLEED

WORDS: ISAAC WATTS MUSIC: BOBBY GUY & MAC PURDY

Alas! and did my Savior bleed, and did my Sovereign die?
Would he devote that sacred Head for sinners such as I?

Was it for sins that I had done, He suffered on the tree?
Amazing pity! Grace unknown! And love beyond degree!

*Well might the sun in darkness hide (Ladies echo) and shut His glories in (Ladies echo)
When Christ, the great Redeemer died for man, the creature’s sin.*

Thus might I hide my blushing face, while His dear cross appears;
Dissolve my heart in thankfulness, and melt mine eyes to tears.

*But drops of grief can ne'er repay (Ladies echo) the debt of love I owe (Ladies echo)
Here, Lord, I give myself away, 'tis all that I can do.*

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Please take a moment to record your attendance in the black folder as it is passed down the row.

OFFERTORY

SHEPHERDING PRAYERMICHAEL SALLEY

SERMONGALATIANS 5:1-6

¹ For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. ² Look: I, Paul, say to you that if you accept circumcision, Christ will be of no advantage to you. ³ I testify again to every man who accepts circumcision that he is obligated to keep the whole law. ⁴ You are severed from Christ, you who would be justified by the law; you have fallen away from grace. ⁵ For through the Spirit, by faith, we ourselves eagerly wait for the hope of righteousness. ⁶ For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision counts for anything, but only faith working through love.

SERMON NOTES

GALATIANS 5: 1-6 PART TWO

Review: (don't forget Acts 17:11!)

Free from the law: Romans 8:2, 10:4, Galatians 2:19

1. Falling away from grace (v. 4b)

2. Staying near grace (v. 5)

For the Christian, obedience is always EFFECT and never CAUSE.

We know we're supposed to grow & change, *but HOW does that growth and change happen?*

3. Changed by grace (v. 6b)

John 14:15

1 John 4:19; Eph. 2:1-5; Romans 5:6-8

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

WORDS & MUSIC: STUART TOWNEND

How deep the Father's love for us, How vast beyond all measure,
That He should give His only Son To make a wretch His treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss - The Father turns His face away,
As wounds which mar the Chosen One Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the man upon a cross, My sin upon His shoulders;
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice Call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there Until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me life - I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, No gifts, no power, no wisdom;

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partners: Michael & Julie VrMeer, serving in Southeast Asia, using community health education and evangelism and discipleship to demonstrate the love of Christ

Our Troops: pray for Joshua Polson, and our other troops and their chaplains around the world

Church of the week: Christ Church Presbyterian, Mount Pleasant; Jon Payne, pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Bridgette Bass Moore praise God for recent healing, pray also for her continued back pain

Rebecca Sibley recovering from back surgery

Wendy Alsup recovering from radiation treatment, pray also for her dad with heart problems

Lee Ann Smith: recovery from a recent surgery

Willie Lou Jackson: at home in Orangeburg battling multiple health issues

Christie Churchwell: relief from headaches

Linda Wells: recovering from treatment for cancer

Ann Betsill: at Calhoun Convalescent Center

But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.

Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer;

But this I know with all my heart - His wounds have paid my ransom.

*BENEDICTION

COME BACK TONIGHT AT **6:00 PM**
FOR WORSHIP AND SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP.

BULLETIN BOARD

Maundy Thursday Service

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE AT THE GARDENS

RELAY FOR LIFE LUNCHEON

FAITH PROMISE COMMITMENTS

PLEASE The wooden ballot box is at the information desk for your completed Faith Promise slips.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT OFFICE HOURS

Karen Ford, our administrative assistant, will be in the office on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. You can reach her via email at office@TrinityOrangeburg.com.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018

Save these dates! June 25-28 will be our week of VBS. Watch the weekly email for your opportunity to sign up as volunteers.

NEXT WOMEN'S GATHERING

Join us again on April 11th as we gather together at Chestnut Grill for a time of food, fellowship, and fun! We'll also discuss how we can minister to our church by joining the officers in praying for revival. We'll provide you with a helpful prayer guide you can use. Reservations are not required, just come as you are!

TRINITY READING TOGETHER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 CHRON 10	1 CHRON 11	1 CHRON 12	1 CHRON 13	1 CHRON 14	ROMANS 1

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

VOLUNTEERS	MARCH 25		APRIL 1	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-3	Susan Ulmer	Jerry & Lee Ann Smith	No Sunday school	Brooke & Abby Lyn Pantaleon
USHERS	Daniel Pantaleon, Brian Henson, Avery Folk, Larry Adicks			

FINANCIAL UPDATE

BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$3,715
BUDGET NEEDS WEEKLY	\$5,337

FAITH PROMISE

\$1,500 GIVEN	\$1,137 BUDGETED WEEKLY
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STAFF

John Mark Patrick, Pastor
 Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students
 Mary Beth Myers, Middle School Ministry
 Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist
 Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant
 Ann Axson, Bookkeeper

ELDERS

Steve Hawley
 Michael Salley
 Jeff Watford
 Alan Ulmer

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Brian Henson
 Daniel Peeler
 Gregg Waters
 Daniel Pantaleon

Deacon Assistants:

Larry Adicks, Linda Bonnette, Lyle Polson,
 Jerry & Lee Ann Smith, Alan Ulmer, Randy Zeigler

CALENDAR

SUN 3/25	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM 6:00PM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP 2:42 AND KIDS 4 CHRIST
TUES 3/27	6:00AM	MEN'S MORNING BIBLE STUDY
WED 3/28	12:00PM	MEN'S LUNCH BIBLE STUDY
THU 3/29	6:00PM	MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE
SUN 4/1	7:00AM 10:30AM	SUNRISE SERVICE AT THE GARDENS MORNING WORSHIP

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