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THE LORD'S DAY

APRIL 26, 2020

REFLECTION & PREPARATION

CALL TO WORSHIPFROM PSALM 9

Sing praises to the LORD, who sits enthroned in Zion!

I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High!

LORD, I will recount among Your people all Your wonderful deeds.

We will be glad and exult in You.

Those who know you put their trust in You, for You, O LORD, do not forsake those who seek You.

I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart!

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

INVOCATION

HYMN OF PRAISECOME PRAISE AND GLORIFY

WORDS & MUSIC: TIM CHESTER AND BOB KAUFLIN

Come praise and glorify our God The Father of our Lord
In Christ He has in heav'nly realms
His blessings on us poured
For pure and blameless in His sight He destined us to be
And now we've been adopted through His Son eternally

**To the praise of Your glory
To the praise of Your mercy and grace
To the praise of Your glory
You are the God who saves**

Come praise and glorify our God
Who gives His grace in Christ
In Him our sins are washed away
Redeemed through sacrifice
In Him God has made known to us The myst'ry of His will
That Christ should be the head of all His purpose to fulfill

Come praise and glorify our God
For we've believed the Word
And through our faith we have a seal The Spirit of the Lord
The Spirit guarantees our hope Until redemption's done
Until we join in endless praise To God, the Three in One

SCRIPTURE READINGEXODUS 31

HYMN OF ADORATIONJESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL

WORDS: CHARLES WESLEY

MUSIC: GREG THOMPSON

Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high.
Hide me, O my Savior, hide, 'til life's storm is past;
Safe into the haven guide; receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none, I helpless, hang on Thee;
Leave, oh leave me not alone, still support and comfort me.
All my trust on Thee is stayed, all help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenseless head in the shadow of Thy wing.

Thou, O Christ, are all I want, here more than all I find;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, heal the sick,
and lead the blind.

Just and holy is Thy Name, I am all unrighteousness;
False and full of sin I am; Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with Thee is found,
grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound;
make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art, let me take of Thee;
Spring Thou up within my heart; for all eternity.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Father in heaven, we need to be forgiven.

We have tried to heal ourselves.

Instead of trusting in the death of Jesus Christ,
we have tried to work off our guilt.

We have tried so hard to pile up good deeds that
outweigh our sins.

When this doesn't work, we quickly turn to denial and
distraction.

Instead of trusting in the resurrection of Jesus Christ,
we have tried to change through our own efforts.

We have tried to change our hearts through sheer
willpower.

This has left some of us arrogant.

This has left most of us anxious and depressed.

Forgive us for trying to heal ourselves.

Forgive us for neglecting your grace.

Forgive us and heal us, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

Please silently confess your sin before the Lord.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON.....ROMANS 5:1-2

“Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.”

HYMN OF ASSURANCE.....HIS LOVE CAN NEVER FAIL

WORDS: E.S. HALL MUSIC: CHRISTOPHER MINER

I do not ask to see the way my feet will have to tread;
But only that my soul may feed upon the living Bread.

'Tis better far that I should walk
by faith close to His side;

I may not know the way I go, But oh, I know my Guide.

**His love can never fail, His love can never fail,
My soul is satisfied to know His love can never fail.
My soul is satisfied to know His love can never fail.**

And if my feet would go astray, they cannot, for I know
That Jesus guides my falt'ring steps, as joyfully I go.
And tho' I may not see His face, my faith is strong and clear,
That in each hour of sore distress my Savior will be near.

I will not fear, tho' darkness come
abroad o'er all the land,

If I may only feel the touch of His own loving hand.
And tho' I tremble when I think how weak I am, and frail,
My soul is satisfied to know His love can never fail.

HYMN OF CONFIDENT TRUSTMY WORTH IS NOT
IN WHAT I OWN

TEXT AND MUSIC: GETTY AND TOWNEND

My worth is not in what I own,
not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love, at the cross

My worth is not in skill or name
In win or lose, in pride or shame
But in the blood of Christ that flowed, at the cross

**I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest Treasure,
Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him, no other.
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.**

As summer flowers we fade and die,
fame, youth and beauty hurry by
But life eternal calls to us, at the cross

I will not boast in wealth or might,
or human wisdom's fleeting light.
But I will boast in knowing Christ, at the cross

Two wonders here that I confess,
my worth and my unworthiness
My value fixed - my ransom paid, at the cross

SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....RE SAM LAMBRECHT

SERMONHABAKKUK 2:5-20

⁵ “Moreover, wine is a traitor, an arrogant man who is never at rest. His greed is as wide as Sheol; like death he has never enough. He gathers for himself all nations and collects as his own all peoples.”

⁶ Shall not all these take up their taunt against him, with scoffing and riddles for him, and say, “Woe to him who heaps up what is not his own—for how long?—and loads himself with pledges!”

⁷ Will not your debtors suddenly arise, and those awake who will make you tremble? Then you will be spoil for them.

⁸ Because you have plundered many nations, all the remnant of the peoples shall plunder you, for the blood of man and violence to the earth, to cities and all who dwell in them.

⁹ “Woe to him who gets evil gain for his house, to set his nest on high, to be safe from the reach of harm! ¹⁰ You have devised shame for your house by cutting off many peoples; you have forfeited your life. ¹¹ For the stone will cry out from the wall, and the beam from the woodwork respond.

¹² “Woe to him who builds a town with blood and founds a city on iniquity! ¹³ Behold, is it not from the LORD of hosts that peoples labor merely for fire, and nations weary themselves for nothing?”

¹⁴ For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.

¹⁵ “Woe to him who makes his neighbors drink— you pour out your wrath and make them drunk, in order to gaze at their nakedness! ¹⁶ You will have your fill of shame instead of glory. Drink, yourself, and show your uncircumcision! The cup in the LORD's right hand will come around to you, and utter shame will come upon your glory! ¹⁷ The violence done to Lebanon will overwhelm you, as will the destruction of the beasts that terrified them, for the blood of man and violence to the earth, to cities and all who dwell in them.

¹⁸ “What profit is an idol when its maker has shaped it, a metal image, a teacher of lies? For its maker trusts in his own creation when he makes speechless idols!

¹⁹ Woe to him who says to a wooden thing, Awake; to a silent stone, Arise! Can this teach? Behold, it is overlaid with gold and silver, and there is no breath at all in it.

²⁰ But the LORD is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him.”

SERMON NOTES

THE GLORIOUS WRATH OF GOD

HABAKKUK 2:5-20

1. THE NATURE & RESULTS OF EVIL

2. YOUR EMBARRASSING RELATIVE

GLORIOUS

SURPRISING COMFORT, HOPE, FREEDOM

WARNING & THREAT

3. AMAZING HOPE

HYMN OF RESPONSE.....O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

No. 52

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home!

Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone,
And our defense is sure.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

A thousand ages in Thy sight
Are like an evening gone;
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly, forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our guard while life shall last,
And our eternal home.

***BENEDICTION**

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REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partner: Pamyla Burrack - Church planting in Berlin and serving with MTW on the Europe Leadership Team

Our Troops: pray for our troops and their chaplains around the world

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

TRINITY FAMILY

Frank Myers: recovery after back surgery

Bob Beckett: recovering at home after recent hospitalization

Louise Beckett: knee replacement surgery delayed, relief from pain

Linda Wactor: wisdom for doctors in better managing her pain

Claudia Wilkes: recovering from ankle surgery

Lawton Porter: recovery from broken leg, ongoing therapy after brain aneurysm

Linda Wells: neuropathy, improved stamina

Mark Cash: suitable employment

Willie Lou Jackson: at The Oaks in Orangeburg

Christie Churchwell: relief from headaches

Ann Betsill: at Calhoun Convalescent Center