

# LORD'S DAY VESPERS

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PRELIMINARY PREPARATION • 5:45 P.M.

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*In the Sanctuary*—INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

*In the Westminster Room*—PRAYER FOR THE SERVICE WITH THE MINISTERS



Prelude

Scripture Calls Us to Worship

Ephesians 1:3-18

Mr. Curles

All glorious God, we give You thanks: in Your Son, Jesus Christ, You have given us every spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms. You chose us, before the world was made, to be Your holy people, without fault in Your sight. You adopted us as Your children in Christ. You have set us free by His blood; You have forgiven our sins. You have made known to us Your secret purpose, to bring heaven and earth into unity in Christ. You have given us Your Holy Spirit, the seal and pledge of our inheritance. All praise and glory be Yours, O God, for the richness of Your grace, for the splendor of Your gifts, for the wonder of Your love.

Gathering Hymn

*Speak O Lord*

(see page 3)

Opening Prayer

Hymn Medley

*Isaiah 43*

(see page 4)

*Pearly Gates*

(see page 5)

*Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery*

(see page 6)

*Children are dismissed to attend their classes.*

Responsive Reading of God's Word      Psalm 119:1-24      Page 829 in the *Trinity Hymnal*  
Read by Sam Adams , *21st Century Sunday School Class*

Testimony of God's Grace      Bill Jackson, *21st Century Sunday School Class*

Evening Prayer      Ed Patterson, *21st Century Sunday School Class*

Evening Scripture Lesson      Hebrews 12:1-2      Page 1285 in the Pew Bible  
Read by Brian Atkins, *21st Century Sunday School Class*

Interlude: Meditation, Reflection, and Preparation for the Word

Homily      LOVE DOES      Mr. Pendley  
"Love is Willing"

Closing Chorus      *The Steadfast Love of the Lord*

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases.  
His mercies never come to an end.  
They are new every morning, new every morning.  
Great is Thy faithfulness, O Lord.  
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Benediction of God's Grace

# Speak, O Lord

1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to you to re -  
2. Teach us, Lord, full o - be - di - ence, ho - ly  
3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; help us

ceive the food of your ho - ly Word.  
rev - - - er - ence, true hu - mil - i - ty.  
grasp the heights of your plans — for us.

Take your truth, plant it deep — in us shape and  
Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes in the  
Truths un - changed from the dawn — of time, that will

fash - ion us in your like - ness, that the  
ra - - - di - ance of your pu - ri - ty. Cause our  
e - - - cho down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by

light of Christ might be seen to - day in our  
faith to rise, cause our eyes to see your ma -  
grace we'll stand on your prom - is - es, and by

acts of love and our deeds of faith.  
jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty.  
faith we'll walk as you walk with us.

Speak, O Lord and ful - fill in us all your  
Words of pow'r that can nev - er fail; let their  
Speak, O Lord, till your church is built and the

pur - - - po - ses — for your glo - - ry.  
truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.  
earth is filled with your glo - - ry.

*Isaiah 43*

When you pass through the waters,  
I will be with you,  
And the waves will not overcome you.  
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you.  
I have called you by name; you are Mine.

For I am the Lord, your God (Echo)  
For I am the Lord, your God (Echo)  
The Holy One of Israel, your Savior (unison)

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I am the Lord (Do not fear)  
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When you walk through the fire,  
You'll not be burned,  
And the flames will not consume you,  
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you.  
I have called you by name; you are mine.

For I am the Lord, your God (Echo)  
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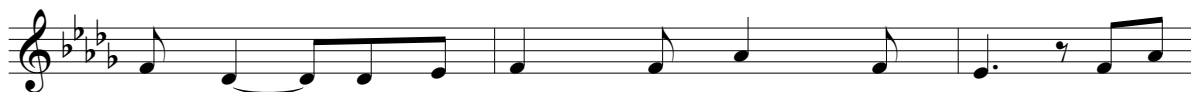
# Pearly Gates



1. Love di - vine so great and won - drous, \_\_\_ Deep and  
2. Like a dove when hunt - ed fright - ened, \_\_\_ As a  
3. Love di - vine so great and won - drous, \_\_\_ All my  
4. In life's ev - en - tide at twi - light, \_\_\_ At His



migh - ty, pure sub - lime; Com - ing from the heart of  
wound - ed fawn was I; Bro - ken heart - ed yet He  
sins he then for - gave! I will sing His praise for -  
door I'll knock and wait; By the pre - cious love of



Je - sus \_\_\_ Just the same through tests of time. He the  
healed me, \_\_\_ He will heed the sin - ners cry.  
ev - er, \_\_\_ For His blood, His pow'r to save.  
Je - sus, \_\_\_ I shall en - ter hea - ven's gate.



pear - ly gates will o - pen, \_\_\_ So that I may en - ter in; For He



pur - chased my re - demp - tion \_\_\_ And for - gave me all my sin.

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# Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery



1. Come be-hold the won-drous mys-t'ry, in the dawn-ing of the King.
2. Come be-hold the won-drous mys-t'ry, He the per - fect Son of Man.
3. Come be-hold the won-drous mys-t'ry, Christ the Lord up - on the tree.
4. Come be-hold the won-drous mys-t'ry, slain by death, the God of life.



He the theme of heav-en's prais - es, robed in frail hu-man-i - ty.  
In His liv - ing, in His suf - f'ring, nev - er trace, nor stain of sin.  
In the stead of ru - ined sin - ners hangs the Lamb in vic - to - ry.  
But no grave could e'er re - strain Him Praise the Lord, He is a - live!

*\*Repeat here after 4th verse*



In our long - ing, in our dark - ness, now the  
See the true and bet - ter Ad - am, come to  
See the price of our re - demp - tion see the  
\* What a fore - taste of de - liv - 'rance, how un -



light of life has come. Look to Christ, who con - de -  
save the hell-bound man. Christ, the great and sure ful -  
Fa - ther's plan un - fold. Bring - ing man - y sons to  
wa - ver - ing our hope. Christ in pow - er res - ur -



scend - ed, took on flesh to ran - som us.  
fill - ment of the law, in Him we stand.  
Glo - ry; grace un - meas - ured, love un - told.  
rect - ed, as we will be when He comes.

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CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP • OCTOBER 28, 2018

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JOIN US NEXT LORD'S DAY EVENING, OCTOBER 28

## Joint PCA Reformation Service

6:00 p.m.

Eastwood Presbyterian Church  
1701 East Trinity Boulevard  
Montgomery, AL 36106



*Everyone is encouraged to join us for  
this special service of worship.*



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