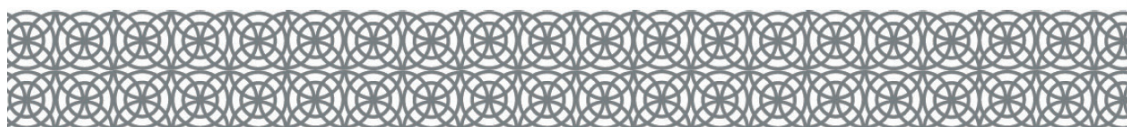


SUNDAY EVENING

Vespers



CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 10, 2024 AT 6:00 P.M.

Lord's Day Vespers

EVENING WORSHIP AT 6:00 P.M.



Call to Preparation

Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Assistant Minister*

Prelude

*This is My Father's World
In Christ Alone*

Hudson Speece, *piano*

† Call to Worship

1 Peter 1:3

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!

**According to His great mercy, He has caused us to be born again
to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,**

To an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading,
kept in Heaven for you,

**who by God's power are being guarded through faith
for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.**

† Hymn 105

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

VINE RIDGE

Evening Prayer

Almighty God, we give You thanks for surrounding us, as daylight fades,
with the brightness of vesper light;
and we implore You in Your great mercy that,
as You enfold us with the radiance of Your light,
so You would shine into our hearts the brightness of Your Holy Spirit;
through Jesus Christ our Lord dispel the darkness of our hearts,
that by Your brightness we may know You to be the true God and Eternal Light,
living and reigning forever and ever. Amen.

Hymn Sing

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| Hymn 99 | <i>O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i> (vv. 1, 2, 6) | AZMON |
| Hymn 577 | <i>In Christ Alone</i> (vv. 1, 3, 4) | IN CHRIST ALONE |
| Hymn 127 | <i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i> (vv. 1, 4, 5) | VENI EMMANUEL |
| Hymn 442 | <i>O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus</i> (vv. 1, 3) | EBENEZER |

Anthem

Total Praise

Richard Smallwood, arr. Raney

The Montgomery Christian Youth Choir
Mark Nabholz, *director*; Meg Griffin, *pianist*
Nyah Sellers, *sign language interpreter*

Lord, I will lift my eyes to the hills,
knowing my help is coming from You.
Your peace You give me in time of the storm.
You are the source of my strength, You are the strength of my life.
I lift my hands in total praise to You.
Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty.
Early in the morning my song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty,
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.
You are the source of my strength, You are the strength of my life.
I lift my hands in total praise to You. Amen.

1st through 5th grade children are dismissed to attend their classes.

Scripture Reading

Amos 5:1-17

pew Bible, page 974

Homily

THE LION OF JUDAH STILL ROARS
VI. God's Solemn Plan: "Seek Me and Live!"

Rev. Bill Clark

Closing Prayer

† Benediction

† Benediction Response

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

VENI EMMANUEL

Rejoice! Rejoice!
Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.

Postlude

Jesus Loves Me
Kim Steen, *flute*

arr. Thomas Quigley

STRUCTURE OF AMOS 5:1-17, AND SERMON OUTLINE

LAMENT: the nation's funeral (vv. 2-3)

APPEAL: seek the Lord and live (vv. 4-6)

ACID TEST: evidence of a people *not* seeking the Lord (vv. 7-13)

APPEAL: seek good and live (vv. 14-15)

LAMENT: the nation's funeral (vv. 16-17)



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