



SUNDAY EVENING
Vespers



CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 17, 2024 AT 6:00 P.M.

Lord's Day Vespers

EVENING WORSHIP AT 6:00 P.M.

EVENING VESPER MEDITATION

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.



Call to Preparation

Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

Prelude

Only Trust Him
Chip Lasseter, *guitar*
Robert McGowin, *bass*

ONLY TRUST HIM

† Call to Worship

Matthew 11:28-29

Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
Take My yoke upon you, and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart,
and you will find rest for your souls.

† Hymn 225

The Power of the Cross

OH, TO SEE THE DAWN

Give ear to my prayer, O God,
and hide not Yourself from my plea for mercy!
 Attend to me, and answer me;
I am restless in my complaint and I moan,
 because of the noise of the enemy,
because of the oppression of the wicked.
 For they drop trouble upon me,
and in anger they bear a grudge against me.
 But I call to God,
and the Lord will save me.
 Evening and morning and at noon I utter my complaint and moan,
and He hears my voice.
 He redeems my soul in safety from the battle that I wage,
for many are arrayed against me.
 Cast your burden on the Lord, and He will sustain you;
He will never permit the righteous to be moved.

Evening Prayer

Almighty God, You see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves—
 keep us both outwardly in our bodies, and inwardly in our souls; that we may
 be defended from all adversities that may happen to the body, and from all evil
 thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul, through Jesus Christ, who lives
 and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, world without end. Amen.

Prayer Response



Lead me, Lord, lead me in Thy righteousness,
 make Thy way plain before my face.
 For it is Thou, Lord, Thou, Lord on - ly,
 that makest me dwell in safe - ty.

Hymns

† 204	<i>Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy</i> (vv. 1, 3, 4)	RESTORATION
† 120	<i>My Song Is Love Unknown</i> (vv. 1, 2, 3, 5)	LOVE UNKNOWN

*At the last stanza of “My Song Is Love Unknown”
1st through 5th grade children are dismissed to attend their classes.*

Scripture Reading

Amos 5:18-27
pew Bible, page 975

Homily

THE LION OF JUDAH STILL ROARS
VII. Someday

Rev. Kurt Cooper

Closing Prayer

† Hymn 84	<i>He Will Hold Me Fast</i>	HE WILL HOLD ME FAST
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† Benediction

† Benediction Response	<i>He Will Hold Me Fast</i>	HE WILL HOLD ME FAST
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**He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;
for my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast.**

Postlude

Variations on RESTORATION



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