



THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

APRIL 29, 2018

THE LORD'S DAY • APRIL 29, 2018 • 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

The best corrective against pride ... is to know God, His character and the truth about Him.

MARTIN LLOYD-JONES

The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude My Faith Has Found a Resting Place arr. Brent Stutzman

The Striking of the Hour

† The Ascription of Praise *All Creatures of Our God and King* LASST UNS ERFREUEN

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice with us and sing alleluia, alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam, thou silver moon with softer gleam,
O praise Him, O praise Him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

† The Call to Worship Isaiah 55:1; Psalm 16:11 Mr. Howell

Minister: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no
money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money
and without price.

People: **You make known to me the path of life; in Your presence there is
fullness of joy; at Your right hand are pleasures forevermore.**

† The Hymn No. 164 *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* AZMON

† Congregation, please stand as able

✠ The Confession of Our Faith The Apostles' Creed
(Inside front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

✠ The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

✠ The Lord's Prayer (Inside front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

✠ The Doxology OLD HUNDRETH

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Morning Prayers

The Call to Prayer Philippians 1:6

And I am sure of this, that He who began a good work in you will bring it to
completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

The Silent, Personal Prayer of Confession Galatians 6:14

*But may it never be that I would boast, except in the cross of our Lord Jesus
Christ.*

The Assurance of Pardon I Corinthians 1:8-9

God will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.
God is faithful, by Whom you were called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus
Christ our Lord.

Now unto Him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, to the only wise God our Savior, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and forevermore. Amen.

He who calls you is faithful; He will surely do it.

The General Prayer

✠ The Hymn No. 111 *This is My Father's World*

TERRA BEATA

The Morning Offering

The Christian Greeting

The Anthem

I Need Thee Ev'ry Hour
Chancel Choir

arr. Gilbert Martin

I need Thee ev'ry hour, most gracious Lord;
No tender voice like Thine can peace afford.

*Refrain: I need Thee, O I need Thee, ev'ry hour I need Thee;
O bless me now, my Savior, I come to Thee!*

I need Thee ev'ry hour, stay Thou nearby;
temptations lose their pow'r when Thou art nigh. *Refrain*

I need Thee ev'ry hour, most Holy One;
O make me Thine indeed, Thou blessed Son. *Refrain*

Amen.

† The Reading of God's Word Romans 11:11-24 Page 1204 in the Pew Bible

† The Response

Minister: All men are like grass, and all their glory is the like the flowers of the field.

People: The grass withers and the flowers fade, but the Word of our God shall stand forever. Amen.

The Personal Meditation and Personal Preparation of the Heart

*Children aged four through kindergarten may leave to attend Children's Church.
Please pick up your children from the Children's Chapel in the Covenant Building (E-100).*

The Sermon **THE PURPOSES OF GOD OFFER HOPE** Mr. McRoberts
The Severity and Kindness of God
Exposition of Romans, XLIV
Romans 11:11-24

A detailed sermon outline can be found inside the morning announcements.

The Closing Prayer

† The Hymn No. 468 *My Faith Has Found a Resting Place* LANDAS

† The Benediction of God's Grace and the Congregation's AMEN

Minister: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, descend and rest in your hearts until the day breaks and all these shadows flee away.

People: AMEN.

† The Quiet Reflection, Meditation, and Personal Application

† The Postlude Prelude in G Major, BWV 541 J. S. Bach

LORD'S DAY VESPERS

WITH MUSIC LED BY THE TRINITY CHILDREN'S CHOIRS

PRELIMINARY PREPARATION • 5:45 P.M.

In the Sanctuary—INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

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

The Prelude Jesus Loves Me, This I Know arr. Lloyd Larson
Jana Turner, *piano*

The Choral Introit *Come, Let Us Sing to the Lord*
Text: from Psalm 95 and 96 Music: Jody Lindh
Seraphim Choir

*Refrain: Come, Let us sing to the Lord. Make a joyful noise to the God of our salvation.
Come, let us sing to the Lord. Make a joyful noise with songs of praise!*

Sing to the Lord a new song! Sing to the Lord everyone! Sing to the Lord, bless the
name! Tell what God has done! *Refrain*

Sing to the Lord, lift up your voice! Praises all around! Sing to the Lord with all your
heart! Make a joyful sound! *Refrain*

The Call to Worship Mr. McRoberts

† The Hymn No. 21 *Sing Praise to the Lord* LAUDATE DOMINUM
(stanzas 1-2 and 4)

† The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Songs about Jesus from the Cherub Choir

Nothing but the Blood of Jesus

Text and Music: Robert Lowry

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus! What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus!

Refrain: Oh! Precious is the flow that makes me white as snow; no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

For my pardon this I see, nothing but the blood of Jesus! For my cleansing, this my plea, nothing but the blood of Jesus! *Refrain*

Jesus Loves Even Me

Text and Music: P. P. Bliss

Refrain: I am so glad that Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me! I am so glad that Jesus loves me, Jesus loves even me!

I am so glad that my Father in heaven tells of His love in the Book He has giv'n;
Wonderful things in the Bible I see, this is the dearest --- that Jesus loves me.

Jesus' Hands Were Kind Hands

Text: Margaret Cropper

Music: arr. Sue Ellen Page

Jesus' hand were kind hands, doing good for all. Healing pain and sickness, blessing children small. Washing tired feet and saving those who fall, Jesus' hands were kind hands, doing good to all.

Take my hands, Lord Jesus, let them work for you. Make them strong and gentle, kind in all I do. Let me watch you, Jesus, 'til I'm gentle, too, 'til my hands are kind hands, quick to work for you.

Interlude

Children aged four through Kindergarten are dismissed to the nursery for a light supper.

Hymns of Praise from the Seraphim and Trinity Boys and Girls Choirs

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Text: Mrs. C. F. Alexander

Music: John Rutter

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all. Each little flow'r that opens, each little bird that sings, He made their glowing colors, He made their tiny wings. All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.

The purple-headed mountain, the river running by, the sunset and the morning, that brightens up the sky: the cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun, the ripe fruits in the garden, He made them every one;

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all. He gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell how great is God Almighty, Who has made all things well. All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Text: Isaac Watts

Music: FOREST GREEN; arr. Michael Bedford

I sing the mighty pow'r of God that made the mountains rise, that spread the flowing seas abroad and built the lofty skies. I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day; the moon shines full at God's command, and all the stars obey.

I sing the goodness of the Lord Who filled the earth with food, Who formed the creatures through the Word, and then pronounced them good. Lord, how Thy wonders are displayed, where'er I turn my eye, if I survey the ground I tread or gaze upon the sky.

There's not a plant or flower below, but makes Thy glories known, and clouds arise and tempests blow, by order from Thy throne; while all that borrows life from Thee is ever in Thy care; and ev'rywhere that I could be, Thou, God, art present there.

This is the Day

Text: Psalm 118:24 and Robert Lau

Music: Robert Lau

Seraphim Choir

This is the day which the Lord has made; Rejoice all believers and be very glad. This is the day which the Lord has made; Rejoice all believers, Alleluia!

Alleluia! We raise our song to praise God's name. Alleluia! God loves us all the same, Alleluia! This is the day which the Lord has made; Rejoice all believers and be very glad!

The Lord's My Shepherd

Text: Psalm 23

Music: BROTHER JAMES' AIR arr. Malcolm Archer

Trinity Boys and Girls Choirs

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want, He makes me down to lie. In pastures green; He leadeth me the quiet waters by. My soul He doth restore again, and me to walk doth make within the paths of righteousness, e'en for His own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through death's dark vale yet will I fear no ill; For Thou art with me, and Thy rod, and staff me comfort still; My table Thou hast furnished in presence of my foes; My head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows. Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me; and in God's house for evermore my dwelling place shall be.

Scripture Reading

Romans 10:13-15; Ephesians 2:8-10
Pages 1203 and 1242 in the Pew Bible

Homily

SINCE YOU ASKED:
"If God Elects, Why Evangelize?"

Mr. Cooper

Choral Response

Praise Him

Text: Doxology (Thomas Ken, 1709); Psalms 150 and 145

Music: Craig Courtney

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him for His mighty acts. Praise Him in the
firmament of His power. Praise Him according to His excellent greatness.

I will extol the Lord, my God, and I will bless His name forever. Great is the Lord, and
greatly to be praised. The Lord is righteous and holy. The Lord is gracious and kind;
full of compassion, slow to anger; His tender mercies are over all His works; the Lord
is good to all.

Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him for His mighty acts. Praise Him in the
firmament of His power. Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord!

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Benediction of God's Grace



CHOIR LEADERS

CHERUB CHOIR

Susan Carothers and Alyssa Johnson

SERAPHIM CHOIR

Elizabeth Arnold, Leah Funderburk, and Rosemary Hudson

TRINITY BOYS AND GIRLS CHOIRS

Todd Alexander and Jana Turner



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