

The Lord's Day in Worship

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

FEBRUARY 17, 2019

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*I received some years ago orders from my Master to stand at the foot of the cross until He comes.
He has not come yet, but I mean to stand there until He does.*

— C.H. SPURGEON, "THE OLD, OLD STORY," IN *THE SPURGEON ARCHIVE* (1862).



The Welcome and Announcements

We Enter Into God's Presence

The Prelude

Our Savior, Our Shepherd: A Meditation

Arr. Gayden Sikes

The Striking of the Hour

The Call to Worship

Mr. Curles

Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father but by Me. I am the Resurrection and the Life! He who believes in Me, though He die, yet shall He live, and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die." This Son of God has loved you and given Himself for you. He is the First and the Last; the Alpha and the Omega; the Beginning and the End of all things. Let us worship!

† The Hymn No. 181

We Come, O Christ, to You

DARWALL

† The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

† The Lord's Prayer

(Inside front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

We Receive Cleansing in Christ

The Morning Prayers

The Call to Confession – Matthew 16:24–26

Then Jesus told His disciples, “If anyone would come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will find it. For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul? Or what shall a man give in return for his soul?

The Silent, Personal Prayer of Confession

The Assurance of God’s Pardon – Psalm 103:8, 13-14, 17-18

Child of God, grace, mercy and peace be yours in abundance. He came that you might have life, and have it abundantly. Believe the gospel, and live in peace.

The Chorus

Jesus, let us come to know You. Let us see You face to face.
Touch us. Hold us. Use us. Mold us. Only let us live in You.

Jesus, draw us ever nearer. Hold us in Your loving arms.
Wrap us in Your gentle presence; when the end comes bring us home.

The Morning Offering

The Christian Greeting

The Anthem *All Who Dwell in the Shadow of the Lord* Z. Randall Stroope
Chancel Choir

At the first light of day, Lauda, laudé!
When the sun reaches noon, Lauda, laudé!
And then at sunset, Lauda, laudé! Or at the midnight Lauda, laudé!

*Refrain: All who dwell in the shadow of the Lord, find a refuge and fortress;
Nation, village or faith of a small child, home they find in Him.*

May we sing, sing for joy, Lauda, laudé! May our days all be glad, Lauda, laudé!
May we have wisdom, Lauda, laudé! May we have truth, Lauda, laudé! *Refrain*

Plagues and serpents of the dark, pestilence that stalks the night,
They who harm, who destroy, those who spread fear and terror,

But those who make the Lord most high their refuge and their dwelling,
No fear, no harm, no foe will come near your tent,
No shame, no death, no evil consume or destroy. Lauda, laudé! *Refrain*

We Receive God's Word

*The preachers' commission is to declare the whole counsel of God;
but the cross is the centre of that counsel, and the Puritans knew that the traveller through the Bible
landscape misses his way as soon as he loses sight of the hill called Calvary.*

— J.I. PACKER, *A QUEST FOR GODLINESS*, P. 286

The Prayer of Illumination

† The Reading of God's Word

Acts 20:22-27
Page 1182 in the Pew Bible

The Personal Preparation and Meditation of the Heart

*Children age four through kindergarten may leave to attend Children's Church.
Following the 8:30 worship service, your children will be taken to their Sunday school classes.
Following the 11:00 service, please pick up your children from the Children's Chapel (E-100).*

The Sermon

GRACE DEMANDS "JESUS FIRST"

Mr. McRoberts

Calling Before Life

Acts 20:22-27



Sermon Notes

The Receiving of New Members

† The Introductions (8:30)

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Eagerton (Margaret)

Webb and Wilson Eagerton

Mr. Will Fuller

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Grussendorf (Lisa)

Joshua, Chelsea, Luke, Jack, and Calvin Grussendorf

† The Introductions (11:00)

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kajdos (Grace)

Jackson, Violet, and Garrett Kajdos

† The Confession of Our Faith

The Apostles' Creed

(Inside the front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

The Vows for Membership

1. Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy?
2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?
3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

The Sacrament of Baptism (11:00)

The Words of Instruction and Exhortation

The Covenant Vows

Vows of the Parents

1. Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God's covenant promises in his behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do your own?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before him a godly example, that you will pray with and for him, that you will teach him the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring him up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

Vow of the Congregation

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of their child?

The Words of Institution

For to you is the promise, and to your child, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call unto Him. And I will establish my covenant between Me and you and your seed after you throughout their generations for an everlasting covenant, to be a God unto you and to your seed after you. Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you shall be saved, you and your household (Acts 2:39; Genesis 17:7; Acts 16:31). All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age (Matthew 28:18-20).

The Baptism

GARRETT PAUL KAJDOS

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kajdos (Grace)

Assisting: Ruling Elder/Shepherd Jim Byram

Assisting: Ruling Elder Brad Steffler, *grandfather*

The Covenant Prayer

† The Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

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.

We Go in Thanksgiving to Serve

† The Sending

Go in peace, in the knowledge of God's power. Go in confidence, in the knowledge of God's strength. Go in joy, in the knowledge of God's love.

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

Minister: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

People: AMEN!

† The Quiet Meditation and Personal Application

Following the 11:00 service, the congregation is encouraged to greet the covenant family at the front of the church. Join them in their excitement, thanksgiving, and anticipation of God's faithfulness to His covenant promises. Please use this time to assure these parents that you will indeed be there for them in prayer, with encouragement, as a source of refuge and partnership, as well as an aid in instructing their child in the fear and admonition of the Lord.

† The Postlude

Postlude on DARWALL

Arr. Joyce Jones

LORD'S DAY VESPERS

Scripture Calls Us to Worship

Mr. McRoberts

Gathering Hymn No. 94

How Firm a Foundation (stanzas 1, 3, 4, 6)

FOUNDATION

Opening Prayer

Hymn Medley

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus
Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor
Be Unto Your Name

(see page 10)

(see page 11)

(see page 12)

The Responsive Reading

Psalms 126

Page 832 in the *Trinity Hymnal*

Testimony of God's Grace

Mary Ethel Gross, *Barnabas Sunday School Class*

Evening Prayer

Dick Garrett, *Elder*

Evening Scripture Lesson

John 2:1-11

Page 1129 in the *Pew Bible*

Interlude: Meditation, Reflection, and Preparation for the Word

Children are dismissed to attend their classes.

Homily

THE GLORY OF JESUS
"Lord of the Wine"

Mr. Curles

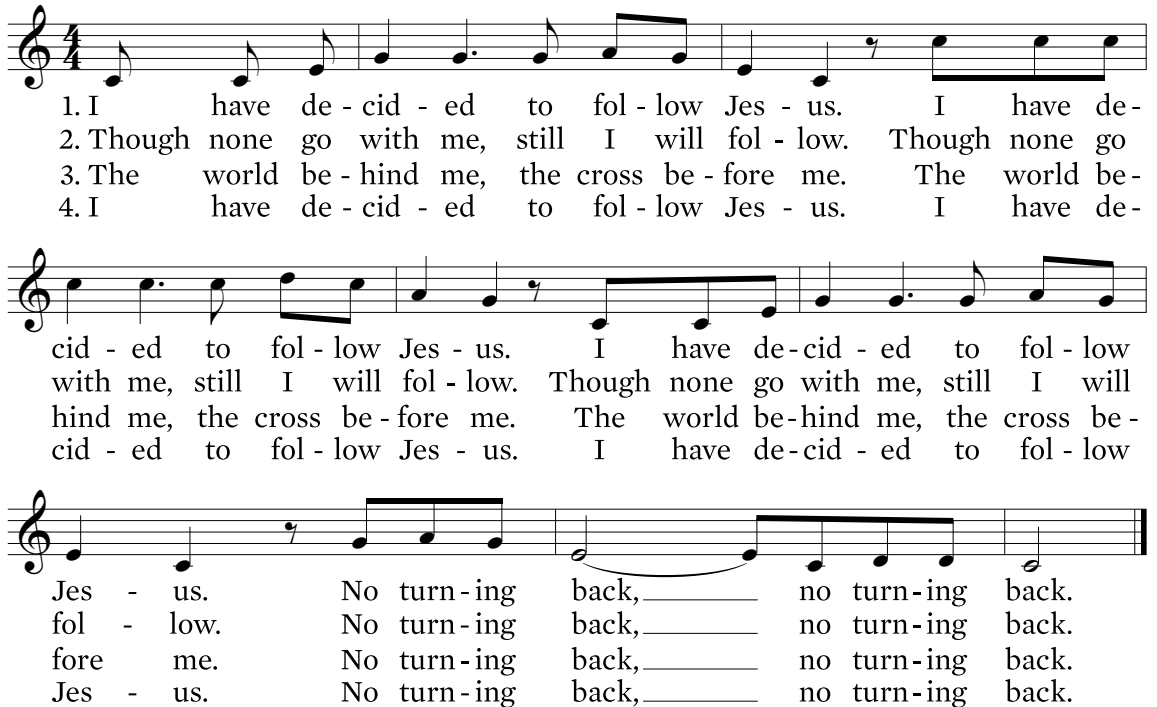
Closing Prayer

The Benediction of God's Grace

Closing Chorus (Lyrics and music by Andrew Brunson, composed from a Turkish prison, 2017.)

You are worthy, worthy of my all. You are worthy, worthy of my all.
What can I give to the Son of God, who gave Himself for me?
Here I am; You are worthy of my all. (repeat)

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus



1. I have de - cid - ed to fol - low Jes - us. I have de -
2. Though none go with me, still I will fol - low. Though none go
3. The world be - hind me, the cross be - fore me. The world be -
4. I have de - cid - ed to fol - low Jes - us. I have de -

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cid - ed to fol - low Jes - us. I have de - cid - ed to fol - low

Jes - us. No turn - ing back, _____ no turn - ing back.
fol - low. No turn - ing back, _____ no turn - ing back.
fore me. No turn - ing back, _____ no turn - ing back.
Jes - us. No turn - ing back, _____ no turn - ing back.

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Anonymous text author, traditional Indian folk tune

Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor



1. Christ the sure and stead - y an - chor in the
 2. Christ the sure and stead - y an - chor while the
 3. Christ the sure and stead - y an - chor through the
 4. Christ the sure and stead - y an - chor as we

fu - ry of the storm, when the winds of doubt blow
 temp - est rag - es on, when temp - ta - tion claims the
 floods of un - be - lief, hope - less, some - how, O my
 face the wave of death, when these trials give way to

through me and my sails have all been torn.
 bat - tle and it seems the night has won.
 soul, now lift your eyes to Cal - va - ry.
 glo - ry, as we draw our fi - nal breath.

In the suf - fer - ing, in the sor - row, when my
 Deep - er still, then goes the an - chor, though I
 This my bal - last of as - sur - ance see His
 We will cross that great hor - i - zon, clouds be -
 * Christ the shore of our sal - va - tion, ev - er

sink - ing hopes are few, I will hold fast to the
 just - ly stand ac - cused. I will hold fast to the
 love for - ev - er proved. I will hold fast to the
 hind, and life se - cured. And the calm will be the
 faith - ful, ev - er true. We will hold fast to the

an - chor; it shall nev - er be re - moved.
 an - chor; it shall nev - er be re - moved.
 an - chor; it shall nev - er be re - moved.
 bet - ter, for the storms that we en - dured. (to *)
 an - chor; it shall nev - er be re - moved.

Be Unto Your Name



1. We are a mo - ment, You are for - ev - er, Lord of the a -
2. We are the bro - ken, You are the heal - er, Je - sus Re-deem-



ges, God be-fore time. We are a va - por,
er, might-y to save. You are the love - song



You are e - ter - nal, Love ev - er - last - ing, reign-ing on
we'll sing for-ev - er, bow - ing be-fore you, bless-ing your



high. Ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God Al-might - y,
name.



wor - thy is the Lamb who was slain. High - est



prais - es, hon - or and glo - ry be un - to Your



name, be un - to Your name.

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