

The Lord's Day in Worship

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA
SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?
My help comes from the Lord, Who made heaven and earth.
He will not let your foot be moved; He who keeps you will not slumber.
Behold, He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.
The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand.
The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.
The Lord will keep you from all evil; He will keep your life.
The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.

— PSALM 121



The Welcome and Announcements



The Prelude Benedictus Max Reger

The Striking of the Hour

† The Ascription of Praise 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. Minister: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with

gladness! Come into His presence with singing!

People: Know that the LORD, He is God! It is He Who made us, and we are His;

we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.

Minister: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks

to Him; bless His name!

People: For the LORD is good; His steadfast love endures forever, and His

faithfulness to all generations.

† The Hymn No. 30

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past (stanzas 1-4, 7)

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† 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)

Our Father Which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

We Receive Cleansing in Christ

The Morning Prayers

The Call to Confession

O LORD, You have searched me and known me! You know when I sit down and when I rise up; You discern my thoughts from afar [Psalm 139:1-2].

The Silent, Personal Prayer of Confession

The Assurance of God's Pardon

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord [Romans 6:23].

And the angel said to those who were standing before him, "Remove the filthy garments from him." And to him he said, "Behold, I have taken your iniquity away from you, and I will clothe you with pure vestments" [Zechariah 3:4].

The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one Who will save; He will rejoice over you with gladness; He will quiet you by His love; He will exult over you with loud singing [Zephaniah 3:17].

The Pastoral Prayer

† The Hymn No. 642

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE

(stanzas 1, 3, 5)

The Christian Greeting

The Offertory Anthem

He Never Failed Me Yet

We Receive God's Word

Robert Ray

Combined Chancel and Youth Choirs; Merritt Lee, soloist

I will sing of God's mercy, every day, every hour, He gives me power.

I will sing and give thanks to Thee

for all the dangers, toils and snares that He has brought me out.

He is my God and I'll serve Him, no matter what the test.

Trust and never doubt, Jesus will surely bring you out, He never failed me yet.

I know God is able to deliver in time of storm.

I know that He'll keep you safe from all earthly harm.

One day when my weary soul is at rest, I'm going home to be forever bless'd.

Trust and never doubt, Jesus will surely bring you out, He never failed me yet.

Didn't God deliver Moses from King Pharaoh?

And didn't He cool the furnace for Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego?

When I think of what my God can do, He delivered Daniel, I know He will deliver you.

Trust and never doubt, Jesus will surely bring you out, He never failed me yet.

The Reading of God's Word

II Samuel 13

Page 336 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

LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON

Mr. McRoberts

Problems Continue in David's Palace
The Life of David, XX
II Samuel 13

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

The Prayer of Application

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† The Hymn

He Will Hold Me Fast

(see page 7)

Andria Alexander; *soloist*; Mary Clare, *violin* (The congregation is invited to stand and sing on the last stanza)

† The Sending

All who are poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore, weary and heavy-laden, bruised and broken by the fall, go forth into this broken world filled with hope found in your Healer, Restorer, Redeemer and Friend; Who is gentle and lowly, and you will find rest for your souls.

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

Minister: And may grace, mercy and peace be yours.

People: AMEN!

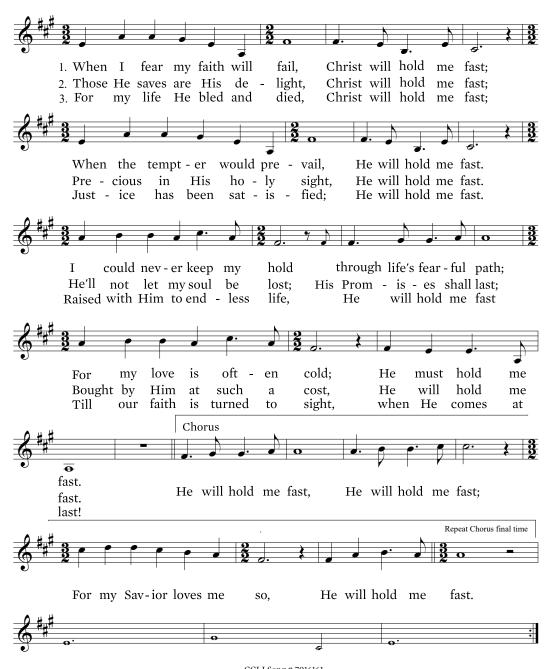
† The Quiet Meditation and Personal Application of God's Word

† The Postlude O God, Our Help in Ages Past David Cherwien



THE SANCTUARY FLOWERS THIS LORD'S DAY ARE GIVEN
TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN HONOR OF THE MARRIAGE OF
Catherine Gayle Thrash and William Pearson Fuller III

He Will Hold Me Fast



CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

SEPTEMBER 15, 2019 • PRELIMINARY PREPARATION • 5:45 P.M.

In the Sanctuary—Instrumental prelude

In the Westminster Room—Prayer for the service with the ministers



6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary

HOMILY

WALKING WITH GIANTS:

CONSIDER THEIR LIFE ... IMITATE THEIR FAITH
Athanasius: North African "Father of Orthodoxy"
Selected Scriptures
Mr. Howell

TESTIMONY OF GOD'S GRACE

Ben Schoettker

All Are Encouraged to Bookend the Lord's Day in Worship.



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