

MORE CHRISTIANS WERE MARTYRED FOR THEIR FAITH IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY THAN IN ALL PREVIOUS CENTURIES COMBINED. ONE OF THESE WAS A YOUNG PASTOR IN ZIMBABWE. A NOTE WAS FOUND ON HIS BODY. IT READ:

"I'm part of the fellowship of the unashamed. I have the Holy Spirit's power. The die has been cast. I have stepped over the line. The decision has been made – I'm a disciple of His. I won't look back, let up, slow down, back away or be still. My past is redeemed, my present makes sense, my future is secure. I'm finished and done with low living, sight walking, smooth knees, colorless dreams, tamed vision, worldly talking, cheap giving, and dwarfed goals.

I no longer need preeminence, prosperity, position, promotions, plaudits, or popularity. I don't have to be right, first, tops, recognized, praised, regarded, or rewarded. I now live by faith, lean into His presence, walk by patience, am uplifted by prayer, and labor with power. My face is set, my gait is fast, my goal is heaven, my road is narrow, my way rough, my companions few, my Guide reliable, my mission clear."

The Lord's Day in Worship

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

MARCH 1, 2020

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*There is not a square inch in the whole domain of our human existence over which Christ,
Who is sovereign over all, does not cry, "Mine!"*

— ABRAHAM KUYPER



The Welcome and Announcements

We Enter Into God's Presence

The Prelude

Prélude modal

Jean Langlais

The Striking of the Hour

The Call to Worship

Psalm 103:1-5

Mr. Howell

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name! Bless the Lord,
O my soul, and forget not all His benefits, Who forgives all your iniquity, Who heals all
your diseases, Who redeems your life from the pit, Who crowns you with steadfast love
and mercy, Who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

† The Hymn No. 529

Loves Divine, All Loves Excelling

BEECHER

† The Confession of Our Faith

The Apostles' Creed
(Inside the front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

† 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

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. Isaiah 53:6

The Silent, Personal Prayer of Confession

The Corporate Prayer of Confession

Be mindful of Your mercy, O LORD, and of Your steadfast love, for they have been from of old. Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to Your steadfast love remember me, for Your goodness' sake, O LORD! Good and upright is the LORD; therefore He instructs sinners in the way. For Your name's sake, O LORD, pardon my guilt, for it is great. Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted. Relieve the troubles of my heart, and bring me out of my distress. Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins. Psalm 25:6-8, 11, 16-18

The Assurance of God's Pardon

The LORD is faithful in all His words, and gracious in all His deeds. The LORD upholds all who are falling, and raises up all who are bowed down. Psalm 145:13-14

The Pastoral Prayer

A Beloved Hymn of the Trinity Family #39

No. 674

I Need Thee Every Hour
(stanzas 1, 3, and 4)

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The Christian Greeting

We Receive God's Word

The Offertory Anthem

Ain'a That Good News!
Chancel Choir

William Dawson

I got a crown up in-a the Kingdom, Ain'a that good news!
I'm a-goin' to lay down this worl', goin'-a shoulder up-uh my cross,
Gonna take it home-a to my Jesus, Ain'a that good news, good news!
I got a harp up in-a the Kingdom, Ain'a that good news!
I'm a-goin' to lay down this worl', goin'-a shoulder up-uh my cross,
Gonna take it home-a to my Jesus, Ain'a that good news, good news!
I got a robe up in-a the Kingdom, Ain'a that good news!
I'm a-goin' to lay down this worl', goin'-a shoulder up-uh my cross,
Gonna take it home-a to my Jesus, Ain'a that good news, good news!
Good news, good news, my Lord! A-ain'a that good news!

† The Reading of God's Word

Psalm 8

Page 571 in the Pew Bible

† The Humble Response

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

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

We Go in Thanksgiving to Serve

† The Hymn

How Great Our God's Majestic Name

DUKE STREET

How great our God's majestic Name! His glory fills the earth and sky.
His praise the heavenly host proclaim, eternal God and Lord most high.

His fingers set the moon in place, the stars their Maker's hand declare;
in earth and sky alike we trace the pattern of His constant care.

And what of us? Creation's crown, upheld in God's eternal mind;
on whom He looks in mercy down for tender love of humankind.

His praise the heavenly host proclaim and we His children tell His worth:
how great is God's majestic Name, His glory seen in all the earth!

† 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 Silent Contemplation of the Majesty and Grace of God – Habakkuk 2:20

But the LORD is in His holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before Him.

† The Postlude

Fantasia in G Minor

J. S. Bach

CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

MARCH 1, 2020 • IN THE SANCTUARY • 6:00 P.M.

In the Westminster Room—PRAYER FOR THE SERVICE WITH THE MINISTERS • 5:45 P.M.



6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

HOMILY

HEROIC FAITH

Joseph

Hebrews 11:22

Mr. Curles

Year of Jubilee

SOME CURRENT REMINDERS ON MARCH 1

1. MARCH - THE MONTH OF PROVERBS!! ONE CHAPTER A DAY?
2. ATTEND THE PRAYER WALK ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, FROM 6:30-7:30 AM OR 4:00-5:00 PM. MEET UNDER THE PORTE-COCHÈRE OR IN THE LOBBY.
3. BRING IN YOUR FIRSTFRUITS OF 2020 INTO *THE STOREHOUSE* (THE CHURCH).
4. OFFER SACRIFICES OF THANKSGIVING TO GOD OUR FATHER FOR HIS OUTPOURING OF HIS SPIRIT DURING MISSIONS MONTH. PRAISE HIM FOR ANSWERED PRAYER FOR "YEAR OF JUBILEE" TO "RE-IGNITE A BURNING DESIRE TO REACH THE WORLD FOR CHRIST."
5. WHO WILL YOU INVITE TO TRINITY DURING THIS MONTH LEADING TO HOLY WEEK?



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