

THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

JUNE 25, 2023

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

- Q. What is the first petition [of the Lord's Prayer]?
- A. Hallowed be Thy Name. That is: Grant us first of all that we may rightly know Thee, and sanctify, glorify, and praise Thee in all Thy works, in which shine forth Thy almighty power, wisdom, goodness, righteousness, mercy, and truth. Grant us also that we may so direct our whole life our thoughts, words, and actions that Thy name is not blasphemed because of us but always honoured and praised.

THE HEIDELBERG CATECHISM, QUESTION 122



APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation

9:55 a.m.

The Prelude

Musette

Ralph Vaughan Williams

May His name endure forever, His fame continue as long as the sun! May people be blessed in Him, all nations call Him blessed! Psalm 72:17

The Announcements

Rev. Bill Clark, Interim Minister

The Striking of the Hour

The Ascription of Praise (sung by all)

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

From all that dwell below the skies let the Creator's praise arise;
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let the Redeemer's name be sung through ev'ry land by ev'ry tongue; Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

- † Indicates the congregation standing
- Indicates seating for those detained

† The Call to Worship – Psalm 135:1-3 (congregation reads bold type)

Praise the LORD!

Praise the name of the LORD,

Give praise, O servants of the LORD, who stand in the house of the LORD,

In the courts of the house of our God!

Praise the LORD, for the LORD is good;

Sing to His name, for it is pleasant!

• † The Hymn No. 258

Join All the Glorious Names

DARWALL

- † The Prayer of Invocation
- † The Lord's Prayer

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.

• † The Doxology – No. 650 in *The Hymnal*

OLD HUNDREDTH

SEEKING GOD'S FACE

The Call to Confession - Psalm 32:5

I acknowledged my sin to You, and I did not cover my iniquity;

I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

The Silent Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of God's Pardon - Romans 8:34

Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

The Pastoral Prayer

• † The Hymn

I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord
(To the tune of O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing)

AZMON

Text: Isaac Watts

I'm not ashamed to own my Lord, or to defend His cause, maintain the honor of His Word, the glory of His cross.

Jesus, my God! I know His name, His name is all my trust; nor will He put my soul to shame, nor let my hope be lost.

Firm as His throne His promise stands, and He can well secure what I've committed to His hands 'til the decisive hour.

Then will He own my worthless name before His Father's face, and in the new Jerusalem appoint my soul a place.

The Offering

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Corinthians 9:7

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Anthem

How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds Mary Clare Johnson, violin ST. PETER, arr. Ken Berg

How sweet the name of Jesus sounds in the believer's ear! It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds, and drives away his fear.

Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend, my Prophet, Priest and King, My Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, accept the praise I bring.

Weak is the effort of my heart, and cold my warmest thought, But when I see Thee as Thou art, I'll praise Thee as I ought.

Till then I would Thy love proclaim with every fleeting breath;
And may the music of Thy name refresh my soul in death.
How sweet the name of Jesus!

The Prayer for Illumination

† The Reading of God's Word

Rev. Michael Howell, Assistant Minister

1 Chronicles 29:10-13 Revelation 4:8-11 pew Bible page 452 pew Bible page 1313

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

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

The Personal Meditation and Preparation of the Heart

Children age four through kindergarten may leave to attend Children's Church. They may be picked up in Room E-100 (Pre-K4) and Room E-105 (Kindergarten) after the service.

The Sermon THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Howell

III. The First Petition: Our Father in Heaven, Hallowed Be Your Name

An outline may be found on page six.

The Closing Prayer

THE RECEIVING OF NEW MEMBERS

The Introduction William Day

† The Confession of Our Faith – inside cover of *The Hymnal*

The Apostles' Creed

The Vows for Membership

- 1. Do you acknowledge yourself to be a sinner 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 a follower 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 yourself to the government and discipline of the church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

The Prayer of Thanksgiving and Commitment

FOLLOWING GOD'S SPIRIT

† The Hymn No. 259

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

CORONATION

- † The Benediction of God's Grace
- † The Threefold Amen No. 657 in *The Hymnal*

The Postlude

Chant de Joie (Song of Joy)

Jean Langlais

I will praise the name of God with a song; I will magnify Him with thanksgiving. Psalm 69:30



The Vanctuary Flowers

THE SANCTUARY FLOWERS THIS LORD'S DAY ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Dr. John Alexander Coleman, Jr.

Mrs. Carolyn Griffin Coleman

BY THE JOHN N. ALBRITTON III FAMILY.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

III. The First Petition: Our Father in Heaven, Hallowed Be Your Name Matthew 6:9

I.	Simple Structure
II.	A Family Affair
III.	A Community Prayer
IV.	No Drab Deity
V.	That the World May Know

all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome
in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

