



THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

NOVEMBER 10, 2024

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

A PRAYER FOR THOSE IN SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY

O God, whose Fatherly care reaches to the uttermost parts of the earth: We humbly beseech Thee graciously to behold and bless those whom we love, now absent from us, especially those of our families, friends, and neighbors who are away in the service of our country. Defend them in all dangers of soul and body; and grant that both they and we, drawing nearer to Thee, may be bound together by Thy love in the communion of Thy Holy Spirit, and in the fellowship of Thy saints; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

The Prelude *Elegy* John Ireland
Shaka Marko, *horn*

*Through Him then let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God,
that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge His name.*

Hebrews 13:15

The Announcements Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Senior Minister*

The Chiming of the Hour

† *Indicates the congregation standing*

• *Indicates seating for those detained*

The Choral Introit

Bless, O My Soul (from Psalm 103)

PARK STREET

Bless, O my soul! the living God; Call home thy thoughts that rove abroad;
Let all the powers within me join in work and worship so divine.

† The Call to Worship – Psalm 34:1-3 (*congregation reads bold type*)

I will bless the Lord at all times;

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the LORD;

let the humble hear and be glad.

Oh, magnify the LORD with me,

ALL: **and let us exalt His name together!**

•† The Hymn No. 44

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

† 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 Gloria Patri – No. 648 in *The Hymnal*

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SEEKING GOD'S FACE

The Call to Confession – Exodus 20

And God spoke all these words, saying, I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

You shall have no other gods before Me;

You shall not make for yourself an idol;

You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain;

Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy;

Honor your father and your mother;

You shall not murder;

You shall not commit adultery;

You shall not steal;

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor;

You shall not covet.

The Silent Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of Pardon – Ephesians 1:7-8a

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace, which He lavished upon us.

The Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Cooper

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

The Anthem

Fairest Lord Jesus

Derek Hakes

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nations, O Thou of God and man the Son,
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor, Thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands, robed in the blooming garb of spring:
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, Who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight, and all the twinkling starry host;
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels Heaven can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations! Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be Thine! Amen.

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Howell

† The Reading of God's Word – Ephesians 5:21-33

pew Bible, page 1245

*If you are visiting today and do not own a personal copy of the Scriptures,
please take one from the table in the narthex as our gift.*

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.**

Isaiah 40:6b, 8

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 after the service.*

The Sermon

THE ENDURING COMMUNITY
XVIII. Wives and Husbands

Rev. Howell

COMMUNING WITH THE LORD JESUS CHRIST AND HIS PEOPLE

† The Hymn No. 599 *Children of the Heavenly Father* TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA

The Invitation to and Fencing of the Table

Who should come to the Lord's table? Those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins, but who nevertheless trust that their sins are pardoned and that their remaining weakness is covered by the suffering and death of Christ, and who also desire more and more to strengthen their faith and to lead a better life, and who are members in good standing of an evangelical church. (from the Heidelberg Catechism)

† The Nicene Creed – inside cover of *The Hymnal*

† The Prayer of Humble Access

The Words of Institution

The Serving of the Meal *Horn Sonata, II. Melodie* Gina Gillie

*Please partake of the elements as you receive them,
just as we must each receive Christ for our own salvation by faith.*

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

FOLLOWING GOD'S SPIRIT

† The Doxology – No. 650 in *The Hymnal* OLD HUNDREDTH

† The Benediction of God's Grace

† The Threefold Amen – No. 657 in *The Hymnal*

The Postlude *Pasticcio* Jean Langlais

*All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD,
and all the families of the nations shall worship before You.
For kingship belongs to the LORD, and He rules over the nations. ~ Psalm 22:27-28*

THE ENDURING COMMUNITY

XVIII. Wives and Husbands

Ephesians 5:21-33

- I. The Spirit-filled Life is Marked by Mutual Submission: v. 21

- II. The Spirit-filled Life is Reflected in Marriage: vv. 22-33
 - A. It means wives submit to their husbands: vv. 22-24
 - 1. Directive: v. 22
 - 2. Reasons: vv. 23-24
 - B. It means husbands love their wives: vv. 25-33
 - 1. Directive: v. 25a
 - 2. Example: vv. 25b-27
 - 3. Application: vv. 28-29
 - 4. Analogy: vv. 30-32
 - 5. Summary: v. 33



The Sanctuary Flowers

**THE SANCTUARY FLOWERS THIS LORD'S DAY ARE GIVEN
TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN CELEBRATION OF THE LIFE OF**

Kathryn Elliot Patterson Williams

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BY MR. AND MRS. EDWARD M. PATTERSON

To 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.



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