



THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

OCTOBER 19, 2025

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*If I could hear Christ praying for me in the next room, I would not fear a million enemies.
Yet distance makes no difference. He is praying for me.*

ROBERT MURRAY M'CHEYNE (1813-1843)

SCOTTISH PREACHER, PASTOR, POET, AND MISSIONARY TO PALESTINE



APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation

Rev. Cameron Whitehurst

The Prelude

Andante Sostenuto, Op. 70/2

Charles-Marie Widor

The Announcements

Rev. Michael Howell

The Chiming of the Hour

The Choral Introit

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

HOLY MANNA

Brethren, we have met to worship and adore the Lord our God!
Will you pray with all your power while we try to preach the Word?
All is vain unless the Spirit of the Holy One comes down.
Brethren, pray and holy manna will be showered all around!

† Indicates the congregation standing

• Indicates seating for those detained

† The Call to Worship – based on 1 Peter 1:3, 2:9 (*congregation reads bold type*)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!

According to His great mercy,

He has caused us to be born again to a living hope

through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for His own possession,

that we may proclaim the excellencies of Him who called us

out of darkness into His marvelous light.

•† The Hymn No. 27

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

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† The Apostles' Creed – inside cover of *The Hymnal*

† 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 – James 4:8

Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

The Prayer of Confession – Based on Psalm 51:1-3, 9, 12

**Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your steadfast love;
according to Your abundant mercy blot out our transgressions.
Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin!
For we know our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us.
Hide Your face from our sins, and blot out all our iniquities.
Restore to us the joy of Your salvation,
and uphold us with a willing spirit. Amen.**

The Assurance of Pardon – 2 Corinthians 5:21

For our sake He made Him to be sin Who knew no sin, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God.

The Pastoral Prayer

•✠ The Hymn No. 305

O Word of God Incarnate

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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

The Lord Is My Shepherd

John Rutter

The Lord is my shepherd; therefore can I lack nothing.
He shall feed me in a green pasture,
and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
He shall convert my soul
and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for His Name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil; For Thou art with me: Thy rod and Thy staff comfort me.
Thou shalt prepare a table for me against them that trouble me:
Thou hast anointed my head with oil and my cup shall be full.
But Thy loving kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:
And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.
(based on Psalm 23)

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Whitehurst

† The Reading of God's Word – Mark 10:46-52

pew Bible, page 1077

*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

HOW GREAT THOU ART
XXXIII. I Can See Clearly Now

Rev. Whitehurst

The Closing Prayer

FOLLOWING GOD’S SPIRIT

† The Hymn No. 33 *When All Your Mercies, O My God* ST. PETER

† The Benediction of God’s Grace

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

The Postlude *Sortie*, Op. 62/3 Marcel Dupré

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

Rev. Cameron Whitehurst, *Assistant Minister*

Dr. Mark Nabholz, *Director of Music*

Dr. Jacob Taylor, *Organist & Music Associate*

Mr. George Gichero, *oboe*

HOW GREAT THOU ART

I Can See Clearly Now

Mark 10:46-52

- I. Saving faith comes by hearing
- II. Saving faith properly understands Jesus
- III. Saving faith begins with a desperate plea
- IV. Saving faith leads to a devoted life

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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Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise 27

1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
 2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing and si - lent as light,
 3. To all, life thou giv - est, to both great and small,
 4. Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,

in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,
 nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might;
 in all life thou liv - est, the true life of all;
 thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight;

most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
 thy jus - tice like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove
 we blos - som and flour - ish as leaves on the tree,
 all praise we would ren - der; O help us to see

al - might - y, vic - to - rious, thy great name we praise.
 thy clouds which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.
 and with - er and per - ish, but naught chang - eth thee.
 'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee!

WORDS: Walter C. Smith, 1867

MUSIC: Welsh hymn tune, from John Roberts' *Caniadau y Cyssegr*, 1839

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1 Timothy 1:17

O Word of God Incarnate

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1. O Word of God in - car - nate, O Wis - dom from on high,
 2. The church from her dear Mas - ter re - ceived the gift di - vine,
 3. It float - eth like a ban - ner be - fore God's host un - furled;
 4. O make thy church, dear Sav - ior, a lamp of pur - est gold,

O Truth un - changed, un - chang - ing, O Light of our dark sky;
 and still that light she lift - eth o'er all the earth to shine.
 it shin - eth like a bea - con a - bove the dark - ling world.
 to bear be - fore the na - tions thy true light, as of old.

we praise thee for the ra - diance that from the hal - lowed page,
 It is the gold - en cas - ket, where gems of truth are stored;
 It is the chart and com - pass that o'er life's surg - ing sea,
 O teach thy wan - d'ring pil - grims by this their path to trace,

a lan - tern to our foot - steps, shines on from age to age.
 it is the heav'n - drawn pic - ture of Christ, the liv - ing Word.
 'mid mists and rocks and quick - sands, still guides, O Christ, to thee.
 till, clouds and dark - ness end - ed, they see thee face to face.

WORDS: William Walsham How, 1867
 MUSIC: *Meinungen Gesangbuch*, 1693

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Psalm 119:130

near, join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion.
 been grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?
 do, if with his love he be - friend thee.
 lief, spread - ing his wings to o'er - shade thee!
 gain; glad - ly for - e'er we a - dore him.

When All Your Mercies, O My God 33

1. When all your mer - cies, O my God, my ris - ing soul sur - veys,
 2. Un - num - bered com - forts to my soul your ten - der care be - stowed,
 3. When worn with sick - ness, oft have you with health re - newed my face;
 4. Ten thou - sand thou - sand pre - cious gifts my dai - ly thanks em - ploy;
 5. Through ev - 'ry pe - riod of my life your good - ness I'll pur - sue;
 6. Through all e - ter - ni - ty to you a joy - ful song I'll raise;

trans - port - ed with the view, I'm lost in won - der, love, and praise.
 be - fore my in - fant heart con - ceived from whom those com - forts flowed.
 and when in sins and sor - rows sunk, re - vived my soul with grace.
 nor is the least a cheer - ful heart that tastes those gifts with joy.
 and af - ter death, in dis - tant worlds, the glo - rious theme re - new.
 for oh, e - ter - ni - ty's too short to ut - ter all your praise.