



THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

MARCH 30, 2025

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*Savior, when in dust to Thee low we bow the adoring knee;
When, repentant, to the skies scarce we lift our weeping eyes,
O, by all Thy pains and woe suffered once for man below,
Bending from Thy throne on high, hear our penitential cry! Amen.*

ROBERT GRANT, BRITISH LAWYER AND MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT (1779-1838)



APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation

Rev. Kurt Cooper

The Prelude

Cantilena

Frederick Matthison-Hansen

*The secret things belong to the LORD our God,
but the things that are revealed belong to us and to our children forever,
that we may do all the words of this law.
Deuteronomy 29:29*

The Announcements

Rev. Cameron Whitehurst

The Chiming of the Hour

The Choral Introit

The Lord Is In His Holy Temple

George F. Root

The Lord is in His holy temple;
Let all the earth keep silence before Him.
Habakkuk 2:20

† Indicates the congregation standing

• Indicates seating for those detained

† The Call to Worship – Psalm 145:10-12 (*congregation reads bold type*)

All Your works shall give thanks to You, O LORD,

And all Your saints shall bless You!

They shall speak of the glory of Your Kingdom and tell of Your power,

To make known to the children of man Your mighty deeds,

And the glorious splendor of Your Kingdom.

•† The Hymn No. 5

O Worship the King

LYONS

† 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 – Ezekiel 33:11

As I live, declares the Lord God, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from his way and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways, for why will you die, O house of Israel?

The Prayer of Confession – from Ambrose of Milan, c. 340-390 AD

**O Lord, You have mercy upon all. Take away from me my sins,
and mercifully kindle in me the fire of Your Holy Spirit.
Take away my heart of stone, and give me a heart of flesh,
a heart to love and adore You, a heart to delight in You,
to follow and to enjoy You, for Christ's sake. Amen.**

The Silent Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of God's Pardon – John 3:16

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

The Pastoral Prayer

•† The Hymn No. 442

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!

EBENEZER

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*

All ye that pass by, to Jesus draw nigh.
 To you is it nothing that Jesus should die?
 Your ransom and peace, your surety He is.
 Come, see if there was ever sorrow like His.

He dies to atone for sins not His own.
 Your debt He hath paid, and your work He hath done.
 Ye all may receive the peace He did leave,
 Who made intercession, "My Father, forgive."
 For you and for me He prayed on the tree;
 The prayer is accepted, the sinner is free!

Kyrie eleison, Christe Eleison [*Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy*].

The sinner am I, who on Jesus rely,
 And come for the pardon God cannot deny.
 His death is my plea; my Advocate see,
 And hear the blood speak that hath answered for me:
 He purchased the grace which I now embrace;
 O Father, Thou knows He died in my place.
 Kyrie eleison, Christe Eleison.

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Cooper

† The Reading of God's Word – Mark 3:13-21, 31-35

pew Bible, page 1066

*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

Rev. Cooper

IX. Hey Brother

The Closing Prayer

FOLLOWING GOD'S SPIRIT

† The Hymn No. 599

Children of the Heavenly Father

TRYGGARE KAN

† The Benediction of God's Grace

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

The Postlude

Toccata IV

Johann Froberger

*For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things.
To Him be glory forever. Amen.
Romans 11:36*



The Sanctuary Flowers

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

Carolyn Gleaves Lightfoot

BY HER FAMILY

HOW GREAT THOU ART

IX. Hey Brother
Mark 3:13-21, 31-35

- I. Sandwich

- II. Jesus Calling (v. 13)

- III. Sent Ones (vv. 14-15)
 - A. Preach

 - B. Cast Out

 - C. Diversity

- IV. Family
 - A. Blood RELATIVES (vv. 21 & 31)

 - B. BLOOD Relatives (vv. 34-35)

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Senior Minister*

Rev. Cameron Whitehurst, *Assistant Minister*

Dr. Mark Nabholz, *Director of Music*

Mrs. Shannon Mathai, *Asst. Director of Music & Organist*

Mr. George Gichero, *oboe*

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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