

# **THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP**

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

FEBRUARY 8, 2026

# MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*Faithful Christian, seek the truth, listen to the truth, learn the truth, love the truth,  
speak the truth, adhere to truth, and defend truth to the death.*

JAN HUS (1369-1415)

CZECH THEOLOGIAN AND CHURCH REFORMER



## APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation

Rev. Kurt Cooper

The Prelude

*Choral*

Joseph Jongen

The Announcements

Rev. Michael Howell

The Chiming of the Hour

• † The Ascription of Praise (8:30) – *sung by all*

HYMN TO JOY

**God, we praise You! God, we bless You! God, we name You sov'reign Lord!  
Mighty King, whom angels worship, Father, by Your church adored;  
All creation shows Your glory, heav'n and earth draw near Your throne  
Singing, "Holy, holy, holy, Lord of Hosts, and God alone!"**

† Indicates the congregation standing

• Indicates seating for those detained

God is our strength and refuge, our present help in trouble;  
And we therefore will not fear, though the earth should change!  
Though mountains shake and tremble, though swirling floods are raging,  
God the Lord of Hosts is with us evermore!

† The Call to Worship – from Zephaniah 3 (*congregation reads bold type*)

The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save;  
He will rejoice over you with gladness; He will quiet you by His love;  
He will exult over you with loud singing.

**ALL: Rejoice and exult with all your heart,  
O daughter of Jerusalem!  
The King of Israel, the LORD, is in your midst.**

•† The Hymn No. 350      *At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing*

ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

† 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 – 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 upon 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.**

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 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 Offertory Duet (8:30)

*Jesus Loves Me*

Jonathan Cruchfield

*Caty James and Mollye Gunnells*

Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so.

Little ones to Him belong, they are weak, but He is strong.

Jesus loves me! He who died heaven's gates will open wide.

He will wash away my sin, let His little child come in.

*Refrain:* Yes, Jesus loves me, oh yes, Jesus loves me.

Yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.

Jesus, take this heart of mine; make it pure and wholly Thine.

You have bled and died for me; I will henceforth live for Thee. *Refrain.*

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heav'n to earth come down,  
fix in us Thy humble dwelling; all Thy faithful mercies crown!  
Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love Thou art;  
visit us with Thy salvation; enter every trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit into every troubled breast!  
Let us all in Thee inherit, let us find the promised rest.  
Take away our love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be;  
end of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty.

Come, Almighty to deliver; let us all Thy life receive;  
suddenly return and never, nevermore Thy temples leave.  
Thee we would be always blessing, serve Thee as Thy hosts above;  
pray, and praise Thee without ceasing, glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish then, Thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be;  
let us see Thy great salvation perfectly restored in Thee.  
Changed from glory into glory, 'til in heav'n we take our place,  
'til we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise. Amen!

## HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Cooper

† The Reading of God's Word – Mark 14:10-25

pew Bible, page 1082

*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**  
XLIII. Someone You Loved

Rev. Cooper

**COMMUNING WITH THE LORD JESUS CHRIST  
AND HIS PEOPLE**

† The Hymn No. 504                      *We Will Feast in the House of Zion*                      HOUSE OF ZION

† 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

*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

*Trumpet Tune in C*

David Johnson

## **HOW GREAT THOU ART**

### **XLIII. Someone You Loved**

Mark 14:10-25

#### I. Betrayal

A. How? (vv. 2, 10-11)

B. Who? (vv. 17-21)

C. Why?

#### II. The Lord's Supper

A. Passover (vv. 12-16)

B. Bread (v. 22)

C. Cup (vv. 23-24)

#### III. So What?

**LEADING IN WORSHIP**

Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Senior Minister*

Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

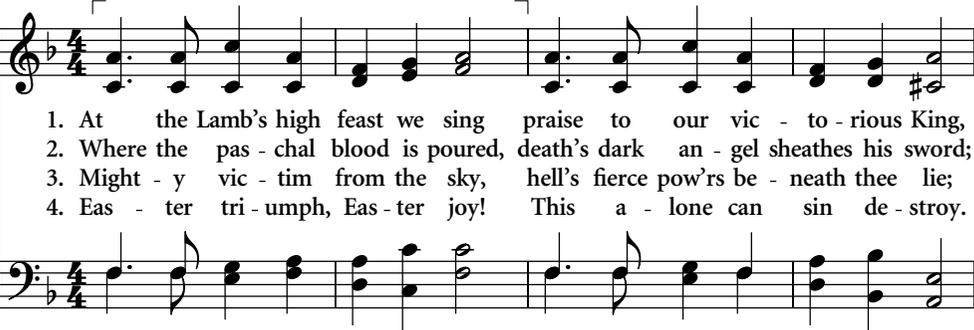
Dr. Mark Nabholz, *Director of Music*

Dr. Jacob Taylor, *Organist & Music Associate*

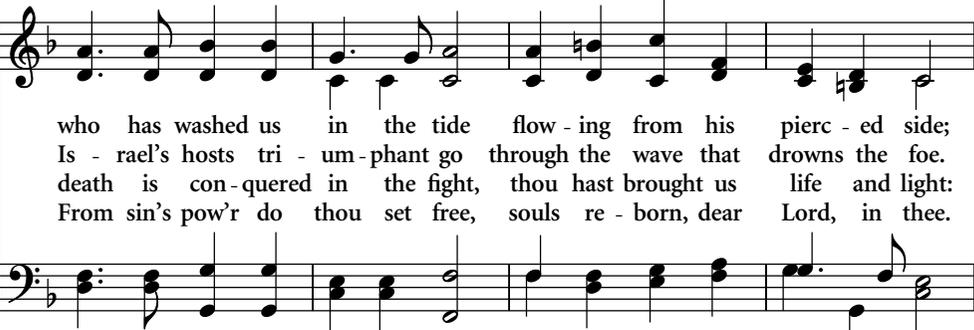
*To* all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire victory;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to all who will come,  
this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



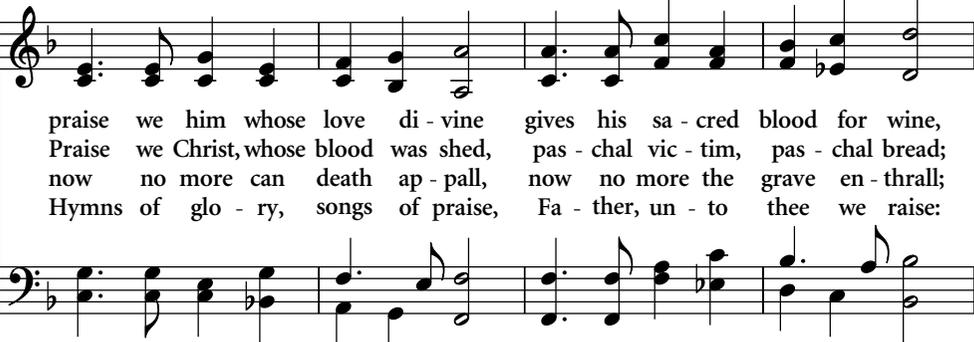
## 350 At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing



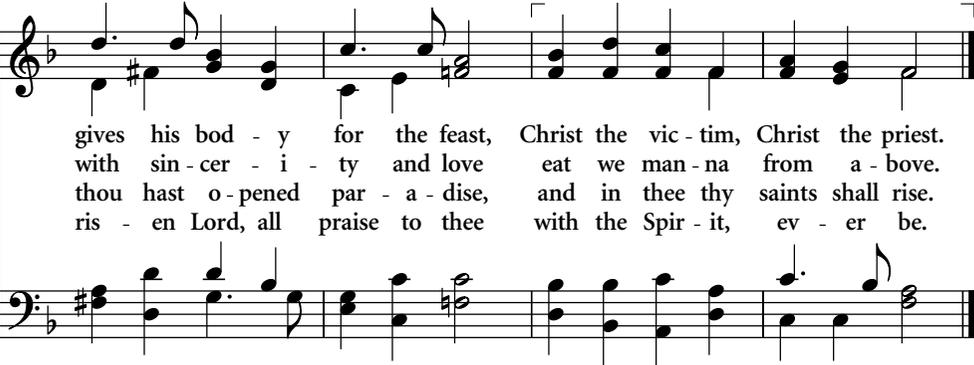
1. At the Lamb's high feast we sing praise to our vic - to - rious King,  
 2. Where the pas - chal blood is poured, death's dark an - gel sheathes his sword;  
 3. Might - y vic - tim from the sky, hell's fierce pow'rs be - neath thee lie;  
 4. Eas - ter tri - umph, Eas - ter joy! This a - lone can sin de - stroy.



who has washed us in the tide flow - ing from his pierc - ed side;  
 Is - rael's hosts tri - um - phant go through the wave that drowns the foe.  
 death is con - quered in the fight, thou hast brought us life and light:  
 From sin's pow'r do thou set free, souls re - born, dear Lord, in thee.



praise we him whose love di - vine gives his sa - cred blood for wine,  
 Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, pas - chal vic - tim, pas - chal bread;  
 now no more can death ap - pall, now no more the grave en - thrall;  
 Hymns of glo - ry, songs of praise, Fa - ther, un - to thee we raise:



gives his bod - y for the feast, Christ the vic - tim, Christ the priest.  
 with sin - cer - i - ty and love eat we man - na from a - bove.  
 thou hast o - pened par - a - dise, and in thee thy saints shall rise.  
 ris - en Lord, all praise to thee with the Spir - it, ev - er be.

## 504 We Will Feast in the House of Zion

## Refrain

G Em7 C6 Cmaj7 G Em D C G/B

We will feast in the house of Zi - on. We will sing with our

Am9 D G Em7 C6 Cmaj7 G/D D

hearts re - stored. He has done great things, will will say to - geth - er.

Em D C G/D D7 G *Fine*

We will feast and weep no more.

C G/B C Em

1. We will not be burned — by the fire. He  
 2. In the dark of night be - fore the dawn. My  
 3. Ev - 'ry vow we've bro - ken and be - trayed. You

TRIBULATION AND SUFFERING

C D Em G/B C

is the Lord our God. We are not con - sumed — by the  
soul be not a - fraid; for the prom-ised morn - ing, oh, how  
are the faith - ful One. And from the gar - den to the

Em C D Em D/F# D.C.

flood. Up - held, pro - tect - ed, gath - ered up.  
long. O God of Ja - cob be my strength.  
grave. Bind us to - geth - er, bring sha - lom.