



THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

MAY 3, 2026

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*When there's something in the Word of God that I don't like,
the problem is not with the Word of God, it's with me.*

R. C. SPROUL (1939-2017)

APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation Rev. Kurt Cooper

The Prelude *Soul, Adorn Thyself with Gladness* Johannes Brahms

The Announcements Rev. Michael Howell

The Chiming of the Hour

The Choral Introit (8:30) *Rise, My Soul, and Stretch Thy Wings* AMSTERDAM

Rise, my soul, and stretch thy wings, thy better portion trace;
Rise from transitory things to heaven, thy destined place.
Sun and moon and stars decay, time shall soon this earth remove;
Rise, my soul, and haste away to seats prepared above.

•† The Ascription of Praise (11:00) – *sung by all* LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**The Lord is King! Lift up your voice,
O earth and all ye heav'ns, rejoice!
Alleluia! Alleluia!**
**Through earth and heav'n one song shall ring:
"The Lord omnipotent is King!"
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

† Indicates the congregation standing

• Indicates seating for those detained

† The Call to Worship – Psalm 95:6-7a (*congregation reads bold type*)

Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker!

For He is our God,

And we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand.

•† The Hymn No. 1

Holy, Holy, Holy!

NICAEA

(11:00 – The Covenant Choir will sing verse 1; congregation joins verse 2.)

† 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 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. 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 (see page 7) *Lord, In Your Wrath Rebuke Me Not* HAMBURG

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 (8:30) *Joy in the Morning* Natalie Sleeth

There'll be joy in the morning on that day,
for the daylight will dawn when the darkness is gone,
There'll be joy in the morning on that day.
There'll be peace and contentment evermore,
Every heart and voice will then rejoice,
There'll be peace and contentment evermore.

And the glory of the Lord will shine upon us,
And the glory of the Lord will bring the truth divine.
There'll be love and forgiveness everywhere,
And the way of the Lord will that day be restored,
There'll be love, sweet love, everywhere.

- The Anthem (11:00) *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* RUNYAN
The Covenant Choir arr. Shelly Hamilton

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father!
There is no shadow of turning with Thee.
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain: Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
 Morning by morning new mercies I see.
 All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
 Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

Summer and winter and spring-time and harvest,
 Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
 Join with all nature in manifold witness
 To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain.*

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
 Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
 Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
 Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain.*

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Cooper

† The Reading of God's Word – Psalm 6:1-10

pew Bible, page 570

*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

MY STRENGTH AND MY SONG
 III. Leave (Get Out)

Rev. Cooper

The Closing Prayer

FOLLOWING GOD'S SPIRIT

† The Hymn No. 193 *Man of Sorrows! What a Name* HALLELUJAH! WHAT A SAVIOR

† The Benediction of God's Grace

† The Benediction Response *Because He Lives* RESURRECTION

**Because He lives I can face tomorrow,
because He lives all fear is gone;
because I know He holds the future.
And life is worth the living just because He lives.**

The Postlude *Dialogue on the Mixtures* Jean Langlais

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*

Mrs. Traci Fuller, *Covenant Choir Director*



The Sanctuary Flowers

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

Justin (Jud) Tillett

BY FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF
THE TPC SATELLITE OF ROANOKE ISLAND

MY STRENGTH AND MY SONG

III. Leave (Get Out)

Psalm 6:1-10

I. Trouble & Tears (vv. 1-7)

A. Severity

B. Source

C. Solace

II. Turn (v. 8-10)

III. Terminus

A. Christ's Weeping

B. Christ's Dismissal

Lord, In Your Wrath Rebuke Me Not

Psalm 6, from *Sing Psalms*

HAMBURG

Lord, in Your wrath re - buke me — not; In an - ger
My soul with an - guish is dis - tressed. O Lord, how
• No one in death re - mem - bers You; Who from the
My eyes grow weak with tears of — grief; They fail be -
The Lord has heard my — pray'r for — help; The Lord has

do not — chas - ten — me. Have mer - cy, Lord, for —
long will — You de - lay? Turn to me, Lord, and —
• grave can — give You — praise? My groan - ing weak - ens —
cause of — all my — foes. A - way from me, you —
lis - tened to my — plea. My en - e - mies, dis -

I am — faint; Lord, heal me in my ag - o - ny.
free my — soul; In stead - fast love save me, I — pray.
• me; at — night My bed is drenched with tears al - ways.
e - vil — crowd! The Lord has lis - tened to my — woes.
graced and shamed, Will turn back from me sud - den - ly.



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Holy, Holy, Holy!

1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark-ness hide thee,
 4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
 though the eye of sin - ful man thy glo - ry may not see.
 All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
 On - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in pow'r, in love, and pur - i - ty.
 God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

193 Man of Sorrows! What a Name

1. Man of Sor - rows! what a name for the Son of God, who came
 2. Bear - ing shame and scoff - ing rude, in my place con - demned he stood,
 3. Guilt - y, vile, and help - less, we; spot - less Lamb of God was he;
 4. Lift - ed up was he to die, "It is fin - ished!" was his cry;
 5. When he comes, our glo - rious King, all his ran - somed home to bring,

ru - ined sin - ners to re - claim: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 sealed my par - don with his blood: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 full a - tone - ment! can it be? Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 now in heav'n ex - alt - ed high: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 then a - new this song we'll sing: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!

WORDS: Philip P. Bliss, 1875 (Isaiah 53:3)
 MUSIC: Philip P. Bliss, 1875

HALLELUJAH! WHAT A SAVIOR!
 7.7.7.8
 Isaiah 53:3

194 Jesus, Priceless Treasure

1. Je - sus, price - less trea - sure, source of pur - est
 2. In thine arms I rest me; foes who would mo -
 3. Sa - tan, I de - fy thee; death, I now de -
 4. Hence, all thought of sad - ness! for the Lord of

WORDS: Johann Franck, 1653; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1863
 MUSIC: German melody; arr. J. S. Bach, 1723

JESU, MEINE FREUDE
 6.6.5.6.6.5.7.8.6
 John 14:27