

THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

AUGUST 20, 2017

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with Him in order that we may also be glorified with Him.

ROMANS 8:14–17

The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude This Is My Father's World arr. Dale Wood

The Striking of the Hour

† The Call to Worship Isaiah 63:16; Isaiah 64:8 Mr. Howell

Minister: You, O Lord, are our Father, our Redeemer from of old is Your name.

People: **O Lord, You are our Father; we are the clay, and You are our potter;
we are all the work of Your hand.**

† The Processional Hymn No. 100 *Holy, Holy, Holy!* NICAEA

† The Confession of Our Faith The Apostles' Creed
(Inside front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

† The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

† The Lord's Prayer (Inside front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

† The Silent, Personal Offering of Thanksgiving

† The Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Morning Prayers

The Silent, Personal Prayer of Confession

The Corporate Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In Your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

The Assurance of God's Pardon ~ Psalm 103:13

Child of God, as a father shows compassion to his children, so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear Him.

The General Prayer

† The Hymn No. 111

This Is My Father's World
(stanzas 1, 3)

TERRA BEATA

The Morning Offering

The Christian Greeting

The Anthem

Open My Eyes
Chancel Choir

K. Lee Scott

Open my eyes and I shall see; incline my heart and I shall desire;
Order my steps and I shall walk in the ways of Your commandments.
O God, be my only Lord, and beside You let there be none else,
No other, none else with You. Teach me to worship You
And serve You in all my undertakings with truth of spirit,
with honor of body, with blessing of mouth both in public and private.

† The Prayer of Illumination

Blessed Father, Who caused all Holy Scripture to be written for our learning; Grant that we may in such a way hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that by patience, and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace, and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which You have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

† The Reading of God's Word

Romans 6:1-14

Page 1199 in the Pew Bible

† The Response

Minister: All men are like grass, and all their glory is the like the flowers of the field.
People: **The grass withers and the flowers fade, but the Word of our God shall stand forever. Amen.**

The Personal Meditation and Preparation of the Heart

*Children aged four through kindergarten may leave to attend Children's Church.
Following the service, please pick up your children from the
Children's Chapel in the Covenant Building (E-100).*

The Sermon

DYING TO LIVE

Mr. McRoberts

*United to Christ in His Life and Death
Means a Life of Victory for the Christian*
Exposition of Romans, XX
Romans 6:1-14

A detailed sermon outline can be found inside the morning announcements.

The Closing Prayer

† The Hymn No. 6 *O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord*
(stanzas 1-3)

TIDINGS

† The Benediction of God's Grace and the Congregation's AMEN

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, descend and rest in your hearts until the day breaks and all these shadows flee away. **AMEN.**

† The Quiet Reflection, Meditation, and Personal Application

† The Postlude Festive Trumpet Tune

David German



“--the moment we become Christians we are dead, completely dead, to the reign of sin. We are out of sin's territory altogether....But now I imagine somebody putting forward an objection: ‘How can you possibly say such a thing? We still sin, we still feel the power of temptation and the power of sin; how therefore can you say honestly that you are dead to the rule and to the reign and to the whole dominion of sin?’ I answer this way. We must differentiate between what is true of our position as a fact and our experience....what He says is that every person in the world at this minute is either under the reign and rule of sin or else under the reign and rule of grace....

It is either one or the other, he cannot have a foot in each position....

[Why?] He is either ‘in Adam’ or ‘in Christ’.”

D. M. LLOYD-JONES

LORD'S DAY VESPERS

PRELIMINARY PREPARATION • 5:45 P.M.

Scripture Calls Us to Worship

Mr. McRoberts

Gathering Hymn No. 605

All the Way My Savior Leads Me

ALL THE WAY

Opening Prayer

Responsive Reading of God's Word

Psalm 103

(Page 821-822 in the *Trinity Hymnal*)

Hymn Medley

Pearly Gates

(see page 7)

We Will Feast in the House of Zion

(see page 8)

Meditation, Reflection, and Preparation for the Word

Children are dismissed to attend their classes.

Evening Scripture Lesson

Philippians 4:1-7

Page 1250 in the Pew Bible

Homily

"The Peace of God"

Mr. Sessions

Closing Chorus

Because He Lives

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.

Benediction of God's Grace

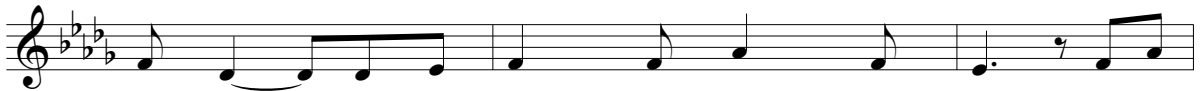
Pearly Gates



1. Love di - vine so great and won - drous, — Deep and
2. Like a dove when hunt - ed fright - ened, — As a
3. Love di - vine so great and won - drous, — All my
4. In life's ev - en - tide at twi - light, — At His



migh - ty, pure sub - lime; Com - ing from the heart of
wound - ed fawn was I; Bro - ken heart - ed yet He
sins he then for - gave! I will sing His praise for -
door I'll knock and wait; By the pre - cious love of



Je - sus — Just the same through tests of time. He the
healed me, — He will heed the sin - ners cry.
ev - er, — For His blood, His pow'r to save.
Je - sus, — I shall en - ter hea - ven's gate.



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Repeat Last Time

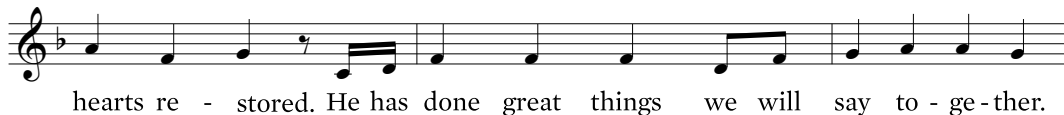
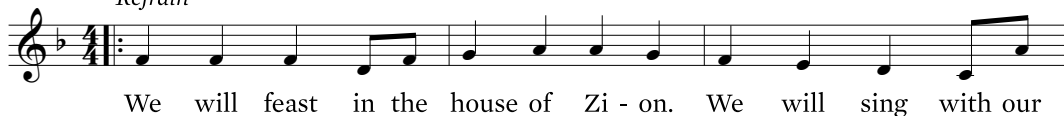


pur - chased my re - demp - tion — And for - gave me all my sin.

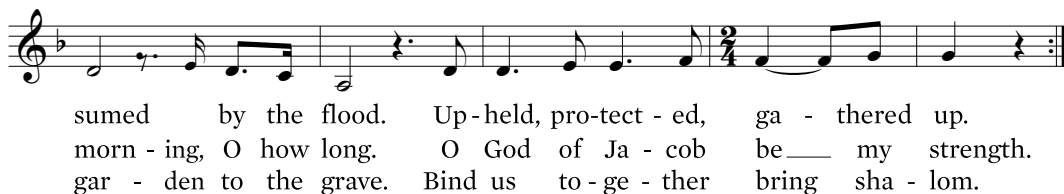
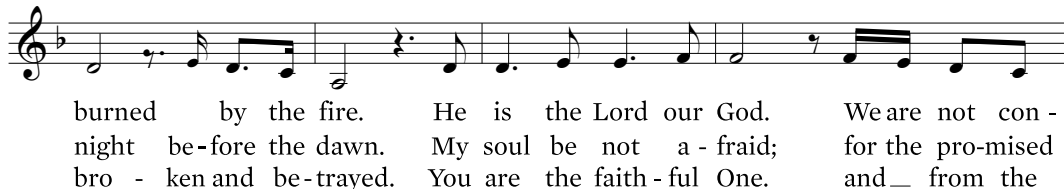
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We Will Feast in the House of Zion

Refrain



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