

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Welcome and Introduction

Call to Worship

Leader: Yet the LORD longs to be gracious to you;
People: He rises to show you compassion.
Leader: For the LORD is a God of justice.
People: Blessed are all who wait for him!
Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Leader: Let us worship God.
Isaiah 30:18

Hymns and Songs of Praise

A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing

A hymn of glory let us sing, new songs thro'out the world shall ring
Alleluia, alleluia
Christ, by a road before untrod, ascendeth to the throne of God
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

The holy apostolic band upon the Mount of Olives stand
Alleluia, alleluia
And with his followers they see Jesus' resplendent majesty
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

To whom the angels, drawing nigh, why stand and gaze upon the sky
Alleluia, alleluia
This is the Savior thus they say, this is his noble triumph day
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Again shall ye behold him so as ye today have seen him go
Alleluia, alleluia
In glorious pomp ascending high up to the portals of the sky
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

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The Lion and the Lamb

He's coming on the clouds, kings and kingdoms will bow down
And every chain will break as broken hearts declare His praise
For who can stop the Lord almighty

Our God is the Lion, the Lion of Judah
He's roaring with power and fighting our battles
And every knee will bow before Him
Our God is the Lamb, the Lamb that was slain
For the sin of the world, His blood breaks the chains
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb
Oh every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb

So open up the gates, make way before the King of kings
Our God who comes to save is here to set the captives free
For who can stop the Lord almighty

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Confession of Faith.....Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 18
49. What benefit do we receive from Christ's ascension into heaven?
First, that He is our Advocate in the presence of His Father in Heaven. Secondly, that we have our flesh in heaven as a sure pledge, that He as the Head, will also take us, His members, up to Himself. Thirdly, that He sends us His Spirit as an earnest, by whose power we seek those things which are above, where Christ sits at the right hand of God, and not things on earth.

50. Why is it added: "And sits at the right hand of God"?
Because Christ ascended into heaven for this end, that He might there appear as the Head of His Church, by whom the Father governs all things.

Agnus Dei

Alleluia, alleluia for the Lord God Almighty reigns
Alleluia, alleluia for the Lord God Almighty reigns
Alleluia

Holy, holy, are You, Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb
For You are holy, holy
Are You Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb, Amen

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Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins
Isaiah 43:25

Song of Pardoning Grace

Grace Flows Down

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
Amazing love now flowing down
From hands and feet that were nailed to the tree
As grace flows down and covers me

It covers me, it covers me
It covers me and covers me

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Introduction of New Members

Kathleen, Sam, Tim, and Thane Alkema
Douglas and Barclay Godwin
Bob and Charlotte Hamm
Elizabeth Hope
Neno Ladd
Justin and Tina Parmer
Weezie Phillips

Prayer Time with The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on 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, forever. Amen.

Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.
Hebrews 13:16

Scripture Reading

Pastor: This is God's Word.
People: Thanks be to God.

Children grades PreK & 5K may be dismissed for Children's Church.

Sermon.....**Rev. Michael Brock**

Hymn of Consecration

He Is Lord

He is Lord, He is Lord, He is risen from the dead and He is Lord
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord

Traditional.

Benediction

Sending Hymn

The Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Congratulations to Ryan and Laura Burton and their family on the birth of their daughter, Katharine (Kate) Bailey Burton, born May 7th.

Please keep these families and their babies in prayer:

Jordan and Carolyn (Hailey) Lohman: due July 2018
Bowen and Maggie Weir: due August 2018

THIS WEEK AT ESPC

May Duty Deacons: Scott Kearney and Christian Preus

Sunday, May 13
8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Blended Worship

Monday, May 14
5:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting

Wednesday, May 16
6:00-8:00 p.m. All Youth Dinner and Study
6:30 p.m. ESL (English as a Second Language) Classes
6:30 p.m. Session Meeting

Thursday, May 17
11:30 a.m. Sojourner's Luncheon

Greeter's Schedule

May 13
8:30 a.m. Chuck Snead/Michael and Katherine Robinson/
David and Bebe Cox
11:00 a.m. Bill and Lana McNair

May 20
8:30 a.m. Arch and Carol Middleton/Tripp and Barbara Oliphant/
Jerry and Julie Harcrow
11:00 a.m. Carlyle and Wendy McCall

Rapid Visitation Schedule

May 13 Keith and Benita Stewart
May 20 Tim and Claudia Finnamore

Nursery Ministry Schedule

Please arrive 10 minutes early

May 13
8:30 a.m. Mandy Barber, Melinda Patin, Kelli Kearney, Phyllis Canup,
Lauren Hailey
11:00 a.m. Marjorie Searcy, Dale Clark, Michael and Kat Robinson,
Pete and Becky Scarbrough, Emma Colbert

May 20
8:30 a.m. Emily and Rob McGowin, Kelli Kearney, Melinda Patin,
Debbie Hailey, Lauren Hailey, Jimmy Lou Allred
11:00 a.m. Dale Clark, Emma Colbert, Bowen and Maggie Weir,
Curt and Cheryl Smith, Kitty Wilson

Our Mission

"Him we proclaim...presenting everyone mature in Christ." (Colossians 1:28)
One who is "mature in Christ" will be:

Loving God
Worshipping Reverently
& Joyfully
Growing Strong in the
Grace & Knowledge of God
Studying God's Word Actively
Praying Diligently
Giving Generously

Loving Others
Displaying Christlike Character
Serving One Another
Thoughtfully
Connecting with Fellow
Believers Honestly

Reaching Out
Sharing the Gospel Wisely,
Intentionally & Graciously
Caring for Diverse & Needy
People with Humility &
Discernment
Supporting Missions
Energetically

Session (Elders)

2018 - Rob Adamson, Jay Colbert, John Hailey
2019 - John Barrow, Mike Finerty, Bill McNair, Bo Wheeler
2020 - Paul Ellis, Jason Henderly, John Hope, Joe Kearney
Elder Emeritus - Paul Fellers Jr., Pete Scarbrough

Diaconate (Deacons)

2018 - Oliver Gilmore, Will Kahlbau, Scott Kearney, Clay Lovelady, Puffer Thompson
2019 - Richard Beall, Jonathan Carrigan, Brooks Cash, Justin Chappell, Jay Elliott, Kenny Engel,
Thomas Gross, Thomas Key, Rob McGowin, Matt Miller, Daniel Nance, Wil Scarbrough, Nathan Upshaw
2020 - Mark Boles, Mike Justesen, Christian Preus, Michael Robinson, Bowen Weir, Dick White
Deacon Emeritus - John Parker

Sunday School Classes

FIRST FRUITS CLASS
Doctrines of Grace-Phillips
Disciple Center 408 (Upstairs)
John McMenamin

ENCOURAGERS CLASS
J.I. Packer: Concise Theology
White Bldg. Room 9
Mike McCrary

YOUTH
Youth join adult classes in spring

CORNERSTONE
Advanced Biblical Studies
New Testament Survey
Disciple Center 404 (Upstairs)
Andrew Colbert

WOMAN TO WOMAN CLASS
The book of James
White Bldg. Room 8
Dianne Balch, Lisa Snead
Kimmie Sprayberry

TOLLE LEGE
The Gospel of Luke
Disciple Center 401 (Upstairs)
Joe Kearney and Scott Kearney

ELECTIVE
Parenting
Disciple Center 403 (Upstairs)
Michael and Lisa Brock

ELECTIVE
Study: Theological Foundations II
Disciple Center 402 (Upstairs)
Jay Colbert, Bo Wheeler
Cost for Materials: \$35

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Loving God, Loving Others, Reaching Out

May 13, 2018
11:00 a.m.