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PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



a congregation of The Presbyterian Church in America

THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 9th, 2017—11:00 a.m.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*Please stand if you are able.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 105:1-4

PASTOR: Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!

PEOPLE: Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works!

PASTOR: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

PEOPLE: Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!

*HYMN OF PRAISE #2 *O Worship the King*

*INVOCATION

Soon shall pass thy pilgrim days, Hope shall change to glad fruition,
Faith to sight, and prayer to praise.

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GOD BLESSES US AND SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN #644
May the Mind of Christ My Savior, verse 3

**May the peace of God my Father
Rule my life in everything,
That I may be calm to comfort
Sick and sorrowing.**

POSTLUDE

Sermon Notes

Man may trouble and distress me,
'Twill but drive me to Thy breast.
Life with trials hard may press me;
Heaven will bring me sweeter rest.
Oh, 'tis not in grief to harm me
While Thy love is left to me;
Oh, 'twere not in joy to charm me,
Were that joy unmixed with Thee.

Go, then, earthly fame and treasure,
Come disaster, scorn and pain
In Thy service, pain is pleasure,
With Thy favor, loss is gain
I have called Thee Abba Father,
I have stayed my heart on Thee
Storms may howl, and clouds may gather;
All must work for good to me.

Soul, then know thy full salvation
Rise o'er sin and fear and care
Joy to find in every station,
Something still to do or bear.
Think what Spirit dwells within thee,
Think what Father's smiles are thine,
Think that Jesus died to win thee,
Child of heaven, canst thou repine.

Haste thee on from grace to glory,
Armed by faith, and winged by prayer.
Heaven's eternal days before thee,
God's own hand shall guide us there.
Soon shall close thy earthly mission,

GOD INVITES US TO THE MEANS OF GRACE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. (*universal)

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

1 Peter 5:6-7

Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Oh Lord, Giver of all good things.
We confess that we often seek fulfillment outside
of you.
We trust in our own strength to provide for
ourselves.
We try to do good under our own power, and to our
own glory.
We attempt to atone for our own sins.
In all these, we ignore your promised help in the
Spirit,
And we fail to seek first the Kingdom of God.
Help us by your Spirit to recognize our weakness
and fall on your mercy.
Grant us forgiveness, we pray.
Amen.**

SILENT AND PRIVATE CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hebrews 12:1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

*OT SCRIPTURE READING

Jeremiah 17:5-8

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN OF PREPARATION #616

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

SERMON

“Anxiety’s Remedy”

Matthew 6:25-34

Rev. David Hina

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

Jesus I My Cross Have Taken

**Jesus, I my cross have taken,
All to leave and follow Thee.
Destitute, despised, forsaken,
Thou from hence my all shall be.
Perish every fond ambition,
All I’ve sought or hoped or known.
Yet how rich is my condition!
God and heaven are still my own.**

**Let the world despise and leave me,
They have left my Savior, too.
Human hearts and looks deceive me;
Thou art not, like them, untrue.
O while Thou dost smile upon me,
God of wisdom, love, and might,
Foes may hate and friends disown me,
Show Thy face and all is bright.**