

Worship Guide 1/22/2023

Call to Worship

The LORD has established his throne in the heavens, and his kingdom rules over all. Bless the LORD, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word! Bless the LORD, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will! Bless the LORD, all his works, in all places of his dominion. Bless the LORD, O my soul!

Psalm 103:19-22

Worshiping God by Singing

O Worship the King

O worship the King
all glorious above,
O gratefully sing
his pow'r and his love;
our shield and Defender,
the ancient of days,
pavilioned in splendor
and girded with praise.

O tell of his might,
O sing of his grace,
whose robe is the light,
whose canopy space.
His chariots of wrath

the deep thunderclouds form,
and dark is his path
on the wings of the storm.

Your bountiful care
what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air;
it shines in the light;
it streams from the hills;
it descends to the plain;
and sweetly distils in
the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust,
and feeble as frail,
in you do we trust,
nor find you to fail;
your mercies how tender,
how firm to the end,
our Maker, Defender,
Redeemer, and Friend!

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Worshiping God by Confessing Our Faith

Nicene Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth;
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of his Father before all worlds:
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made;
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made:

Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven,
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried;
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven,
and sits on the right hand of the Father.
And he shall come again with glory
to judge both the living and the dead
whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
The Lord, and Giver of Life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son
together is worshipped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
And I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come.
Amen.

Worshiping God by Singing

O God of Our Salvation

O God of our salvation
Who reigns upon the throne
The sov'reign Father, great is He
From whom all blessings flow

O God of our salvation
From whom redemption comes
O Father, Son, and Spirit
The blessed Three in One.

Behold the Son, our Savior
Who for our sin was slain
The Christ who purchased with his blood
The wretched souls of men

O God of our salvation
From whom redemption comes
O Father, Son, and Spirit
The blessed Three in One.

O God the Holy Spirit
Revealing deity
The fount of life and love divine
Throughout eternity

O God of our salvation
From whom redemption comes
O Father, Son, and Spirit
The blessed Three in One.

Ascribe, O church, the greatness
And glory due his name
One God, one King, one Essence
Our Triune God proclaim

Amen!

Amen!

Amen!

Amen!

Song Of Moses

Oh, the Lord, our strength and song,
highest praise to Him belongs
Christ, the Lord, the conqu'ring King,
Your name we raise Your triumphs sing

Praise the Lord, our mighty warrior!
Praise the Lord, the glorious One!
By His hand we stand in vict'ry
and by His name we overcome

Though the storms of hell pursue,
in darkest night we worship You
You divide the raging sea,
from death to life You safely lead

Praise the Lord, our mighty warrior!
Praise the Lord, the glorious One!
By His hand we stand in vict'ry
and by His name we overcome

All the saints and angels bow,
hosts of heaven crying out
“Glory, glory to the King!
You reign for all eternity!”

Praise the Lord, our mighty warrior!
Praise the Lord, the glorious One!
By His hand we stand in vict'ry
and by His name we overcome

The Lord shall reign forever and ever! (4x)

Praise the Lord, our mighty warrior!

Praise the Lord, the glorious One!

By His hand we stand in vict'ry

and by His name we overcome

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Prayer

Missionary of the Week:

YoungLife

Community Church of the Week:

Christ Community Church
Rev. Mark Yoder

Presbytery Church of the Week:

Surfside Presbyterian Church
Rev. Brian Peterson

Worshiping God by Hearing His Word

Series: *Values*
Sermon: *Valuable Kingdom*

⁴⁴ The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. ⁴⁵ Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, ⁴⁶ who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.

Matthew 13:44-46

The kingdom of God is _____.

The value of the kingdom is found in _____ the _____ and the _____ that comes through him.

Action point:

_____ God's valuable kingdom.

By the power of the Spirit let's _____
Christ and his kingdom.

Ordination/Installation of Church Officers

Explanation of the Nature of the Offices of Elder and Deacon

Ordination/Installation Vows

1. Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice?
2. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures; and do you further promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with any of the fundamentals of this system of doctrine, you will, on your own initiative, make known to your Session the change which has taken place in your views since the assumption of this ordination vow?
3. Do you approve of the form of government and discipline of the Presbyterian Church in America, in conformity with the general principles of biblical polity?
4. Do you accept the office of ruling elder or deacon (as the case may be) in this church, and promise faithfully to perform all the duties thereof, and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the gospel in your life, and to set a worthy example before the Church of which God has made you an officer?
5. Do you promise subjection to your brethren in the Lord?

6. Do you promise to strive for the purity, peace, unity and edification of the Church?

Congregational Vow

Do you, the members of this church, acknowledge and receive these brothers as ruling elders or deacons and do you promise to yield them all that honor, encouragement, and obedience in the Lord to which their office, according to the Word of God and the Constitution of this Church, entitles them?

Prayer and the Laying on of Hands

Right Hand of Fellowship

Declaration of Ordination/Installation

Exhortation to the Officers

Exhortation to the Church

Worshiping God by Singing

Rise up, O Church of God

Rise up, O church of God!
Be done with lesser things;
Give heart and mind and soul and strength
to serve the King of kings.

Rise up, O church of God!
His kingdom first in mind;
Seek the Lord's glory and his praise
and place all else behind.

Rise up, O church of God!
He calls you to obey;
To do the works prepared for you;
to walk within his way.

So fix your eyes on Christ;
tread where his feet have trod;
As those who follow Christ the Son,
rise up, O church of God!

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Benediction

May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son.

Colossians 1:11-13