

Worship Guide 12/3/2023

Call to Worship

Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:5-11

Worshiping God by Singing

Jesus!

The King of all creation
set aside His crown
A servant to the Father's love,
descended from His throne above

Author of salvation,
Giver of new life
Crucified to pay for sin;
our righteousness is in the name of

Jesus, every heart and tongue
confess Your name above all names
All things of this earth belong to You,
forever you will reign

God of resurrection,
Conqueror of death
Ruler over everything,
the Lord of lords and King of kings is

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Worshiping God by Confessing Our Faith

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 men 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.

Nicene Creed

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!

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Prayer

Missionary of the Week: Larry and Sandy Rockwell
MTW - Peru

Community Church of the Week: Westside Baptist Church
Rev. Aaron Reed

Presbytery Church of the Week: Faith Presbyterian Church
Rev. John Irwin

Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come.
Your 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 Yours is the
kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Worshiping God by Hearing His Word

Series: *What Child is This?*

Sermon: *Jesus, the Christ*

¹ The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham.

Matthew 1:1

Jesus is the _____.

The word “Christ” is the equivalent of the word _____,
and both words mean “_____.”

Jesus was _____ by the Holy Spirit to
_____ sinful people from their _____.

Action point:

_____ in and _____ Jesus as the
_____.

Let's find _____ in our
_____, Jesus, the Christ.

Worshipping God by Celebrating the Lord's Supper

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself. That is why many of you are weak and ill, and some have died. But if we judged ourselves truly, we would not be judged. But when we are judged by the Lord, we are disciplined so that we may not be condemned along with the world.

1 Corinthians 11:23-32

Worshipping God by Singing

What Child Is This

What child is this, who, laid to rest,
on Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
while shepherds watch are keeping?

This, this is Christ the King,
whom shepherds guard and angels sing:
Haste, haste to bring him laud,
the babe, the son of Mary.

Why lies he in such mean estate,
where ox and lamb are feeding?
Good Christian, fear; for sinners here
the silent Word is pleading.
Nails, spear, shall pierce him through;
the cross be borne for me, for you.
Hail, hail, the Word made flesh,
the babe, the son of Mary.

So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh;
come, peasant, king, to own him;
The King of kings salvation brings,
let loving hearts enthrone him.
Raise, raise the song on high,
the virgin sings her lullaby:
Joy, joy for Christ is born,
the babe, the son of Mary.

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Benediction

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the
fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

2 Corinthians 13:14