



Welcome to EPC Sunday Worship

Order of Worship

January 17, 2021 / 10:30 AM



Welcoming and Call to Worship Prayer of Preparation Praise Set #1



Prayer of Confession
Assurance
Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed



Praise Set #2 Congregational Prayer - Esther Kimm Announcements



Sermon - Pastor Paul Shim Song of Response Benediction





Welcoming

Call to Worship: Psalm 119:1-8

- **1** Blessed are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord!
- 2 Blessed are those who keep His testimonies, who seek Him with their whole heart,
- 3 who also do no wrong, but walk in His ways!
- **4** You have commanded Your precepts to be kept diligently.
- **5** Oh that my ways may be steadfast in keeping Your statutes!
- 6 Then I shall not be put to shame, having my eyes fixed on all Your commandments.
- 7 I will praise You with an upright heart, when I learn Your righteous rules.
- 8 I will keep Your statutes; do not utterly forsake me!

Prayer of Preparation

Please take some time to quiet your heart and mind. In humility, let us come before God in a prayer of preparation as we give thanks to Him for His grace and ask for His presence to be revealed to us.

Praise Set #1

You'll Come

V1
I have decided, I have resolved
To wait upon You Lord
My Rock and Redeemer, shield and reward
I'll wait upon You Lord

Pre-Chorus
As surely as the sun will rise
You'll come to us
Certain as the dawn appears

Chorus
You'll come let Your glory fall
As You respond to us
Spirit rain
Flood into our thirsty hearts again
You'll come, You'll come

V2
We are not shaken, we are not moved
We wait upon You Lord
Mighty deliverer, triumph and truth
We wait upon You Lord

Bridge Chains be broken, lives be healed Eyes be opened, Christ is revealed (REPEAT)





Here I Am to Worship

V1
Light of the world
You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes let me see
Beauty that made
This heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with You

Chorus
So here I am to worship
Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God

You're altogether lovely

Altogether worthy

Altogether wonderful to me

V2

King of all days
Oh so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above
Humbly You came
To the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor

Bridge

And I'll never know how much it cost
To see my sin upon that cross
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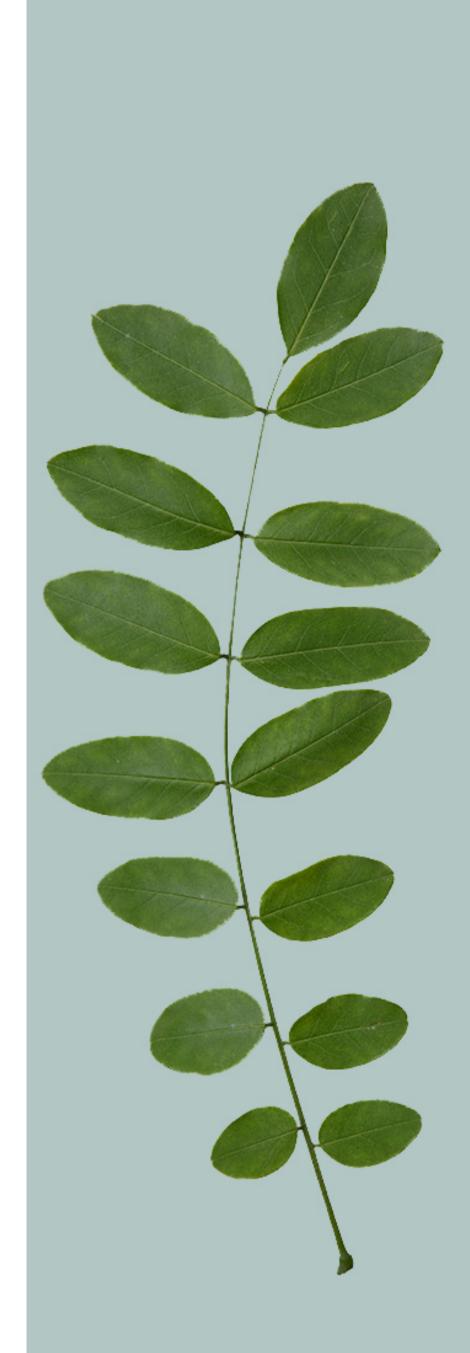
Prayer of Confession: Psalm 32:3-5

*** Please confess together in one voice

"For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night Your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I acknowledged my sin to You, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and You forgave the iniquity of my sin."

Assurance of Pardon: 1 John 4:13-15

"By this we know that we abide in Him and He in us, because He has given us of His Spirit. And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent His Son to be the Savior of the world. Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God."





Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

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"I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator 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 to hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended to 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.

Praise Set #2

Come Thou Fount

V1

Come Thou fount of every blessing Tune my heart to sing Thy grace Streams of mercy never ceasing Call for songs of loudest praise Teach me some melodious sonnet Sung by flaming tongues above Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it Mount of Thy redeeming love

V2

Here I raise mine Ebenezer
Hither by Thy help I'm come
And I hope by Thy good pleasure
Safely to arrive at home
Jesus sought me when a stranger
Wandering from the fold of God
He to rescue me from danger
Interposed His precious blood

V3

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter
Bind my wandering heart to Thee
Prone to wander Lord I feel it
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it
Seal it for Thy courts above





Congregational Prayer: Esther Kimm

EPC Announcements:

- 1. The "15-Minute Zoom with Pastor Paul" sign-ups are live on our website, "epcministry.org"! Please be sure to sign up for a time to meet and greet our new lead pastor and share how is God's moving in our lives.
- 2. The EPC Men's Ministry is hosting a seminar on January 31 at 4 pm that is open to all members of EPC. Pastor Youwan will be leading us through the topic of "Spiritual Rhythms for Shelter In Place". A link for the event will be on our website this week Tuesday. You can also find the event details and RSVP on our Facebook Group page at "Emmanuel Presbyterian Church English Ministry (EPC)".
- 3. The EPC Beulah Women's Ministry is hosting a 2021 kickoff on January 24 at 3 PM for all EPC sisters. Charlene SMN will be sharing her testimony and there will be a time of fellowship and making "Scripture Art". A link for the event will be posted on our website this Tuesday and you can also find the event posted on our EPC Facebook group page.
- 4. The "Sunday Worship Guide" will be posted on our website on Saturday afternoons.
- 5. Be sure to find/follow/bookmark/subscribe to us on social media for updates, news and encouragement! You can find all of our links on the last page of the "Sunday Worship Guide".
- 6. If you are a first time visitor, welcome! Please go to our website, "epcministry", and hit the "Newcomer" button on the top-right of the homepage where you can share some contact information and we will send you a welcoming email with information about life at EPC. Thank you and welcome in God's love!

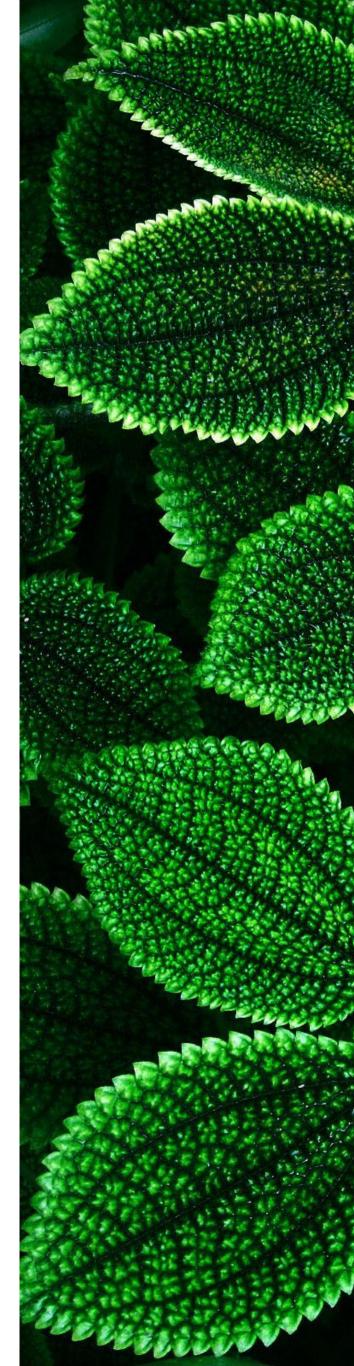
Sermon

Series: "Hope In the Storm A Gospel Centered Perseverance"

"Waiting In God's Word" Isaiah 8:11-22

Reflection Questions:

- 1. What are the primary influences on how you think, speak and act in life? Where does God's Word and wisdom fit into your what influences and guards you in authority?
- 2. Isaiah declares that he will wait on God and His Word even in the midst of the storm because He is faithful and will guide His people until the end. More than merely saying that we trust in God, what are some ways that we can grow in trusting and waiting in God's Word, even when it doesn't feel good and it is difficult to do so?
- 3. Why is it difficult for us to wait on God's Word and to obey Him? What does this reveal about where we place our trust and what we worship (or where we hold our worth)?
- 4. How can we model and season our lives with a habit of walking in God's Word with one another? In other words, how can we hold each other in loving accountability?





Song of Response

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Benediction:Pastor Paul Shim

Have a blessed week! We look forward to seeing you next Sunday.

Go in the peace of Jesus Christ!



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