WORSHIP OF THE LIVING GOD October 30, 2022

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

PreludeAs we quiet our hearts for worship, please silence all phones and electronic devices.

Welcome and Announcements Pastor John Batusic

The Song of AscentGod's people sang together as they gathered and traveled together up to Jerusalem to worship God.

Congregation Reformation Hymn

We will trust God's Word alone, where His perfect will is known; Our traditions shift like sand while His Truth forever stands.

We will live by faith alone, clothed in merit not our own; All we claim is Jesus Christ and His finished sacrifice.

Refrain: Glory be, glory be to God alone Through the church He redeemed and made His own. He has freed us, He will keep us till we're safely home Glory be, glory be to God alone!

We are saved by grace alone—undeserved, yet freely shown; No accomplishment on earth can achieve the second birth.

We will stand on Christ alone, the unyielding Cornerstone; Nations rage and devils roar, still he reigns forevermore! Copyright 2016 Sovereign Grace Music and ChurchWorksMedia.com ARR/UBP

ADORATION OF GOD Call to Worship:

[I]f we walk in the light as [God] himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin ... If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

-1 John 1:7, 9

Invocation

Declaration of Truth: Romans 4:3-9, 23-25

[W]hat does the Scripture say?

'Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness.'

Now to one who works, wages are not reckoned as a gift but as something due.

But to one who without works trusts him who justifies the ungodly, such faith is reckoned as righteousness.

So also David speaks of the blessedness of those to whom God reckons righteousness irrespective of works:

'Blessed are those whose iniquities are forgiven, and whose sins are covered; blessed is the one against whom the Lord will not reckon sin.'

... We say, 'Faith was reckoned to Abraham as righteousness.' ... Now the words, 'it was reckoned to him', were written not for his sake alone,

but for ours also. It will be reckoned to us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, who was handed over to death for our trespasses and was raised for our justification.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, Amen, Amen.

The Gloria Patri's first line was sung in the church as early as the 2nd century to affirm that God is Triune. The second line was added in the 4th century to emphasize the eternal Deity of Jesus, refuting the Arian heresy that Jesus was not eternally God

Hymn of Praise For All the Saints #358

{Please note: we recommend using the hymnal for this hymn}
For all the saints who from their labors rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Je—sus, be forever blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight; thou, in the dark—ness drear, their one true light. Alleluia!

O may thy soldiers faithful, true, and bold, fight as the saints who nobly fought of old, and win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia!

The golden evening brightens in the west; soon, soon to faith—ful warriors comes their rest; sweet is the calm of par—a—dise the blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day; the saints tri—umphant rise in bright array; the King of glor—y passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, through gates of pearl streams in the countless host, sing—ing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Alleluia! Alleluia!

CMPC Mission and Family Life

Mission Moment Operation Christmas Child Tricia Hunter

Pastoral Prayer

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

The Gift of Music Fairest Lord Jesus , We Love You Choir & Orchestra

Receiving God's Tithes and Our Offering

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.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:30PM

Join us tonight as Pastor John looks at Luke 9:51-62 and He Set His Face: Our Journey to the Cross in our series, Luke: Becoming Certain About the Story.

Hymn of Testimony A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

(Children ages three through 3rd grade may be escorted to Children's Church)

#92

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;

Our helper He, amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing:

For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe;
His craft and pow'r are great, and, armed with cruel hate,

On earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing, Were not the right Man on our side, the Man of God's own choosing: Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He; Lord Sabaoth, His Name, from age to age the same, And He must win the battle.

And though this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us, We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us; The Prince of Darkness grim, we tremble not for him; His rage we can endure, for lo, his doom is sure, One little word shall fell him.

That word above all earthly pow'rs, no thanks to them, abideth; The Spirit and the gifts are ours through Him Who with us sideth; Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also; The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still, His kingdom is forever.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD OF GOD

Reading of God's Word Psalm 32 pew Bible 462

All: The grass withers, the flowers fade, but the word of our God will stand forever.

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon Pastor Ben

OUR RESPONSE
Prayer of Application

Hymn of Response O Church Arise

O church, arise and put your armor on; Hear the call of Christ our captain; For now the weak can say that they are strong

In the strength that God has given.

With shield of faith and belt of truth We'll stand against the devil's lies; An army bold whose battle cry is "Love!" Reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul, But to rage against the captor; And with the sword that makes the wounded whole We will fight with faith and valor. When faced with trials on ev'ry side, We know the outcome is secure, And Christ will have the prize for which He died—An inheritance of nations.

Come, see the cross where love and mercy meet, As the Son of God is stricken; Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, For the Conqueror has risen! And as the stone is rolled away, And Christ emerges from the grave, This vict'ry march continues till the day Ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come, put strength in ev'ry stride, Give grace for ev'ry hurdle, That we may run with faith to win the prize Of a servant good and faithful. As saints of old still line the way, Retelling triumphs of His grace, We hear their calls and hunger for the day When, with Christ, we stand in glory. ©2005 Thankyou Music/Adm. by worshiptogether.com songs ARR/UBP ccli 184884

The Benediction and Threefold Amen

Serving Christ at CMPC October 30

Lock-up Andy Jobson and Michael Johnson

8:30am

Ushers Mark Lane, Bo Porter, John Kapustay, Jeff Eichler,

Morris Bingham, Doug Whitlock

Greeters Bob Bishop
Infants/Toddlers Susan Moore
Children's Church Becky Batusic

Junior Assistants

11am Ushers

Anthony Watkins, Ryan Watkins, Charles Scarborough,

Oscar Rodriguez

This Week at CMPC

Youth Group

Greeters Bob Bishop

Infants/Toddlers Katie Hammond and Linda Hutchinson

Children's Church Melissa Batusic

Junior Assistants Allie Batusic and Joshua Phillips

6:30pm

Today

Nursery Marie Tiano

THIS WEEK AL CIVIFC
Worship Services
Sunday School
Kids of the Kingdom
Sunday Evening Service
Wednesday Night Alive
Meal
Orchestra
Choir
WNA Classes
Nursery



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