

## WORSHIP OF THE LIVING GOD

JUNE 19, 2022

### GATHERING TO WORSHIP

#### Prelude

*Please silence all phones and electronic devices.*

#### Welcome and Announcements

### ADORATION OF GOD

#### Call to Worship:

To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. - Revelation 1.5b-6

#### Invocation

#### Declaration of Truth (unison):

Revelation 1.7-8

Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."

#### Hymn of Praise

*Come, Behold the Wonderous Mystery*

Come behold the wondrous mystery In the dawning of the King  
He the theme of heaven's praises Robed in frail humanity  
In our longing, in our darkness Now the light of life has come  
Look to Christ, who condescended Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous mystery He the perfect Son of Man  
In His living, in His suffering Never trace nor stain of sin  
See the true and better Adam Come to save the hell-bound man  
Christ the great and sure fulfillment Of the law; in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous mystery Christ the Lord upon the tree  
In the stead of ruined sinners Hangs the Lamb in victory  
See the price of our redemption See the Father's plan unfold  
Bringing many sons to glory Grace unmeasured, love untold

Come behold the wondrous mystery Slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain Him Praise the Lord; He is alive!  
What a foretaste of deliverance How unwavering our hope  
Christ in power resurrected As we will be when he comes  
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### CMPC MISSION AND FAMILY LIFE

#### Mission Moment

*Commissioning VBS Team*

### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

#### Gift of Music

*Children's Songs*

Orchestra

#### Receiving God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*The Doxology and Prayer*

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.

#### Hymn of Testimony

*Fairest Lord Jesus*

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*(Children ages 3 thru 3rd grade may be escorted to Children's Church)*

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature,  
Son of God and Son of Man,  
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor,  
thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fair are the woodlands,  
robed in the blooming garb of spring:  
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer  
who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fair is the moonlight,  
and all the twinkling starry host;  
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer  
than all the angels heav'n can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations!  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor, praise, adoration,  
now and forevermore be thine.

### THE WORD AND THE SACRAMENT

#### Reading of God's Word

Daniel 7.1-14

Pew Bible, p. 744

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

#### Prayer of Illumination

#### Sermon

*Daniel's Take on Revelation 4-5*

Pastor John

*Series-- Revelation: Strength for Today, Hope for Tomorrow*

**The Invitation to the Lord's Table:** Those who have not yet come to the place in their lives of trusting Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord are requested to let the elements pass. Please use this time to read Isaiah 53 (p. 613 in the Pew Bible) and I Corinthians 1.18-25 (p. 952), asking God to show you the glory of His Son Jesus Christ. If you are unsure about your relationship with Christ, please see a member of the pastoral staff or one of the elders after the service.

#### Confession of Sin and Assurance of Forgiveness

#### Hymn of Preparation

*How Deep the Father's Love*

How deep the Father's love for us, How vast beyond all measure,  
That He should give His only Son To make a wretch His treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss - The Father turns His face away,  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the man upon a cross, My sin upon His shoulders;  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice Call out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held Him there Until it was accomplished;  
His dying breath has brought me life - I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, No gifts, no power, no wisdom;  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer;  
But this I know with all my heart - His wounds have paid my ransom.

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**Receiving the Bread and Cup:** For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes. —I Corinthians 11.26

*Please note: the bread today is gluten-free. Also, our custom is that we take each element in unison after everyone has been served.*

### OUR RESPONSE

#### Hymn of Celebration

*My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less*

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My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness.  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,  
But wholly lean on Jesus' Name.

Refrain: *On Christ the solid Rock I stand,  
All other ground is sinking sand;  
All other ground is sinking sand.*

When darkness veils his lovely His face,  
I rest on His unchanging grace.  
In every high and stormy gale,  
My anchor holds within the veil.

His oath, His covenant, His blood,  
Support me in the whelming flood.  
When all around my soul gives way,  
He then is all my Hope and Stay.

When He shall come with trumpet sound,  
Oh may I then in Him be found.  
Dressed in His righteousness alone,  
Faultless to stand before the throne.

**Word and Deed Offering:** Today's word and deed offering will be used to meet the needs of people in and around our community.

#### Declaration of Hope (Unison)

Revelation 7.9-10

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

#### Hymn of Parting

*This is My Father's World*

This is my Father's world. O let me ne'er forget  
that though the wrong seems oft so strong,  
God is the ruler yet.

This is my Father's world: the battle is not done'  
Jesus who died shall be satisfied,  
And earth and heav'n be one.

#### The Benediction and Three-fold Amen

#### VBS 2022 Kickoff Concert and Cookout, TONIGHT!

Join us for a fun evening of music, fun, food and fellowship as we kick off our biggest children's outreach of the year! We will be starting at 4 near the Fellowship Hall; the Concert begins 5:30 in the CLC.

Serving Christ at CMPC June 19, 2022



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**Local Ministries**

Adults Protecting Children • Center Point • Choices Pregnancy Care Center • Eagle Ranch  
 Frontline Response (Out of Darkness) • Gateway House • Good News at Noon  
 Sacred Roots Farm • Young Life

Lock-up	Dennis Swinehart and Jake Braselton
<b>8:30am</b>	
Ushers	Dean Warnock, Don Shanks, Chuck Eidson, Eric Tucker, Marty Moore
Greeters	
Infants/Toddlers	Marie Tiano
Children's Church	Becky Batusic
Junior Assistants	
<b>11am</b>	
Ushers	Steve Saville, Richard Conley, Ryan Conley, Michael Johnson, Sawyer Johnson, Edd Price
Greeters	Bob Bishop
Infants/Toddlers	Katie Hammond and Rebecca Phillips
Children's Church	Sarah Beth Gossage
Junior Assistants	Lily and Hannah Prince
<b>6:30pm</b>	
Nursery	
<b>Today</b>	<b>This Week at CMPC</b>
8:30am, 11am	Worship Services
10am	Sunday School
5:30pm	VBS Concert and Kickoff
<b>Wednesday</b>	NO WNA



CMPC Sermon Notes ♦ **Series:** Revelation: Strength for Today, Hope for Tomorrow  
Text: Daniel 7.1-14 ♦ **Message:** Daniel's Take on Revelation 4-5

- Weeping
- Psalm 2: a synopsis of world history
- Daniel 7.13ff presents the same scene we see in Revelation 4&5

### **Daniel has a Dream, 7.1**

- Daniel's dream/vision: parallels with Nebuchadnezzar's dream in chapter 2
- Nebuchadnezzar's dream: magnificent statue about the wonder of earthly kingdoms with gold head representing Babylon, silver shoulders representing the Medes and Persians, bronze torso representing Greeks, and iron legs/iron and clay feet representing Rome, and a rock that knocked it down representing the kingdom of God.

### **Sin is Hideous, 7.2-8**

- The sea: chaos
- Four beasts- 4 kingdoms
  - Lion- Babylon
  - Bear- Medes/Persians
  - Leopard- Greece
  - Beast #4- Rome/Beyond?
- Daniel 2: how the world sees the world's kingdoms
- Daniel 7: how God sees the world's kingdoms twisted by sin /depravity
- Our view of the world: what do we see? Seek?

### **God is Glorious, 7.9-12**

- Grace: God changes what Daniel sees
- God enthroned
  - White robes- purity of God
  - Holiness and Majesty of God
- Court in session
  - Judgment of the beasts

### **The Son of Man, 7.13-14**

- A universal kingdom
- The Lamb who is slain, Revelation 5
- Our sin, His perfection
- Grace... amazing

### **So What About Us?**

- Appalled by our sin, amazed by his grace
- The price of our appalling sin