Mercy Presbyterian

ORDER OF WORSHIP SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

CALL TO WO	RSHIP Psalm 100
Leader:	Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!
People:	Serve the LORD with gladness!
Leader:	Come into his presence with singing!
People:	Know that the LORD, he is God!
Leader:	It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
People:	Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!
Leader:	Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever.
People:	And his faithfulness to all generations.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

HYMN OF PRAISE Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

1. Let us love and sing and wonder, Let us praise the Savior's name. He has hushed the law's loud thunder, He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame. He has washed us with His blood. He has washed us with His blood, He has washed us with His blood, He has brought us nigh to God.

2. Let us love the Lord who bought us, Pitied us when enemies. Called us by His grace and taught us, Gave us ears and gave us eyes. He has washed us with His blood, He has washed us with His blood. He has washed us with His blood, He presents our souls to God.

3. Let us sing though fierce temptation Author: John Newton; Music by Laura Taylor Threatens hard to bear us down. For the Lord our strong salvation Holds in view the conqueror's crown. He who washed us with His blood, He who washed us with His blood, He who washed us with His blood, Soon will bring us home to God.

4. Let us wonder grace and justice Join and point to mercy's store, When through grace in Christ our trust is, Justice smiles and asks no more. He who washed us with His blood. He who washed us with His blood, He who washed us with His blood, Has secured our way to God.

5. Let us praise and join the chorus Of the saints enthroned on high. Here they trusted Him before us Now their praises fill the sky. Thou hast washed us with Thy blood, Thou hast washed us with Thy blood, Thou hast washed us with Thy blood, Thou art worthy, Lamb of God.

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SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 10:14-15

I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep.

HYMN OF ASSURANCE

The Church's One Foundation

 The Church's one foundation Is Jesus Christ, her Lord.
 She is His new creation, By water and the Word.
 From heav'n He came and sought her To be His holy bride;
 With His own blood He bought her And for her life, He died.

2. Elect from ev'ry nation, Yet one o'er all the earth; Her charter of salvation, One Lord, one faith, one birth; One holy Name she blesses, Partakes one holy food; And to one hope she presses With ev'ry grace endued.

3. Mid toil and tribulation, And tumult of her war, She waits the consummation Of peace for evermore. Till with the vision glorious, Her longing eyes are blessed; And the great church victorious Shall be the church at rest.

4. Yet, she on earth hath union With God the Three in One; And mystic sweet communion With those whose rest is won. O happy ones and holy, Lord, give us grace that we, Like them, the meek and lowly, On high may dwell with Thee.

O happy ones and holy, Lord, give us grace that we, Like them, the meek and lowly, On high may dwell with Thee.

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PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 16:19-31

¹⁹ "There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. ²⁰ And at his gate was laid a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, ²¹ who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table. Moreover, even the dogs came and licked his sores. ²² The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's side. The rich man also died and was buried, ²³ and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. ²⁴ And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame.' ²⁵ But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner bad things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. ²⁶ And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' ²⁷ And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house— ²⁸ for I have five brothers—so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.²⁹ But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the Prophets; let them hear them.' ³⁰ And he said, 'No, father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' ³¹ He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead."

SERMON

"WARNING!" - Rev. Bryan Rigg

OFFERTORY SONG

Yet, Not I, But Through Christ in Me

1. What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer, There is no more for heaven now to give; He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom, My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace. To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus, For my life is wholly bound to his. Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing all is mine! Yet, not I, but through Christ in me.

2. The night is dark but I am not forsaken,
For by my side, the Savior he will stay;
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing,
For in my need his power is displayed.
To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me,
Through the deepest valley he will lead.
Oh, the night has been won and I shall overcome!
Yet, not I, but through Christ in me.

3. No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven; The future sure, the price- it has been paid; For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon And he was raised to overthrow the grave! To this I hold: my sin has been defeated; Jesus now and ever is my plea. Oh, the chains are released, I can sing I am free! Yet, not I, but through Christ in me.

4. With every breath I long to follow Jesus,
For he has said that he will bring me home;
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne.
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus,
All the glory evermore to him!
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat:
"Yet, not I, but through Christ in me."

When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat: "Yet, not I, but through Christ in me, Yet, not I, but through Christ in me."

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SONG OF RESPONSE

Cornerstone

1. My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus blood and righteousness; I dare not trust the sweetest frame, But wholly trust in Jesus name.

Chorus

Christ alone, Cornerstone; Weak made strong in the Savior's love; Through the storm He is Lord, Lord of all.

2. When darkness seems to hide His face, I rest on His unchanging grace; In every high and stormy gale, My anchor holds within the veil. Chorus

2. When He shall come with trumpet sound, Oh, may I then in Him be found; Dressed in His righteousness alone, Faultless stand before the throne. Chorus 2X

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BENEDICTION

DISMISSAL

Minister: Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

People: THANKS BE TO GOD!

POSTLUDE

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