

Morning Service of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude - Prepare Your Hearts for Worship

The prelude is a sacred curtain dropped between the world and our time of corporate worship. During this time, you are encouraged to pray silently, asking the Holy Spirit to enable you to cling to and delight yourself in Jesus Christ.

* The Living God Calls Us to Worship

- **IN SCRIPTURE:** *Psalm 95:1-7*

Pastor: Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of our salvation! Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise! For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In His hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are His also. The sea is His, for He made it, and His hands formed the dry land.

Congregation: Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our God, our Maker! For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand. Today, if you hear His voice, do not harden your hearts.

We Enter Into God's Presence

- *** IN PRAYER:** *Invocation and Lord's Prayer*
- *** WITH PRAISE:** #10 "O Woship the King!"
- **IN HUMBLE PRAYER:** Confession of Sin (Isaiah 6)
Congregation: Holy, holy, holy are You, LORD of hosts. The whole earth is full of Your glory. We come before Your throne, high and lifted up, and we are undone. Woe to us, O God. We are a people of unclean lips. We have spoken words that wound,

gossip that divides, and lies that destroy. We have grumbled and dishonored You. We have remained silent when we should have spoken. Our hearts are stained by sin, and we dwell in the midst of a people just as guilty as we are. Our eyes have seen Your holiness in Your Son and Your Word, yet we have turned away and lived for our own glory. We have no excuse and no defense before You. Our sin stands exposed in the light of Your blazing purity and holiness.
(silent prayer)

Leader: Lord, touch our unclean lips with the burning coal of Your mercy. Take away our guilt and atone for our sin. Cleanse us thoroughly. Create in us clean hearts and renew a right spirit within us. Make us a people who tremble at Your Word, who speak with purity, and who live for Your glory alone. We ask this not because we deserve it, but because of the atoning work of Jesus Christ, our Great High Priest, who was touched by our infirmities and bore our sins in His body on the tree.

God Responds with Grace

- **WITH ASSURANCE OF PARDON:** *Isaiah 6:6-7*

* We Respond to His Grace

- **IN PRAISE:** *Gloria Patri* (#622)
- **CONFESSING OUR FAITH:** *Apostles Creed* (#716)

God Speaks to Us

- **IN SCRIPTURE:** *Ezekiel 34*

We Worshipfully Respond to His Presence

- **IN GIVING:** *Tithes and Offerings*
- *** IN PRAISE:** *The Doxology* (#624)
- *** IN SONG:** "How Deep the Father's Love"
- **IN PRAYER:** *Pastoral Prayer*

God Feeds Us

- *** IN SCRIPTURE:** *1 Peter 5:1-4*
- **IN PREACHING:** "Shepherd the Flock"

We Respond in Commitment

- **IN PRAYER:** *Prayer of Response*
- *** IN SONG:** #462 "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

* God Blesses Us

- **BENEDICTION:** *Psalm 23*

Postlude

*God be with you till we meet again.
By His counsels guide, uphold you;
With His sheep securely fold you.
God be with you till we meet again.*

* The congregation is invited to stand

“How Deep the Father’s Love”

By Stuart Townend

Verse 1

*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.*

Verse 2

*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.*

Verse 3

*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.*

Announcements

- Nursery Volunteers – No Nursery on 5th Sunday
- Happy Birthday! Richard Steele (Thur)
- Happy Anniversary! Jerry and Helen (Sat)
- Home Group – Tonight we will meet at Opal Hunt’s home.
- Evening Service – June 7 & June 14: Psalm 21 and Psalm 22.
- Sabbatical – Rev. Justin Huston will fill the pulpit and serve Meadow Creek while Richard is away.

This Week

- Today, 5:00p – Home Group, Opal Hunt’s Home
- Tues, 6:30p – Session Meeting
- Wed, 7:00a – Men’s Study, Numark
- Wed, 6:30p – Food, Fellowship, Finnish RUF Missionary

Prayer Requests

- Health: Kari Crouch, Beth Robertson, Nathan Vaughan, Lori Kline, Cathy Pleasants, Irene Covington
- God’s Care and Provision: McGowan Family (new employment), Huston Family (fostering)
- Pregnancy: Kirsten Bledsoe and Jenesse Vaughan
- Repentance: Loved ones who have strayed
- Brent and Aniya Neas – Wisdom, Peace
- Kalissa – Saving faith
- Shut Ins: Dorothy, Kari
- Supported Ministry: The Gideons
- Church: Westminster PCA, Johnson City, Pastor Andy Wyatt
- Country: Repentance and Revival

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