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ADORATION



PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP | **Matt. 11:27-30, Jn. 16:31-33, Ps. 5:11, Jer. 32:17**

Jesus declared, “All things have been handed over to me by my Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”

O Lord, let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them ever sing for joy, and spread your protection over them, that those who love your name may exult in you.

Jesus answered them, “Do you now believe? Behold, the hour is coming, indeed it has come, when you will be scattered, each to his own home, and will leave me alone. Yet I am not alone, for the Father is with me. I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”

Ah, Lord God! It is you who have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and by your outstretched arm! Nothing is too hard for you.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

HYMN OF ADORATION

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

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Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits. Ps. 103:1, 2

1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
 2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so won - drous - ly
 3. Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy work and de -
 4. Praise to the Lord, who with mar - vel - ous wis - dom hath
 5. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -

a - tion! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy
 reign - eth, shel - ters thee un - der his wings, yea, so
 • fend thee! Sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy here
 made thee, decked thee with health, and with lov - ing hand
 dore him! All that hath life and breath, come now with

health and sal - va - tion! All ye who hear, now to his
 gent - ly sus - tain - eth! Hast thou not seen how thy de -
 • dai - ly at - tend thee; pon - der a - new what the Al -
 guid - ed and stayed thee. How oft in grief hath not he
 prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his

tem - ple draw near, join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion.
 sires e'er have been grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?
 • might - y will do, if with his love he be - friend thee.
 brought thee re - lief, spread - ing his wings to o'er - shade thee!
 peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for - e'er we a - dore him.

Based on Psalm 103
 Joachim Neander, 1680
 Tr. by Catherine Winkworth, 1863; alt. 1990

LOBE DEN HERREN 14.14.4.7.8.
 Stralsund Gesangbuch, 1665
 Arr. in Praxis Pietatis Melica, 1668

CONFESSION



CALL TO CONFESSION | **Psalm 38:1-4, 17-18, 21-22** and *prayer song*

O LORD, rebuke me not in your anger, nor discipline me in your wrath!
For your arrows have sunk into me, and your hand has come down on me.
There is no soundness in my flesh because of your indignation;
there is no health in my bones because of my sin.
For my iniquities have gone over my head; like a heavy burden, they are too heavy for me.

Create in me a clean heart, O God.
And renew a steadfast spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence, Lord.
Take not your Holy Spirit from me.

I am ready to fall, and my pain is ever before me.
I confess my iniquity; I am sorry for my sin.
Do not forsake me, O LORD!
O my God, be not far from me!
Make haste to help me, O Lord, my salvation!

Restore unto me the joy of your salvation
And uphold me with a willing spirit.
Cast me not away from your presence, Lord.
Take not your Holy Spirit from me.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | **Psalm 32:1-7**

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.
Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

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.

Therefore let everyone who is godly
offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found;
surely in the rush of great waters,
they shall not reach him.
You are a hiding place for me;
you preserve me from trouble;
you surround me with shouts of deliverance.

HYMN OF ASSURANCE

My Soul Finds Rest in God Alone

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1. My soul finds rest in God a - lone, my rock and my sal - va - tion
2. Find rest my soul in God a - lone a - mid the world's temp - ta - tions;
3. I'll set my gaze on God a - lone and trust in him com - plete - ly;



a for - tress strong a - gainst my foes, and I will not be shak - en.
when e - vil seeks to take a hold I'll cling to my sal - va - tion.
with ev - ery day pour out my soul and he will prove his mer - cy.



Though lips may bless and hearts may curse, and lies like ar - rows pierce me,
Though rich - es come and rich - es go, don't set your heart up - on them;
Though life is but a fleet - ing breath, a sigh too brief to mea - sure,



I'll fix my heart on right - eous - ness, I'll look to him who hears me.
the fields of hope in which I sow are har - ves - ted in heav - en.
my King has crushed the curse of death and I am his for - ev - er.



O praise him, hal - le - lu - jah, my de - light and my re - ward;



ev - er - last - ing, nev - er fail - ing, my Re - deem - er, my God.

FORMATION & COMMISSION



CATECHESIS | Heidelberg Catechism:

Q 1: Christian, what is your only hope in life and death?

A: **That I am not my own, but belong with body and soul,
both in life and in death, to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ.**

**He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood,
and has set me free from all the power of the devil.**

**He also preserves me in such a way
that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head;
indeed, all things must work together for my salvation.**

**Therefore, by his Holy Spirit he also assures me of eternal life
and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for him.**

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

READING OF THE WORD

Luke 15:3-32

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Thomas Ken, 1709 | Louis Bourgeon's Genevan Psalter, 1551

SERMON

The Humble Way Home

Rev. Eric Irwin

MEDITATION

ACCOUNT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER | **Matt. 26:20-29**

PRAYER FOR COMMUNION AND REUNION

Lord Jesus Christ, on the night on which you were betrayed, you prayed that we might be one, even as you and the Father are one. Though we cannot share in the loaf in which the many are one, there is nevertheless one Body and one Spirit – one Lord, one faith, one baptism – one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. We look forward to that day when you gather us again in full communion with one another, and until then we entrust ourselves to you. We pray this day of separation and waiting will lead soon to another day of fellowship and rejoicing. And we remember that here we have no lasting city, but we seek the city that is to come. For we ask it in Jesus' name, Amen.

SUNG RESPONSE

May the grace of Christ our Savior
And the Father's boundless love
With the Holy Spirit's favor
Rest upon us from above.

Thus may we abide in union
With each other and the Lord
And possess in sweet communion
Joys which earth cannot afford.

CLOSING HYMN

It Is Well with My Soul

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*The peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts
and your minds in Christ Jesus. Phil. 4:7*

1. When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way, when sor - rows like
2. Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, let this blest as -
3. My sin— O the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought!—my sin, not in
4. O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled

sea bil - lows roll; what - ev - er my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
sur - ance con - trol, that Christ has re - gard - ed my help - less es - tate,
part, but the whole, is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more;
back as a scroll, the trump shall re - sound and the Lord shall de - scend,

REFRAIN
"It is well, it is well with my soul."
and has shed his own blood for my soul. It is well
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! It is well
"E - ven so"— it is well with my soul.

with my soul; it is well, it is well with my soul.
with my soul;

Horatio G. Spafford, 1873

VILLE DU HAVRE 11.8.11.9.ref.
Philip P. Bliss, 1876

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BENEDICTION

SUNG RESPONSE

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.
Maltbie D. Babcock, 1901/CCLI#1095616.

POSTLUDE

Please stay tuned after the postlude for a video greeting.

CALENDAR & EVENTS

Details about events available at cpcissaquah.org

10:30a | Live-Stream Morning Worship

4:30p | Online Youth Group

VBS | June 22-26 | Register at <https://cpcissaquah.org/events/vbs/> | We are considering the possibility of holding VBS online | Volunteers needed | Contact austins@cpcissaquah.org

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

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