

For God, who said *"Let light shine out of darkness,"* has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. *2 Corinthians 4:6* 

# ADORATION

#### Prelude

CALL TO WORSHIP | **Psalm 105:1-6 & Psalm 43:3-4** Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples! Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works! Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice! Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually! Remember the wondrous works that he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he uttered, O offspring of Abraham, his servant, children of Jacob, his chosen ones!

> Send out your light and your truth; let them lead me; let them bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling! Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy, and I will praise you with the lyre, O God, my God.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

HYMN OF ADORATION To God Be the Glory

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All the people were praising God for what had happened. Acts 4:21



Fanny J. Crosby, 1875; alt. CCLI#1095616/20146299 TO GOD BE THE GLORY 11.11.11.11. Mod. William H. Doane, 1875

# CONFESSION



CONFESSION | 1 John 1:5-10 & Prayer

Lord, let your light, light of your face, shine on us. Lord, let your light, light of your face, shine on us. That we may be saved. That we may have light. To find our way in the darkest night. Let your light shine on us.

Lord Jesus, I am blind: be my light. I am ignorant: be my wisdom. I am self-willed: be my mind. Your cross was raised to be my refuge; your blood streamed forth to wash me clean; your death to give me a guarantee.

Lord, let your grace, grace from your hand, fall on us. Lord, let your grace, grace from your hand, fall on us. That we may be saved. That we may have light. To find our way in the darkest night. Let your grace fall on us.

I was a stranger, an outcast, a slave, and a rebel. But the power of the cross has made me pure, has softened my heart, has made me your Father's child, has admitted me into your family, has made me a joint heir with you.

Lord, let your love, love with no end, come over us. Lord, let your love, love with no end, come over us. That we may be saved. That we may have light. To find our way in the darkest night. Let your love come over us.

Together we are your beloved bride. O that we would love you as you love us. Help us walk in the power of the Spirit, whom you have given as a guarantee, so that we may reflect your image and bear witness of You to the world. Amen.

#### Assurance of Pardon | from 1 John 2 & 2 Corinthians 4

Beloved, if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world. Therefore, having this knowledge by the mercy of God, we do not lose heart. For God, who said "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

HYMN OF ASSURANCE

Arise, My Soul, Arise

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Charles Wesley (1742)

BAKER, Hauck (2020)



- 3. Five bleeding wounds he bears, Received on Calvary; They pour effectual prayers, They strongly plead for me.
  "Forgive him, O forgive," they cry, "Nor let that ransomed sinner die!" Arise, my soul, arise!
- 4. My God is reconciled; His pard'ning voice I hear; He owns me for his child, I can no longer fear; With confidence I now draw nigh, And "Father, Abba, Father!" cry. Arise, my soul, arise! Arise, my soul, arise!

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# FORMATION & COMMISSION



### CATECHESIS | New City Catechism

Q24: Why was it necessary for Christ, the Redeemer, to die?

A: Since death is the punishment for sin, Christ died willingly in our place to deliver us from the power and penalty of sin and bring us back to God. By his substitutionary atoning death, he alone redeems us from hell and gains for us forgiveness of sin, righteousness, and everlasting life.

Congregational Prayer

# Reading of the Word

# Luke 24:13-27

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!** 

## Doxology

I know that my redeemer lives, What joy this blest assurance gives! He lives, he lives who once was dead; He lives my everlasting head!

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. Samuel Medley & Thomas Ken | DUKE STREET, John Hatton

## Sermon

Believing is Seeing Rev. Eric Irwin

**TITHES & OFFERINGS** 

Celebration of the Lord's Supper Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

## BENEDICTION

Postlude



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## Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

He will be our guide even to the end. Ps. 48:14



Glory be to God the Father Glory be to God the Son Glory be to God the Spirit Great Jehovah, Three in One Glory, Glory, Glory, Glory, while eternal ages run While eternal ages run!

# **CALENDAR & EVENTS**

Details about events available at cpcissaquah.org

#### SUNDAY

9:00a | Morning Worship 11:00a | Morning Worship & Remote Worship

#### TUESDAY

7p | Youth Group

#### THURSDAY

7p | Selah Prayer Night

#### Baby Shower for Jillian Perkins | May1 | Saturday | 2p

Men's Ministry Breakfast | \* Date change: May 8 | Saturday | 8a

VBS | July 12-16 | 9a-12p | Register on our website VBS event page

#### MISSIONS SPOTLIGHT Sacred Road Ministries | Yakima Indian Reservation Chuck & Neena Clevenger *PRAY FOR:*

- The 12 students from first grade thru high school seniors that we host on Monday through Fridays to help with their online schooling.
- A couple of our students were victims of a shooting a couple of months ago. They are healing up and doing well, but we are hoping to find some counseling for them.
- Fishii is having a rough year at Indian Bible College, and I know she would appreciate everyone's prayers.
- Chuck's parents in Tennessee who are are having some health issues.
- Scholarship opportunities and a strong finish for Asha who is graduating from high school this Spring.
- That we will be able to meet together soon and regain the momentum we have lost.



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