



COVENANT

presbyterian church



LORD'S DAY WORSHIP
JANUARY 25, 2026

ADORATION



Prelude

Announcements

Call to Worship | Psalm 37:1-11

Leader:

Fret not yourself because of evildoers;
be not envious of wrongdoers!

People:

**For they will soon fade like the grass
and wither like the green herb.**

**Trust in the Lord, and do good;
dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness.**

**Delight yourself in the Lord,
and he will give you the desires of your heart.**

Leader:

Commit your way to the Lord;
trust in him, and he will act.

He will bring forth your righteousness as the light,
and your justice as the noonday.

Refrain from anger, and forsake wrath!

People:

**The meek shall inherit the land
and delight themselves in abundant peace.**

Hymn of Adoration

Page 3 | *Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim*

Prayer of Adoration

Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim (#12)

Exalt the Lord, His praise proclaim;
all ye His servants, praise His Name,
who in the Lord's house ever stand
and humbly serve at His command.

The Lord is good, His praise proclaim;
since it is pleasant, praise His Name.

His people for His own He takes
and His pecul'ar treasure makes.

I know the Lord is high in state,
above all gods our Lord is great;
the Lord performs what He decrees,
in heav'n and earth, in depths and seas.

He makes the vapors to ascend
in clouds from earth's remotest end.
The lightings flash at His command;
He holds the tempest in His hand.

Exalt the Lord, His praise proclaim;
all ye His servants praise His name,
who in the Lord's house ever stand
and humbly serve at His command.
Forever praise and bless His Name,
and in the church His praise proclaim

In Zion is His dwelling place;
praise ye the Lord, show forth His grace.

Text Source: Source: *Psalms of Grace* #135a | Tune: CREATION (Hayden)
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CONFESSiON

Confession of Sin | 1 John 5:18 & Prayer

Leader:

Little children, keep yourselves from idols.

People:

O God, you have rescued us from deepest darkness,
from the misery of sin,
from slavery to false gods and their cruel demands.
You have turned us from idols and their empty promises of
power, comfort, significance, and security.

We serve the living and true God,
but we confess that we often see you as a terrible slave master,
as if you only make demands of us,
as if you did not shed your blood to rescue us.
Our love often grows cold, and our worship stale.
We have many other loyalties that we honor before you,
many other loves we treasure above you.
Forgive us and restore us, oh God,
to treasure and glorify you above all.
Amen.

Assurance of Pardon | Galatians 3:13-14

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree”—so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

Hymn of Assurance

Page 5 | *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing (#457)

Come, thou fount of ev'ry blessing,
tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise.

Teach me some melodious sonnet,
sung by flaming tongues above;
praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer;
hither by thy help I'm come;
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wand'ring from the fold of God:
he, to rescue me from danger,
interposed his precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be;
let that grace now, like a fetter,
bind my wand'ring heart to thee.

Prone to wander – Lord, I feel it –
prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, O take and seal it,
seal it for thy courts above.

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FORMATION AND COMMISSION



Congregational Prayer | Tom Bilbro, Elder

Reading of the Word | 1 Samuel 17:1-11, 31-54

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen, amen.

#735 | 2nd-Century Traditional | Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

Sermon

Trusting in the Living God

Rev. Gavin Brand

Tithes & Offerings

The Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
 Maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
 who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
 and born of the virgin Mary,
 suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, dead, and buried;
 he descended into hell.**

The third day he rose again from the dead.

**He ascended into heaven
 and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.**

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Sursum Corda

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Give thanks to the Lord.

People: It is good and right to do so.

Doxology

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Cups in the outer ring contain grape juice; remaining cups contain wine.

The Lord's Supper and Closing Songs are on pages 8-10.

Benediction

Postlude

What Wondrous Love Is This

What wondrous love is this,
O my soul, O my soul,
what wondrous love is this, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this
that caused the Lord of bliss
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul!

To God and to the Lamb,
I will sing, I will sing,
to God and to the Lamb, I will sing;
to God and to the Lamb,
who is the great I AM,
while millions join the theme,
I will sing, I will sing,
While millions join the theme, I will sing!

And when from death I'm free,
I'll sing on, I'll sing on,
and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on;
and when death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be,
and through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,
and through eternity I'll sing on!

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
 This Cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
 My Comforter, my All in all,
here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh,
fullness of God in helpless babe!
 This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones he came to save.
 ‘Til on the cross as Jesus died,
the wrath of God was satisfied.
 For ev’ry sin on Him was laid:
here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world, by darkness slain;
Then, bursting forth in glorious day,
up from the grave He rose again!
 And as He stands in victory,
sin’s curse has lost its grip on me;
 For I am His and He is mine,
bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
this is the pow’r of Christ in me;
From life’s first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow’r of hell, no scheme of man,
can ever pluck me from His hand;
 Til He returns or calls me home,
here in the pow’r of Christ I’ll stand!

King of the Ages

Chorus:

King of the Ages, Almighty God,
Perfect love, ever just and true.
Who will not fear You and bring You praise?
All the Nations shall come to You.

Your ways of love have won my heart
and brought me joy unending;
Your saving pow'r at work in me,
bringing peace and the hope of glory.

Chorus

Your arms of love are reaching out
to ev'ry soul that seeks You;
Your light will shine in all the earth,
bringing grace and a great salvation.

Chorus

The day will come when You appear
and ev'ry eye shall see You;
Then we shall rise with hearts a blaze,
with a song we will sing forever!

Chorus

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CALENDAR & EVENTS

Details about events available at cpcissaquah.org

SUNDAY

9a - Sunday School

10:15a - Morning Worship

6p - Evening Prayer

UPCOMING EVENTS

Covenant Christian Middle School Winter Program

Tomorrow! Monday, January 26 | 6:30p

Annual Meeting | Sunday, February 1 | 6p

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