

OCTOBER 3, 2021

ALL HAVE SINNED AND FALL SHORT OF THE GLORY OF GOD

The Prelude

My Spirit Pants for Thee O Living Word

arr. S. Cook

The Call to Worship

Rev. Caleb Cangelosi

The Hymn of Praise No. 44

How Great Thou Art

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder consider all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, thy pow'r thro'out the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee: how great thou art, how great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee: how great thou art, how great thou art!

When thro' the woods and forest glades I wander and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees, when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, and hear the brook and feel the gently breeze; *Refrain*

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, that on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, he bled and died to take away my sin. *Refrain*

When Christ shall come with shout of acclimation and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, and there proclaim, my God, how great thou art. *Refrain*

Words by Stuart K. Hine, 1949, Swedish folk melody

The Invocation

Mr. Christian Brewer

The Scripture Reading

Psalm 19

The Offertory

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

Jesu, joy of man's desiring, holy wisdom, Love most bright; drawn by Thee, our souls aspiring, soar to uncreated light. Word of God our flesh that fashioned with the fire of life impassioned, striving still to Truth unknown, soaring, dying round Thy throne. From Cantata 147 by J.S. Bach, edited by Wallingford Riegger

Children in the 2-3 year old classes are dismissed to Church Time in the Nursery.

The Psalm of Confession

God Be Merciful to Me (Psalm 51)

God, be merciful to me, on Thy grace I rest my plea; Plenteous in compassion Thou, blot out my transgressions now; Wash me, make me pure within, cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.

My transgressions I confess, grief and guilt my soul oppress; I have sinned against Thy grace, and provoked Thee to Thy face; I confess Thy judgment just, speechless, I Thy mercy trust.

Broken, humbled to the dust, by Thy wrath and judgment just, let my contrite heart rejoice, and in gladness hear Thy voice; from my sins O hide Thy face, blot them out in boundless grace.

Gracious God, my heart renew, make my spirit right and true; Cast me not away from Thee, let Thy Spirit dwell in me; Thy salvation's joy impart, steadfast make my willing heart.

Sinners then shall learn from me, and return, O God, to Thee. Savior, all my guilt remove and my tongue shall sing Thy love. Touch my silent lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall praise accord.

Words from Scottish Psalter, music by Christopher Miner, ©1997 Christopher Miner Music

The Scripture Reading

Romans 1:18-32

The Sermon

Rev. Cangelosi

No Excuse

The Hymn of Preparation

Come, Ye Sinners

Come, ye sinners, poor and wretched, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity joined with power. He is able, He is able; He is willing doubt no more. He is able, He is able; He is willing doubt no more.

Come, ye needy, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify; true belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh. Without money, without money; come to Jesus Christ and buy. Without money, without money; come to Jesus Christ and buy.

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, bruised and broken by the fall; if you tarry 'til you're better, you will never come at all. Not the righteous, not the righteous-sinners Jesus came to call. Not the righteous, not the righteous-sinners Jesus came to call.

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; all the fitness he requireth is to feel your need of him; this he gives you, this he gives you; 'tis the Spirit's rising beam. This he gives you, this he gives you; 'tis the Spirit's rising beam.

Lo! th'incarnate God, ascended, pleads the merit of his blood; venture on him, venture wholly, let no other trust intrude: none but Jesus, none but Jesus can do helpless sinners good. None but Jesus, none but Jesus can do helpless sinners good.

Words by Joseph Hart, Traditional American melody

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Hymn of Response No. 247

O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

O sacred Head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down; now scornfully surrounded with thorns, thine only crown; O sacred Head, what glory, what bill till now was thine! Yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call thee mind.

What thou, my Lord, hast suffered was all for sinners' gain: mine, mine was the transgression, but thine the deadly pain. Lo, here I fall, my Savior! 'Tis I deserve thy place; look on me with thy favor, vouchsafe to me thy grace.

What language shall I borrow to thank thee, dearest Friend, for this, thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end? O make me thine forever; and should I fainting be, Lord, let me never, never outlive my love to thee.

Words by Bernard of Clairvaux, 1091-1153, music by Hans Leo Hassler, 1601 arr. by J. S. Bach, 1729

The Benediction

Rev. Cangelosi

The Postlude

The Strife is O'er

arr. A. Smith

EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 P. M.

We will worship our glorious God tonight as we sing, pray, and receive the word preached by Mr. Step Morgan. We are working through the Heidelberg Catechism on Sunday evenings. Tonight, we are on Heidelberg Catechism #54-56.

Psalm 22

God Never Leaves His People

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God
by Mike and Suzanne Eady.*

TO EVERYONE WHO VISITS WITH US THIS LORD'S DAY, we welcome you sincerely and from the heart. Grace to you and peace from God our Father through the Lord Jesus Christ.

LORD'S SUPPER THIS MORNING: We rejoice to gather around our Savior's table again this morning to commune with Him and one another! Paul writes, "Whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup" (I Corinthians 11:27-28). Examine yourself regarding your knowledge to discern the Lord's body, of your faith to feed upon Him, and of your repentance, love, and new obedience (Westminster Shorter Catechism #97).

COMMUNION WAFERS THAT ARE GLUTEN FREE for those with dietary restrictions are available during communion on the foyer display counter. Please reserve these communion elements for those who need them.

COVID UPDATE: At our September Session meeting the elders voted unanimously to make all adult, youth, and children's ministry events mask-optional, and to resume passing offering plates and celebrating the Lord's Supper. We will continue to have a mask-required 8:30 a.m. Sunday worship service in the Cafeteria.

MONTHLY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS: Today from 5:00-5:45 p.m., come join us in the Sanctuary to pray for our missionaries, church planters, ministry partners, and the progress of the gospel in our hearts and around the world. Pray that "the word of the Lord will spread rapidly and be glorified, just as it did also with [us]" (II Thessalonians 3:1)!

WEDNESDAY SENIOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY: Pastor Carl will begin teaching the Senior Adult Bible Study this Wednesday, October 6, at noon in the church parlor. He will be teaching through I and II Samuel. We will study Scripture, and close with a brief season of prayer and fellowship, always concluding by 1:00 p.m. We will meet every 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Wednesday of the month. We will not meet on 4th or 5th Wednesdays.

CALLING ALL CHRISTMAS SINGERS: This Wednesday, October 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the choir room we begin work on Christmas music. Please come join us!

ATTENTION LADIES: Our daytime, monthly, Lydia Circle will meet this Tuesday, October 5, at 10:00 a.m. in the parlor. Lunch Bunch will be going to McClain Lodge on October 19. We will meet in front of the church parlor at 10:45 a.m. Please let Mary Lou know by noon Monday, October 18, if you plan to ride so we can plan transportation. Please contact Mary Lou 601-506-1432 or williamheaney@att.net.

WEDNESDAY EVENING QUESTION & ANSWER FORUMS: You are invited to attend two Wednesday Evening Q & A Forums this semester, hosted by Dr. John Kwasny, in the sanctuary at 6:30 p.m. The first forum will be held this Wednesday, October 6, and the topic will be "Living for Christ in Today's Culture." The second forum will be held on Wednesday, November 10, and the topic will be "Raising Children to Live for Christ in Today's Culture." Please submit questions you would like answered or discussed to jkwasny@pearorchard.org. Men's and Women's Bible studies will not meet separately on these two evenings, but together in the sanctuary.

POPC FAMILY GAME NIGHT: On Friday, October 15, from 6:30-9:00 p.m., join us in the gym for family game night with your own games or enjoy the games that others bring. All ages are welcome, but childcare is not provided. Snacks are also welcome but not provided.

OCTOBER DINNER GROUPS ARE COMING SOON! Get to know fellow church members and visitors! Sign up for a Dinner Group taking place on Thursday, October 21, in homes in the metro area. Please register by Friday, October 15.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OUR 8TH ANNUAL CHURCH-WIDE FALL FELLOWSHIP! Come join us on Friday, October 29. Bring your own picnic to enjoy at 5:30 p.m., and games will begin at 6:00. Please contact Megan Adcock (meganadcock81@gmail.com) or Adelle Johnson (ajohnson@ccs.ms) if you would like to help with this event visit pearorchard.org/fall-fellowship.

TURKEY TOURNAMENT: On November 20 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. the POPC's men's ministry will host an ultimate frisbee tournament for the church and the community at Freedom Ridge Park in Ridgeland. Each team is guaranteed 3 games (up to 5 depending on the number of registered teams). The winning team will receive a trophy and each player on the winning team will receive a disc. Food will be provided by Broadstreet Bakery. To register, email John Perritt: jperritt@rym.org before November 1. Volunteers are needed/welcome and families are encouraged to drop by for food and fellowship.

MISSIONARY PARTNER OF THE WEEK:

Mission First, Jackson, MS

Mission First was started in 1999 as a ministry of First Baptist Jackson. Seeing the extreme need for the transformation of a community through the power of Jesus, the blighted Rosedown Apartments were turned into a community center housing a medical and dental clinic, a legal aid office, an educational facility, and a gym. Mission First is asking us to pray that God, in his timing, would provide them with a van, and bus drivers to transport the kids they serve. Regarding their elementary and Peyton House girls, and their guys' middle school programs, pray that doors would be opened for more students to attend these after school programs.

SESSION

Adam Adcock (2021)	Bob Austin (2025)	Neil Barnes (2024)
James Clark (2025)	Phil Ethridge (2023)	Bill Hatcliff (2021)
Ken Haynes (Stated Clerk)	Jack Haynie (2021)	Brad Ingram (2023)
John Kwasny (2025)	Eddie Moran (2021)	Steve Morris (2023)
Newell Simrall (2024)	John Slater (2023)	Ken Smith (2022)
Ben Sones (2022)	Craig Stockmeier (2022)	Rob Waltzer (2023)
Jonathan Werne (2025)	Tom Young (2025)	

DIACONATE

Tim Barnes (2023)	Peter Boswell (2024)	Mark Brown (2024)
Clinton Carraway (2024)	Allan Edgar (2023)	Tony Franklin (2024)
Jeff Gamblin (2024)	Michael Johnson (2022)	Walt Lucas (2023)
Jamie Murphy (2022)	Parker Reece (2023)	Austin Stewart (2022)
Madison Taylor (2024)	Glen Ulrich (2024)	Charlie Upton (2022)
John Wiggins (2024)		

