OCTOBER 30, 2022

GOD SHOWS HIS LOVE FOR US IN THAT WHILE WE WERE STILL SINNERS, CHRIST DIED FOR US

The Prelude arr. A. Page

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

The Call to Worship Rev. Christian Brewer

The Psalm of Praise Come, My Soul and Bless the Lord (Psalm 103)

Come, my soul, and bless the Lord, all within me bless his name! Come, my soul, and bless the Lord; and forget not all his grace: all your sins the Lord forgives, all your sicknesses he heals. He redeems you from the pit; his compassion he reveals.

As the heav'ns are high above all the earth which God has made, so to those who fear the Lord is his lovingkindness great. Far as east is from the west, he removes so far from us, in his great, abounding love, all our guilt and wickedness.

As a father shows his love unto all his children dear, so the Lord displays his love to those trusting him in fear. He remembers we are dust, and our feeble frame he knows. As for man, his days are like tender grass that quickly grows.

So man flourishes and thrives like a growing meadow flow'r. When the wind blows, it is gone, and its place is known no more. But the steadfast love of God, shown to those who fear his name, is from all eternity to eternity the same.

From Psalm 103, Fred and Ruth Coleman

The Invocation Rev. Dean Williams

The Confession of Faith

Belgic Confession, Article 20

We believe that God, who is perfectly merciful and just, sent His Son to assume that nature in which the disobedience was committed, to make satisfaction in the same and to bear the punishment of sin by His most bitter passion and death. God therefore manifested His justice against His Son when He laid our iniquities upon Him and poured forth His mercy and goodness on us, who were guilty and worthy of damnation, out of mere and perfect love, giving His Son unto death for us and raising Him for our justification, that through Him we might obtain immortality and life eternal.

The Song

It Was Finished upon That Cross

How I love the voice of Jesus on the cross of Calvary; He declares his work is finished; He has spoken this hope to me. Though the sun had ceased its shining –though the war appeared as lost, Christ had triumphed over evil; it was finished upon that Cross.

Now the curse, it has been broken; Jesus paid the price for me; full, the pardon he has offered, great, the welcome I receive. Boldly I approach the Father – clothed in Jesus' righteousness; there is no more guilt to carry; it was finished upon that cross.

Death was once my great opponent; fear once had a hold on me; but the Son who died to save us rose that we would be free indeed! Free from every plan of darkness – free to live and free to love; death is dead and Christ is risen! It was finished upon that cross.

Onward to eternal glory – to my Savior and my God. I rejoice in Jesus' victory; it was finished upon that cross. It was finished upon that cross.

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The Scripture Reading

2 Kings 6:8-19

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The Offertory

arr. A. Pote

The Lord is My Shepherd

Children ages 2-4 may come forward for the Children's Message. Afterward, those in the 2-3-year-old classes are dismissed to Church Time in the Nursery.

The Children's Message

Rev. Christian Brewer

The Song

He Will Hold Me Fast

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast. When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast. I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path, for my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast; for my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast.

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast. Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast. He'll not let my soul be lost, His promises shall last; bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast. Chorus

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast. Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast. Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast; till our faith is turned to sight when he comes as last. Chorus

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The Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dean Williams

The Scripture Reading

Romans 8:31-39 Page 944 The Sermon

Rev. Christian Brewer

Love is the Unfamiliar Name

The Hymn of Response No. 535

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!

The Benediction

Rev. Christian Brewer

The Postlude

arr. G. Young

A Mighty Fortress

EVENING WORSHIP JOINT PRESBYTERY REFORMATION DAY SERVICE 6:00 P. M.

Please join our Presbytery in a joint worship service at First Presbyterian Church in Jackson as we remember the faithfulness of God to restore the gospel of grace and pure worship to His church.

WELCOME VISITORS!

Grace to you and peace from God our Father through the Lord Jesus Christ. We pray the Word of God and the people of God will be an encouragement to you today.

• Scan the QR code to fill out our online information form

in the Parlor south of the Sanctuary, is also available.

- Visit our website to learn more about us: pearorchard.org.
- Make use of our Nursery for your children under 2. Our cry room, located
- Attend one of our Sunday School classes, 10:00-10:45 a.m. every Sunday morning. See the monitors for locations.
- Join us for Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. tonight.
- Check out our Wednesday Night Ministries. Dinner begins at 5:30 p.m., with ministry opportunities for all ages at 6:30 p.m.
- We have a thriving disability ministry (Sonbeams) that is here to serve all individuals and families touched by disability.

News in Brief

- Men, Join Us for a Book Study: On Mondays from 12:00-1:00 in the Church Parlor, Pastor Caleb will be leading a book study on J. C. Ryle's *Holiness*. You can buy or find the book free online. We will begin the study tomorrow, October 31.
- Sonbeams Night Out, 80's style: Friday, November 4, 6:30 -9:00 p.m. in POPC gym. Volunteers come at 5:55 for training. Contact Daphne at dclark@ccs.ms or 601-594-3743 for questions.

- Lord's Supper next Sunday Morning: Please prepare your heart this week for the celebration of the Lord's Supper, in obedience to 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).
- Monthly Prayer for Missions: Next Sunday from 5:00-5:45 p.m., 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.
- Operation Christmas Child National Collection Week: November 14-21. To volunteer at POPC's drop off location, please contact Jenny Murphy at 601-906-9776.
- Christmas Gifts for our Sonbeams Families: We have the opportunity to purchase gifts (Angel Tree style) for our 34 families touched by disability. Volunteer to purchase gifts and join us in delivering them on December 13, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Contact Daphne Clark at 601-594-3743 or dclark@ccs.ms for questions.

STAY CONNECTED

- Visit our website: <u>pearorchard.org</u>
- Make regular use of our church mobile app: Ministry One
 - o Info on its many uses: pearorchard.org/church-directory
- Follow our social media groups.
 - o Facebook.com/pearorchardPCA
 - o Instagram.com/pearorchard
 - Twitter.com/pearorchard
- Every Friday you can read our weekly email update, delivered straight to your inbox.
 - o Email Liz at <u>ltaylor@pearorchard.org</u> if you do not receive it.
- Ask for prayer: pray@pearorchard.org
- Learn more about Christ Covenant School, POPC's Pre-School through High School, at ccs.ms

MISSIONARY PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Ro Taylor

Reformed University Fellowship (RUF), Delta State

RUF campus ministers strive to serve in this unique stage of a student's life in the world they live in, exploring together how the Lordship of Christ informs every area of life. Ro asks that we pray for their weekly Large and Small Group bible studies, that they might have sustained energy as they engage in campus outreach, for their growth as a community centered on Jesus, and that God will bless their efforts to raise funds for the ministry.

UPCOMING MINISTRY EVENTS

| 10.31 | Mens Book Study begins – 12:00-1:00 p.m. – Church Parlor |
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| 11.4 | Sonbeams Night Out – 6:30-9:00 p.m. – Gym |
| 11.6 | Lord's Supper |
| 11.6 | Monthly Prayer for Missions — 5:00-5:45 p.m. — Sanctuary |
| 11.14 | Operation Christmas Child Collection Begins – Gym |
| 11.18 | Family Board Game Night - 6:30-9:00 p.m. – Gym |
| 12.1 | Comfort and Joy Christmas Celebration – $6:30 \text{ p.m.}$ – Gym |
| 12.13 | Sonbeams Christmas Deliveries - 5:30-7:30 p.m. – Gym |
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Ministers: The People of God Rev. Caleb Cangelosi – Senior Pastor Rev. Carl Kalberkamp, Jr. – Associate Pastor Rev. Dean Williams – Associate Pastor Rev. Christian Brewer – Assistant Pastor

Earl Adams - Congregational Care Assistant Ashley Benton - Associate Youth Director Daphne Clark - Sonbeams Director Susie Cook - Organist Heatherly Edgar - Financial Administrator Maggie Ethridge - Fellowship Director Rick Goodwin - Business Administrator

Rick Goodwin - Business Administrator Howard Graylin - Sound Team Leader Tammie Haynes - Women's Ministry Director Cathy Haynie - CCS Head of Schoo Adelle Johnson - Children's Ministry Assistant Jan Johnson - Nursery Coordinator
John Kwasny - Executive Ministry Director
Edwin Lewis - Facilities Maintenance Director
Chris Payne - Maintenance Technician
Seija Smith - Youth Ministry Intern
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Liz Taylor - Media Communication Manager
Madison Taylor - Worship Team Leader
Sam Thoman - Youth Ministry Intern
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