

APRIL 30, 2023

**THIS IS THE ONE TO WHOM GOD LOOKS:
HE WHO IS HUMBLE AND CONTRITE IN SPIRIT
AND TREMBLES AT HIS WORD**

The Prelude

Morning Song

arr. J. Dixon

The Call to Worship

Rev. Dean Williams

The Hymn of Praise No. 80

Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee

Lord, with glowing heart I'd praise thee for the bliss thy love bestows, for the pard'ning grace that saves me, and the peace that from it flows. Help, O God, my weak endeavor; this dull soul to rapture raise: thou must light the flame, or never can my love be warmed to praise.

Praise, my soul, the God that sought thee, wretch-ed wand'rer far astray; found thee, lost, and kindly brought thee from the paths of death away. Praise, with love's devoutest feeling, him who saw thy guilt-born fear, and, the light of hope revealing, bade the blood-stained cross appear.

Praise thy Savior God that drew thee to that cross, new life to give, held a blood-sealed pardon to thee, bade thee look to him and live. Praise the grace whose threats alarmed thee, roused thee from thy fatal ease; praise the grace whose promise warmed thee, praise the grace that whispered peace.

Lord, this bosom's ardent feeling vainly would my lips express: low before thy footstool kneeling, deign thy suppliant's pray'r to bless. Let thy love, my soul's chief treasure, love's pure flame within me raise; and, since words can never measure, let my life show forth thy praise.

Francis Scott Key, 1817, arr. Lowell Mason, 1839

The Invocation

Rev. Williams

The Confession of Faith

From Ephesians 2:12-14, 18-21

At one time we were separated from Christ, alienated from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus we who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. He Himself is our peace, and through Him we have access in one Spirit to the Father. We are no longer strangers and aliens, but are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus Himself being the cornerstone, in whom the whole structure, being joined together, is growing into a holy temple in the Lord.

The Song

Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor

Christ the sure and steady anchor in the fury of the storm, when the winds of doubt blow through me, when my sails have all been torn; in the suffering, in the sorrow, when my sinking hopes are few, I will hold fast to the anchor; it will never be removed.

Christ the sure and steady anchor while the tempest rages on, when temptation claims the battle and it seems the night has won, deeper still then goes the anchor though I justly stand accused; I will hold fast to the anchor, it shall never be removed.

Christ the sure and steady anchor through the floods of unbelief; hopeless somehow, O my soul now, lift your eyes to Calvary. This my ballast of assurance; see His love forever proved. I will hold fast to the anchor; it will never be removed.

Christ the sure and steady anchor as we face the wave of death; when these trials give way to glory, as we draw our final breath, we will cross that great horizon, clouds behind and life secure, and the calm will be the better for the storms that we endure.

Christ the shore of our salvation, ever faithful, ever true, I will hold fast to the anchor; it will never be removed.

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The Scripture Reading

Hebrews 3:1-4:2

The Offertory

Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

Holy Spirit, living Breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul; bring the presence of the Risen Lord to renew my heart and make me whole. Cause Your Word to come alive in me; give me faith for what I cannot see. Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within; may Your joy be seen in all I do. Love enough to cover every sin in each thought and deed and attitude. Kindness to the greatest and the least; gentleness that sows the path of peace; turn my striving into works of grace: breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made, show Your power once again on Earth, cause Your church to hunger for Your ways. Let the fragrance of our prayers arise; lead us on the road of sacrifice, that in unity the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to see.

Words and music by Keith Getty and Stuart Townend, arr. Lloyd Larson © 2006 Thankyou Music

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. Caleb Cangelosi

The Psalm No. 51

O Jehovah, Hear My Words (Psalm 5)

Stanzas 1-3

O Jehovah, hear my words, to my thoughts attentive be; hear my cry, my King, my God, I will make my prayer to thee With the morning light, O Lord, thou shalt hear my voice arise, and expectant I will bring prayer as morning sacrifice.

Thou, Jehovah, art a God who delightest not in sin; evil shall not dwell with thee, nor thy proud thy favor win. Evil-doers thou dost hate, lying tongues thou wilt defeat; God abhors the man who loves violence and base deceit

In the fulness of thy grace to thy house I will repair; bowing toward thy holy place, in thy fear to worship there. Lead me in thy righteousness, let my foes assail in vain; lest my feet be turned aside, make thy way before me plain.

The Psalter, 1912, music by Joseph Parry, 1879

The Intercessory Prayer

Ruling Elder Tom Young

The Scripture Reading

Romans 11:17-24

The Sermon

Rev. Cangelosi

Putting Down Presumption and Pride

The Hymn of Response

Lavish Love, Abundant Beauty

Lavish love, abundant beauty, gracious gifts for heart and hand, life that fills the soul and senses—all burst forth at your command. Lord, our Lord, Eternal Father, Great Creator, God and Friend, boundless pow'r gave full expression to your love which knows no end.

Who am I that You should love me, meet my ev'ry need from birth? Why invest yourself so fully in a creature made of earth? In your loving heart you planned me, fashioned me with greatest care; through my soul you breathed your Spirit, planted your own image there.

I am Yours, Eternal Father, all my body, mind and heart. Take and use me to your glory, form yourself in ev'ry part. Lord, your love brings joy and gladness flowing forth within my soul. May my very breath and being rise to you, their source and goal.

Peter Ellis, Rowland H. Pritchard

The Benediction

Rev. Cangelosi

The Postlude

Postlude on "Westminster Abbey"

arr. R. Wetzler

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God in loving memory of
Ellen T. Cosby by Leila and Nell Cosby.*

EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 P. M.

We will worship our glorious God tonight as we sing, pray, and receive the word preached by Rev. Earl Adams. We are reading through the book of Acts and working through the Westminster Larger Catechism on Sunday evenings. Tonight we are on Acts 9:20-43 and WLC #48-50.

The Con and the Covenant

Joshua 9

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.
- Visit our website to learn more about us: pearorchard.org.
- Make use of our Nursery for your children under 2. Our cry room, located in the Parlor south of the Sanctuary, is also available.
- 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.
- We have a thriving disability ministry (Sonbeams) that is here to serve all individuals and families touched by disability.



NEWS IN BRIEF

- **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 around the world.
- **Officer Nominations in April:** Today is the last day to nominate a man for the office of Elder or Deacon. Nomination forms are available in the sanctuary, or you can fill out a form online at pearorchard.org/church-forms.
- **Lydia Circle** will meet Tuesday, May 2, at 10:00 a.m. in the church Parlor. Please join us for a time of fellowship as we continue our study in John.
- **Sonbeams Night Out:** May 5, 6:30-9:00 p.m. Ballet Magnificat will dance for our Sonbeams Friends as we give respite to their caregivers. Team Access come at 5:00 p.m. for pizza and set up. All other volunteers come at 5:55 p.m. to the gym.
- **Bridal Shower for Kaylee Ricchetti, fiancé of Brady Swann:** Join us on Saturday, May 6 from 10 a.m.-noon in the Cafeteria.
- **Senior Recognition Sunday:** Please send name, school and degree to Anna at avinson@pearorchard.org if you or your child will be a 2023 graduate from high school, college or any post graduate program.
- **Sonbeams:** Help us collect individually packaged snacks for JAF family retreats this summer! Donation box on first floor of education building through May 28.

- **Christ Covenant School invites POPC families** to participate in summer camps this June and July. We are excited to offer 21 different camps this summer. Register today: summercamps.ccs.ms.
- **Become a POPC Neighborhood Outreach Team Member:** Our next planned event will be our annual 4th of July Community Fun & Picnic Day. We would love to have you join us, and/or assist us in planning and conducting this event. If interested, please contact Pastor Dean at 769-231-8176 or dean@pearorchard.org.

STAY CONNECTED

- Visit our website: pearorchard.org
- Make regular use of our church mobile app: **Ministry One**
 - Info on its many uses: pearorchard.org/church-directory
- Follow us on social media.
 - [Facebook.com/pearorchardPCA](https://www.facebook.com/pearorchardPCA)
 - [Instagram.com/pearorchard](https://www.instagram.com/pearorchard)
 - [Twitter.com/pearorchard](https://twitter.com/pearorchard)
- Every Friday you can read our weekly email update, delivered straight to your inbox.
 - Email Liz at ltaylor@pearorchard.org 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.

UPCOMING MINISTRY EVENTS

- 5.2 Lydia Circle – 10:00-11:30 a.m. – Parlor
- 5.3 6th Grade Parent Preview Night – 5:30-7:15 p.m. – Gym
- 5.5 Sonbeams Night Out – 6:30-9:00 p.m. – Gym
- 5.6 Bridal Shower for Kaylee Ricchetti –10:00 a.m.-noon – Cafeteria
- 5.19 Family Board Game Night – 7:00-9:30 p.m. – Gym
- 5.25 Church Offices Closed for Memorial Day

Ministers: The People of God
Rev. Caleb Cangelosi – Senior Pastor
Rev. Carl Kalberkamp, Jr. – Associate Pastor
Rev. Dean Williams – Associate Pastor

Earl Adams – Congregational Care Assistant
Megan Adcock – Children’s Ministry Coordinator
Ashley Benton – Youth Ministry Coordinator
Daphne Clark – Sonbeams Director
Susie Cook – Organist
Becca Davis – Music Ministry Intern
Heatherly Edgar – Financial Administrator
Tony Edwards – Maintenance Technician
Rick Goodwin – Business Administrator
Howard Graylin – Sound Team Leader
Margaret Harvey – Church Hostess
Tammie Haynes – Women’s Ministry Director

Cathy Haynie – CCS Head of School
Jan Johnson – Nursery Coordinator
John Kwasny – Executive Ministry Director
Edwin Lewis – Facilities Maintenance Director
Chris Payne – Maintenance Technician
Marcus Smith – Youth Ministry Intern
Seija Smith – Youth Ministry Intern
Margaret Sprow – Music Director
Liz Taylor – Media Communication Manager
Madison Taylor – Worship Team Leader
Sam Thoman – Interim Youth Director
Anna Vinson – Administrative Assistant



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to pursue transformation by truth and grace together
for the glory of Christ.*