



CHRIST_{THE} KING
— PRESBYTERIAN —

THE LORD'S DAY – OCTOBER 19, 2025

“The Lamb Has Overcome”

by Luke Morton

The Lamb has overcome

The Lamb has overcome

The battle's done

And the victory is won

For the Lamb has overcome

No grave could hold him down

No grave could hold him down

Up from the ground

He is risen was the sound

No grave could hold him down

At God's right hand is he

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Our Perfect Plea

How he lives to intercede

At God's right hand is he

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain

Glory be unto his name

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Glory be unto his name

The table now is spread

The table now is spread

The wine and bread

Broken body and blood shed

The table now is spread

The day is drawing near
The day is drawing near
He shall appear
And will wipe away each tear
The day is drawing near

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: *I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?*

People: My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

Leader: *The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand.*

People: The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.

Leader: *The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life!*

All: The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore!

PRAYER OF ADORATION

“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”

Words: *John Newton*

Arrangement: Joshua Bennetch

Glorious things of thee are spoken
Zion City of our God.
He whose word cannot be broken
Formed thee for his own abode.

On the Rock of Ages founded,
What can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
Thou may'st smile at all thy foes.

See, the streams of living waters,
Springing from eternal love,
Well supply thy sons and daughters,
And all fear of want remove.

Who can faint while such a river,
Ever flows thy thirst assuage?
Grace which like the Lord, the giver,
Never fails from age to age.

Blest inhabitants of Zion,
Washed in the Redeemer's blood;
Jesus whom their souls rely on,
Makes them kings and priests to God:

‘Tis his love his people raises,
Over self to reign as kings,
And as priests his solemn praises
Each for a thank offering brings.

Savior, if of Zion's city,
I, through grace, a member am,
Let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in thy name.

Fading is the worldling's pleasure,
All his boasted pomp and show;
Solid joys and lasting treasures
None but Zion's children know.

“No Night There”

by Hart P. Danks

In the land of fadeless day
Lies the city four-square;
It shall never pass away,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

All the gates of pearl are made,
In the city four-square;
All the streets with gold are laid,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

And the gates shall never close
To the city four-square;
There life's crystal river flows,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

There they need no sunshine bright,
In that city four-square;
For the Lamb is all the light,
And there is no night there.

God shall wipe away all tears;
There's no death, no pain, nor fears;
And they count not time by years,
For there is no night there

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 18:1-8

Reader: *This is the Word of the Lord!*

People: Thanks be to God!

CONFESSION OF SIN

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it; The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear this Good News:

Our God pardons iniquity and passes over transgression for those who remain faithful. He delights in steadfast love. His empathy for us is perfect; his compassion is our salvation. He has trod our iniquities underfoot, and cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.

“Nearer, My God, To Thee”

by Sarah Fuller Flower Adams

Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer to Thee
Even though it be a cross
That raiseth me

Still all my song shall be
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer to thee!

Though like a wanderer,
The sun gone down
Darkness be over me,
Furrows on my brow

Yet in my dreams I'd be
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer to thee

There let the way appear,
Steps unto heaven
All that Thou sendest me,
Mercy given

Angels to beckon me
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer to thee

Then with my waking thoughts
Bright with thy praise
Out of my stony griefs
Worship I'll raise

So by my woes to be
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer, my God, to thee
Nearer to thee

GREETING

Leader: *May the peace of Christ be with you!*

People: And also with you!

Leader: *Let us share His peace with one another.*

Children may leave for lesson (ages 4-6).

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

As the leader directs, the congregation is invited to pray for those for whom they are burdened.

Pray aloud and by name or silently if you prefer.

Our Father who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 40:34-38

Reader: *This is the Word of the Lord!*

People: Thanks be to God!

“What A Friend We Have In Jesus”

*by Charles Crozat Converse
and Joseph Medlicott Scriven*

What a friend we have in Jesus
All our sins and griefs to bear
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer

O what peace we often forfeit
O what needless pain we bear
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer

Have we trials and temptations
Is there trouble anywhere
We should never be discouraged
Take it to the Lord in prayer

Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share
Jesus knows our every weakness
Take it to the Lord in prayer

Are we weak and heavy laden
Cumbered with a load of care
Precious Savior still our refuge
Take it to the Lord in prayer

Do thy friends despise forsake thee
Take it to the Lord in prayer
In His arms He'll take and shield thee
Thou wilt find a solace there

Blessed Savior Thou hast promised
Thou wilt all our burdens bear
May we ever Lord be bringing
All to Thee in earnest prayer

Soon in glory bright unclouded
There will be no need for prayer
Rapture praise and endless worship
Will be our sweet portion there

CELEBRATING COMMUNION

Minister: *The peace of the Lord be always
with you.*

People: And also with you!

Minister: *Lift up your hearts!*

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Wine is in the outer circles of cups; the inner circle contains grape juice. Gluten-free bread is in its own tray.

As the usher directs, please come forward one row at a time to pick up your cups.

Please hold your elements until all are served so that we may all partake together, as one body.

“God and Man at Table are Sat Down”

by Robert Stamps

O, welcome all you noble saints of old,
As now before your very eyes unfold
The wonders all so long ago foretold.
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

Elders, martyrs, all are falling down;
Prophets, patriarchs are gathering round,
What angels longed to see now we have found.
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

Beggars, lame, and harlots also here;
Repentant publicans are drawing near;
Wayward ones come home without a fear.
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

Who is this who spreads the victory feast?
Who is this who makes our warring cease?
Jesus, Risen Savior, Prince of Peace.
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

Here He gives Himself to us as bread
Here as wine we drink the blood He shed
Born to die we eat and live instead
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

Worship in the presence of the Lord,
With joyful songs and hearts in one accord,
And let our Host at table be adored.
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

When at last this earth shall pass away,
When Jesus and his bride are one to stay,
The feast of love is just begun that day.
God and man at table are sat down.
God and man at table are sat down.

CELEBRATING COMMUNION

Announcements

Benediction

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen. (4x)



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