



CHRIST THE KING
— PRESBYTERIAN —

THE LORD'S DAY – NOVEMBER 5, 2023

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CALL TO WORSHIP - From Psalm 134 and 1 Peter 2:9

Leader: *Come, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord, who stand by night in the house of the Lord!*

People: Lift up your hands to the holy place and bless the Lord!

Leader: *You are a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession*

People: that we may proclaim the excellencies of him who called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Leader: *May the Lord bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!*

“Warrior”

by Kemper Crabb

The Lord is a warrior
The Lord is mighty in battle
The Lord is a warrior
The Lord of hosts is He

My Lord is a fortress
He is a Sun and a Shield
The Lord is a Deliverer
To those who put their trust in Him

The Lord is a warrior
The Lord is mighty in battle
The Lord is a warrior
The Lord of hosts is He

He gives strength unto His people
He guards His own with His Right Hand
The Angel of the Lord camps
around the ones who fear Him
And delivers them

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“The Church’s One Foundation”

Words: Samuel J. Sloan

Music: “Aurelia” by Samuel Wesley

The church's one Foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is His new creation,
By water and the Word.

From heaven He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

Elect from every nation,
Yet one over all the earth,
Her charter of salvation,
One Lord, one faith, one birth.

One holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore oppressed,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distressed,

Yet saints their watch are keeping;
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

The church shall never perish,
Her dear Lord to defend
To guide, sustain, and cherish,
Is with her to the end.

Though there be those that hate her,
And false sons in her pale
Against a foe or traitor,
She ever shall prevail.

'Mid toil and tribulation,
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation
Of peace for evermore;

'Til with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great church victorious
Shall be the church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.

O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace that we,
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with Thee.

PRAYER OF ADORATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 11:29-40

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

People: Thanks be to God!

CONFESSION OF SIN

O most great, most just and gracious God; you are of purer eyes than to behold iniquity; but you have promised mercy through Jesus Christ to all who repent and believe in him. Therefore, we confess that we are sinful by nature and that we have all sinned and come short of the glory of God.

We have neglected your holy worship and slighted your holy name. We have dealt unjustly and uncharitably with our neighbors. We have not sought first your kingdom and righteousness. We have not been content with our daily bread.

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father! We confess that you alone are our hope. Through Christ, Our Lord, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Minister: *Our help is in the name of the Lord,*

People: The maker of heaven and earth!

Minister: *O Lord, open our lips,*

People: And our mouths will declare Your
praise!

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.

“Be Thou My Vision”

*by Eleanor Henrietta Hull
and Mary Elizabeth Byrne*

Be Thou my vision
O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me
Save that Thou art

Thou my best thought
By day or by night
Waking or sleeping
Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom
Be Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee
And Thou with me Lord

Thou my great Father
I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling
And I with Thee one

Be Thou my shield
And my sword for the fight
Be Thou my dignity
Be Thou my might

Thou my soul's shelter
And Thou my high tower
Raise Thou me heavenward
O power of my power

Riches I heed not
Nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance
Now and always

Thou and Thou only
Be first in my heart
High King of heaven
My treasure Thou art

High King of heaven
When victory is won
May I reach heaven's joys
O bright heaven's Sun

Heart of my own heart
Whatever befall
Still be my vision
O Ruler of all

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

Psalm 125

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

People: Thanks be to God!

“The Solid Rock”

*by Doug Holck, Edward Mote,
and William Batchelder Bradbury*

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly lean on Jesus' name

On Christ the solid Rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

When darkness veils His lovely face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil

On Christ the solid Rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

His oath His covenant His blood
Support me in the whelming flood
When all around my soul gives way
He then is all my hope and stay

On Christ the solid Rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

When He shall come with trumpet sound

O may I then in Him be found

Dressed in His righteousness alone

Faultless to stand before the throne

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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.

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

by John Hughes, Peter Williams, and William Williams

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,
Pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but Thou art mighty,
Hold me with Thy powerful hand.

Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven,
Feed me till I want no more;
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through.

Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
Be Thou still my Strength and Shield;
Be Thou still my Strength and Shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death and hell's Destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side.

Songs of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to Thee;
I will ever give to Thee.

CELEBRATING COMMUNION

THE SENDING - From Psalm 134

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