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Gospel Centered
CHRIST EXALTING

The Lord's Day
February 7, 2021

Covenant's Mission Statement
Covenant seeks to glorify God by
Establishing Disciples biblically,
Engaging Culture redemptively,
Expanding Christ's Church faithfully.

Covenant's Values
Covenant is *biblical* by affirming the Bible as the
authoritative Word of God,
connectional by affiliating with the Presbyterian Church
in America (PCA),
confessional by adhering to the Westminster Standards,
missional by seeking to spread the Gospel worldwide, and
relational by encouraging families to build community.

“So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.”

Romans 9:10-17

Prelude

**During the prelude selection, prepare for worship
by reflecting on Romans 10:17 printed above.**

Life of the Church

Call to Worship

1 Peter 2:3-5

3 if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.

*4 As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen
and precious,*

*5 you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a
holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.*

Invocation

Hymn

“Arise, O God, and Shine”

(sheet music pg. 8)

Arise, O God, and shine in all Thy saving might,
And prosper each design to spread Thy glorious light;
Let healing streams of mercy flow
that all the earth Thy truth may know.

Bring distant nations near to sing Thy glorious praise;
Let every people hear and learn Thy holy ways.
Reign, mighty God, assert Thy cause,
and govern by Thy righteous laws.

Put forth Thy glorious power, that everyone may see
And earth present her store, in converts born to Thee.
God, our own God, His Church will bless,
And fill the world with righteousness.

To God, the only Wise, the one immortal King,
Let hallelujahs rise, from every living thing;
Let all that breathe, on every coast,
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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- ¹ *Awake, awake, put on your strength, O Zion; put on your beautiful garments, O Jerusalem, the holy city; for there shall no more come into you the uncircumcised and the unclean.*
- ² *Shake yourself from the dust and arise; be seated, O Jerusalem; loose the bonds from your neck, O captive daughter of Zion.*
- ³ *For thus says the LORD: “You were sold for nothing, and you shall be redeemed without money.”*
- ⁴ *For thus says the Lord GOD: “My people went down at the first into Egypt to sojourn there, and the Assyrian oppressed them for nothing.*
- ⁵ *Now therefore what have I here,” declares the LORD, “seeing that my people are taken away for nothing? Their rulers wail,” declares the LORD, “and continually all the day my name is despised.*
- ⁶ *Therefore my people shall know my name. Therefore in that day they shall know that it is I who speak; here I am.”*
- ⁷ *How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news, who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, “Your God reigns.”*
- ⁸ *The voice of your watchmen—they lift up their voice; together they sing for joy; for eye to eye they see the return of the LORD to Zion.*
- ⁹ *Break forth together into singing, you waste places of Jerusalem, for the LORD has comforted his people; he has redeemed Jerusalem.*
- ¹⁰ *The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.*
- ¹¹ *Depart, depart, go out from there; touch no unclean thing; go out from the midst of her; purify yourselves, you who bear the vessels of the LORD.*
- ¹² *For you shall not go out in haste, and you shall not go in flight, for the LORD will go before you, and the God of Israel will be your rear guard.*

Corporate Profession of Faith

We believe there is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to God's purpose.

We are convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Jeff Rooker, Deacon

Hymn

"I Have a Shelter"

I have a shelter in the storm when troubles pour upon me;
Though fears are rising like a flood my soul can rest securely.
O Jesus, I will hide in You my place of peace and solace;
No trial is deeper than Your love that comforts all my sorrows.

I have a shelter in the storm when all my sins accuse me;
Though justice charges me with guilt Your grace will not refuse me.
O Jesus, I will hide in You who bore my condemnation;
I find my refuge in Your wounds for there I find salvation.

I have a shelter in the storm when constant winds would break me;
For in my weakness, I have learned Your strength will not forsake me.
O Jesus, I will hide in You the One who bears my burdens;
With faithful hands that cannot fail You'll bring me home to heaven.

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Corporate Confession of Sin

Our Father in heaven, we confess that we have not honored Your name; we have not sought Your kingdom first; we have not done Your will. We have made idols of possessions and people and used Your name for causes that are not consistent with You and Your purposes.

Forgive us, O God, for the many ways we fall short of Your glory. Help us to learn to live together according to Your ways through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 53:4-6

4 Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

5 But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.

6 All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned - every one - to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Hymn

“All I Have Is Christ”

(sheet music pg. 9)

I once was lost in darkest night yet thought I knew the way;
the sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave.

I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will
and if You had not loved me first I would refuse You still.
Hallelujah! All I have is Christ: Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

But as I ran my hell bound race, indiff'rent to the cost
You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross;
and I beheld God's love displayed, You suffered in my place,
You bore the wrath reserved for me, now all I know is You.
Hallelujah! All I have is Christ: Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

Now Lord I would be Yours alone and live so all might see
the strength to follow Your commands could never come from me.

O Father use my ransomed life in any way You choose
and let my song forever be my only boast is You.
Hallelujah! All I have is Christ: Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

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Scripture

Romans 10:13-17

13 For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

14 How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching?

15 And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!”

16 But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, “Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?”

17 So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

Hymn

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

(stanzas 1-3)

O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of His grace.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad, the honors of Thy Name.

Jesus, the Name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life, and health, and peace.

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The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

(stanzas 4-6)

He breaks the pow'r of reigning sin, He sets the pris'ner free;
His blood can make the foulest clean, His blood availed for me.

He speaks and, list'ning to His voice, new life the dead receive;
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice; the humble poor believe.

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, your loosen'd tongues emply;
ye blind, behold your Savior come; and leap, ye lame, for joy.

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Scriptural Benediction

Postlude

Sermon Outline

“Saved to the Uttermost: the Outward Call”
Romans 10:13-17

I. The Called.

II. The Calling.

III. The Callers.

"Arise, O God and Shine"

Words by William Hurn
Music by Chris Miner

1. Arise, O God, and shine
 2. Bring distant nations near
 3. Put forth Thy glorious pow'r,
 4. To God, the on-ly Wise,

in all Thy sav- ing might, And
 to sing Thy glo- rious - - - praise; Let
 that eve- ry - one may see And
 the one im - mor - tal King, Let

pros- per- ity each de- sign
 eve- ry peo- ple hear
 earth- pres- ent her store,
 hal- le- lu- jahs rise,

to spread Thy glo- rious light;
 and learn Thy ho- ly ways.
 in con- verts born to Thee.
 from eve- ry liv- ing thing;

Let heal- ing streams of mer- cy flow
 Reign, might- y God, as - sert Thy cause,
 God, our own God, His Church will bless,
 Let all that breathe, on eve- ry coast,

that all the earth Thy truth may know.
 and gov- ern by Thy right - eous laws.
 and fill the world with right - eous - - - ness.
 praise Fa- ther, Son, and Ho- ly Ghost.

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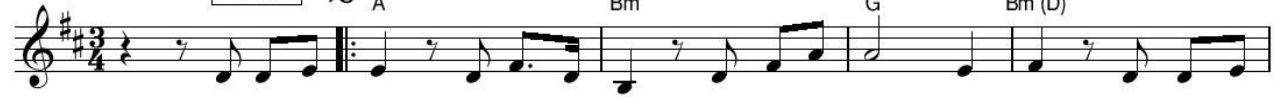
ALL I HAVE IS CHRIST

as performed by Paul Baloche

Music and Words by
Jordan Kauflin

♩ = 79

VERSE  A Bm G Bm (D)



1. I once was lost in dark - est night yet thought I knew the way; the sin that
ran my hell-bound race, in - dif - frent to the cost You looked up -
would be Yours a - lone and live so all might see the strength to

6  (alt chords vs 3) D D/F#




prom - ised joy and life had led me to the grave. I had no hope that You would
on my help-less state and led me to the cross; and I be - held God's love dis -
fol - low Your commands could nev - er come from me. O Fa - ther use my ran-somed

11 D G D Em D Bm D/F# G Bm




own a reb - el to Your will and if you had not loved me first I would ref - use You
played, You suf - fered in my place, You bore the wrath re - served for me, now all I know is
life in an - y way You choose and let my song for - ev - er be my on - ly boast is

17 1. A Bm D/F# G D/F# G A D 2.3. A



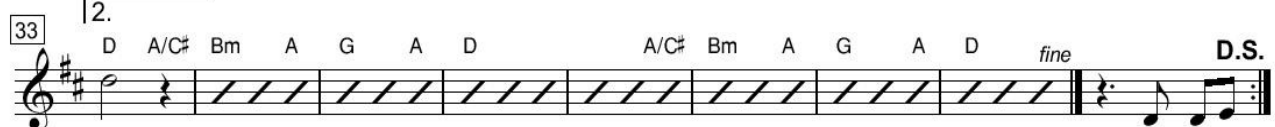
still. 2. But as I grace! Hal-le-
You. You.

CHORUS 25 G D A Bm G Bm A 1. D



lu - jah! All I have is Christ! Hal-le - lu - jah! Je-sus is my life! Hal-le -

33 2. D A/C# Bm A G A D A/C# Bm A G A D fine D.S.



life! 3. Now Lord I

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