



THE BOOK OF LUKE

July 20, 2025

Worshipping Together on the Lord's Day

Welcome -

We are so glad you are here, whether in person or online! If you have any questions about Grace, please do not hesitate to ask. Connection Cards are placed on the back of seats and on our web site to help us get to know you better and to answer any questions you might have.

For Children -

Bulletins & Children's Church: We have provided activity bags in the foyer complete with an age-appropriate sermon outline to help them follow along. Also, Children's Church is available during the worship service for kids age 3—1st grade. The worship leader will dismiss them at the appropriate time.

Nursery: Nursery is available throughout the worship time for children, birth through three years old, in the back of the building in room 114.

Extra Help for Parents -

Should you need to step out with your child, there is a nursing mothers room in the back of the building to the left. Audio of the service is available in the foyer.

Guiding People from Curious to Mission
through the Gospel and Community

Grace is a congregation of the
Presbyterian Church in America.

Meditation

"The blind beggar and Zacchaeus are paradigms of response to Jesus, whose mission is summed up as that of the shepherd who goes out to look for and rescue those who are lost."

- I HOWARD MARSHALL

These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, "Go nowhere among the Gentiles and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. And proclaim as you go, saying, 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.'"

- MATTHEW 10:5-7

Welcome

*Please silence your cell phones. Take a moment to fill out the **Connection Card** and place it in the offering box as you exit the sanctuary.*

Worship Leader: Sam Payne, Director of Youth Ministry/Pastoral Intern

Prayer of Invocation

Call to Worship[†]

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Congregational Song of Praise[†]

COME CHRISTIANS JOIN TO SING

1. Come, Chris - tians, join to sing; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
2. Come, lift your hearts on high: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
3. Praise yet our Christ a - gain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Loud praise to Christ, our King; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! Let all, with
Let prais - es fill the sky; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! He is our
Life shall not end the strain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! On heav - en's

heart and voice, be - fore His throne re - joice;
 Guide and Friend; To us He'll con - de - scend;
 bliss - ful shore His good - ness we'll a - dore;

Praise is His gra - cious choice: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 His love shall nev - er end: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 Sing - ing for - ev - er - more, "Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!"

PRAISE HIM PRAISE HIM

1. Praise Him! Praise Him! Je - sus, our bless - ed Re - deem - er! Sing, O
 2. Praise Him! Praise Him! Je - sus, our bless - ed Re - deem - er! For our
 3. Praise Him! Praise Him! Je - sus, our bless - ed Re - deem - er! Heav'n - ly

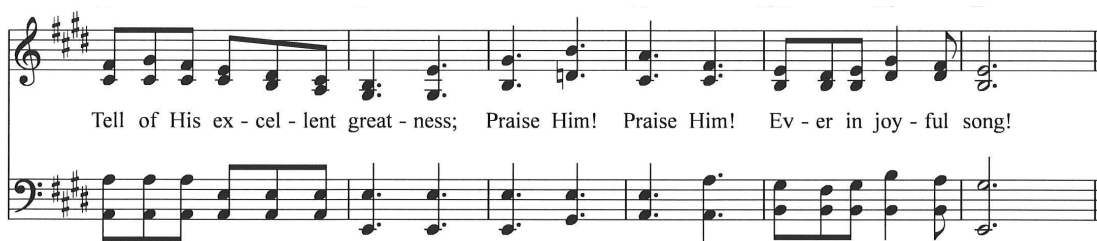
earth, His won - der - ful love pro - claim! Hail Him! Hail Him!
 sins He suf - fered, and bled, and died. He, our Rock, our
 por - tals loud with ho - san - nas ring! Je - sus, Sav - ior,

high - est arch - an - gels in glo - ry; Strength and hon - or give to His ho - ly
 hope of e - ter - nal sal - va - tion— Hail Him! Hail Him! Je - sus, the Cru - ci -
 reign - eth for - ev - er and ev - er. Crown Him! Crown Him! Proph - et and Priest, and

name! Like a shep - herd, Je - sus will guard His chil - dren; In His
 fied. Sound His prais - es! Je - sus, who bore our sor - rows; Love un -
 King! Christ is com - ing, o - ver the world vic - to - rious; Pow'r and

CHORUS

arms He car - ries them all day long. Praise Him! Praise Him!
 bound - ed, won - der - ful, deep, and strong!
 glo - ry un - to the Lord be - long!



Prayer of Adoration[†]

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 53:6

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way.

Corporate Confession

Almighty Father, we are amazed at your goodness and grace to us despite our failings, our irreverent attitude and our woeful laziness at following your commands. Father, forgive us for our many sins, our prideful hearts, our words said about others behind their backs, our slothfulness also. Help us to see our sin for what it is, a revolt against your majesty. Father, turn our entire self toward your Son, who willingly bore our sin upon the cross. Holy Spirit, work in our hearts a spirit of confession and repentance today. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

Silent Confession

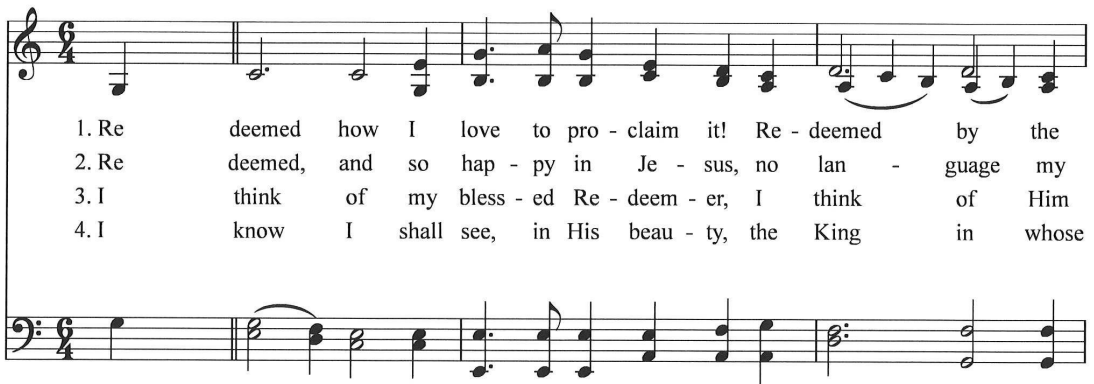
Assurance of God's Pardon

Isaiah 53:10-11

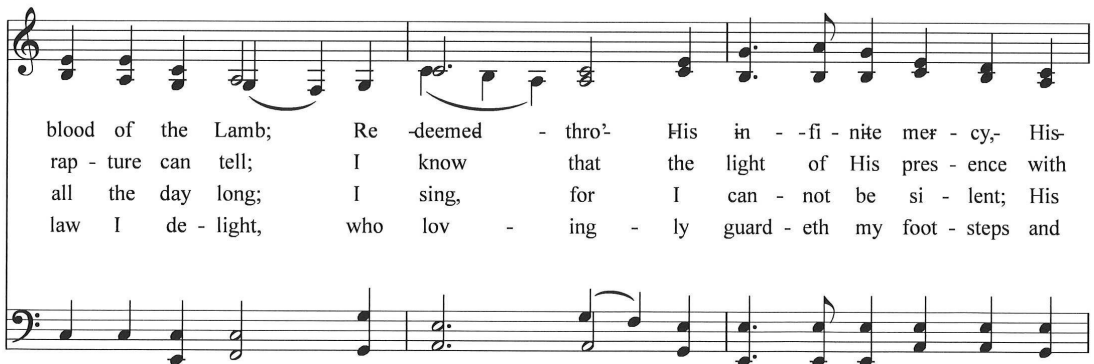
Yet it was the will of the Lord to crush him; he has put him to grief; when his soul makes an offering for guilt, he shall see his offspring; he shall prolong his days; the will of the Lord shall prosper in his hand. Out of the anguish of his soul he shall see and be satisfied; by his knowledge shall the righteous one, my servant, make many to be accounted righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities.

Song of Assurance[†]

REDEEMED



1. Re deemed how I love to pro - claim it! Re - deemed by the
2. Re deemed, and so hap - py in Je - sus, no lan - guage my
3. I think of my bless - ed Re - deem - er, I think of Him
4. I know I shall see, in His beau - ty, the King in whose



blood of the Lamb; Re - deemed - thro¹ - His in - fi - nite mer - cy, - His
rap - ture can tell; I know that the light of His pres - ence with
all the day long; I sing, for I can - not be si - lent; His
law I de - light, who lov - ing - ly guard - eth my foot - steps and

CHORUS

Dm7/F Am/G Dm9

F/E/C

C

F

Dm7

Em7

C

7



child, and for - ev - er I am.

Re - deemed,

re - deemed,

re -

me doth con - tin - ual - ly dwell.

love is the theme of my song.

giv - eth me songs in the night.



deemed by the blood of the Lamb;

Re - deemed, how

I love to pro - claim it! His



child

and

for -

ev -

er

I

am.

**Greeting Time[†]****Children's Church****Announcements**

Pastoral Prayer

Giving of Our Tithes & Offerings

You may give your offering by using the “give” button online at www.gracepca.net or those worshipping in person may give their gift in the offering box by the sanctuary exit to the foyer.

Offertory

TAKE TIME TO BE HOLY

1. Take time to be ho - ly, speak oft with thy Lord; A - bide in Him
2. Take time to be ho - ly, the world rush - es on; Spend much time in
3. Take time to be ho - ly, let Him be thy Guide, and run not be -
4. Take time to be ho - ly, be calm in thy soul- each tho't and each

al - ways and feed on His Word. Make friends with God's chil - dren,
se - cret with Je - sus a - lone. By look - ing to Je - sus,
fore Him, what - ev - er be - tide. In joy or in sor - row
mo - tive be - neath His con - trol. Thus led by His Spir - it

help those who are weak; For - get - ting in noth - ing His bless - ing to seek.
like Him thou shalt be; Thy friends in thy con - duct His like - ness shall see.
still fol - low thy Lord, and, look - ing to Je - sus, still trust in His Word.
to foun - tains of love, thou soon shall be fit - ted for ser - vice a - bove.

Sermon

CRYING OUT TO JESUS

Luke 18:31-43

Rev. Mike McLaughlin

The Lord's Supper

You will be dismissed by row in which you will walk to the front, pick up your cup/wafer, and take it back to your seat. Please hold on to your cup where you can dispose of it in the trash receptacles as you exit the sanctuary. Grace Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who are willing to forsake their sin and trust Jesus Christ for salvation, and who are members of congregations that proclaim the gospel, to receive Holy Communion with us.

Children should take the Communicant's Class and meet with the Elders before taking the Lord's Supper.

MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE

1. My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
 2. May Thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,
 3. While life's dark maze I tread and griefs a - round me spread,
 4. When ends life's tran - sient dream, when death's cold sul - len stream,

5 D A/E E A D

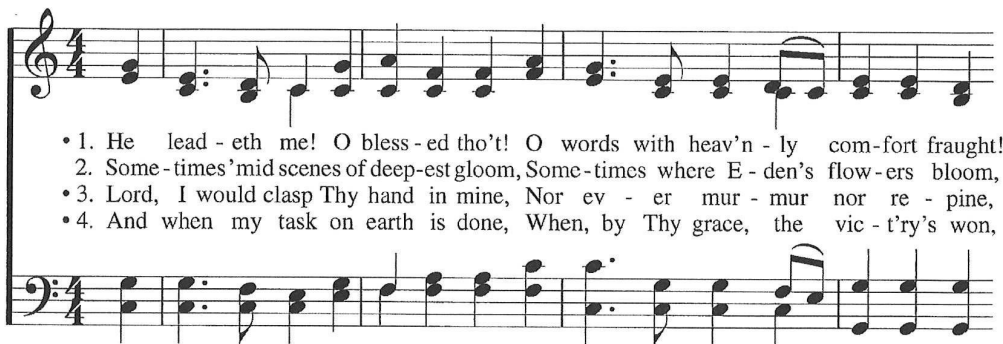
Sav - iour di - vine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my guilt a - way,
 my zeal in - spire; As Thou hast died for me, O may my love to Thee
 be Thou my guide; Bid dark - ness turn to day, wipe sor - row's tears a - way,
 shall o'er me roll, Blest Sav - iour, then, in love fear and dis - trust re - move,

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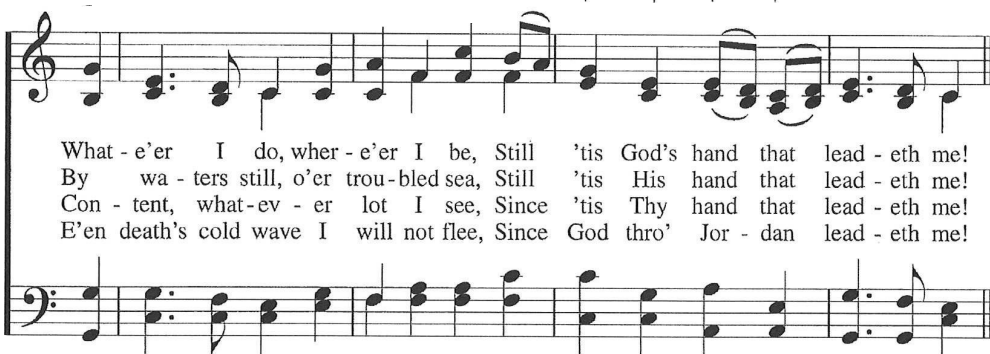
O let me from this day be whol - ly Thine!
 pure, warm, and change - less be, a liv - ing fire!
 nor let me ev - er stray from Thee a - side.
 O bear me safe a - bove, a ran - somed soul.

Song of Response[†]

HE LEADETH ME



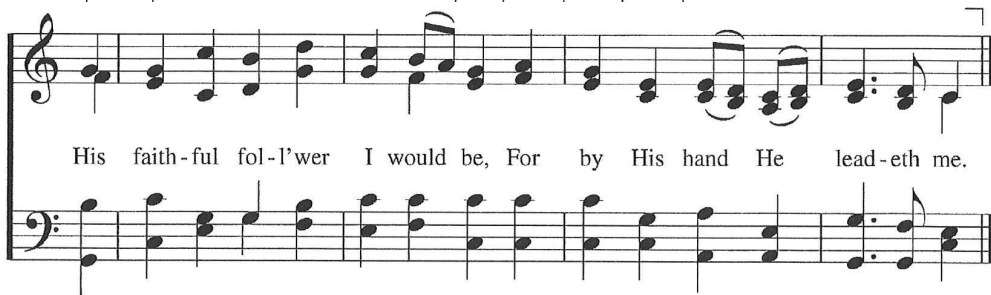
1. He lead - eth me! O bless - ed tho't! O words with heav'n - ly com - fort fraught!
2. Some - times 'mid scenes of deep - est gloom, Some - times where E - den's flow - ers bloom,
3. Lord, I would clasp Thy hand in mine, Nor ev - er mur - mur nor re - pine,
4. And when my task on earth is done, When, by Thy grace, the vic - t'ry's won,



What - e'er I do, wher - e'er I be, Still 'tis God's hand that lead - eth me!
By wa - ters still, o'er trou - bled sea, Still 'tis His hand that lead - eth me!
Con - tent, what - ev - er lot I see, Since 'tis Thy hand that lead - eth me!
E'en death's cold wave I will not flee, Since God thro' Jor - dan lead - eth me!



He lead - eth me, He lead - eth me, By His own hand He lead - eth me:



His faith - ful fol - l'wer I would be, For by His hand He lead - eth me.

Benediction[†]

FINANCIALS

2025 FINANCIAL SUMMARY	May
Budget	\$228,055
Received	\$203,125
Total	(\$24,930)

We have partnered with the **PCA Foundation** which will allow us to accept and manage charitable giving for those donating stocks, mutual funds, property, and other non-cash items. For more information, please contact finance@gracepca.net.

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We want to thank all of you who faithfully give to Grace! Many of you take advantage of our ACH and direct deposit service. This carries the smallest fee and is preferred. The fee for a credit card donation is significantly larger. If you are able to cover the fee, we would much appreciate it. If you have questions as to what the fees are or to set up direct deposit, please contact the office.

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