

WORSHIP THE LORD

APRIL 19 | 2020 WITH GLADNESS

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

Music for Meditation | Joanne Van Dyke (piano), Travis Koning (guitar)

The Lord Calls Us to Worship

Call to Worship | Psalm 62:7-8

On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God. Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us.

The Lord's Greeting | Romans 1:7

To all those who are loved by God and called to be saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Response of Praise and Prayer

Trinity Hymnal 62 | Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praises | Psalm 96 (verses 1-2, 5-6)

Prayer of Adoration

Trinity Hymnal 44 | How Great Thou Art (verses 1, 3-4)

Guide for Grateful Living

Call to Confession | Romans 12:1-18

I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; if service, in our serving; the one who teaches, in his teaching; the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness. Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be wise in your own sight. Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all. If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all.

Response in Prayer, Faith, and Gratitude

Prayer of Confession

Song | Good Shepherd of My Soul

Congregational Prayer

Tithes & Offerings followed by Prayer of Dedication | General Fund

Ministry of the Word

Scripture | Job 12

Sermon | “Suffering and Sovereignty” | Pastor Dale Van Dyke

Prayer of Application

We Respond in Faith

Song | Roman’s Doxology

The Lord’s Blessing

Benediction

Song | Blest Be the Lord

Silent Prayer | **Postlude**