

**MORNING WORSHIP CELEBRATION**

***The Lord's Day***

**July 3, 2022**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Welcome & Announcements: Elder, Russ Murray**

**Prelude: Mrs. Nancy King**

***Fairest Lord Jesus***

*Arranged by Carol Tornquist*

**Call to Worship: Psalm 148:1-4**

**The Invocation**

**Hymn of Praise 457**

***Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing***

Come, thou fount of ev'ry blessing,  
Tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
Sung by flaming tongues above;  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
Mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer;  
Hither by thy help I'm come;  
And I hope, by thy good pleasure,  
Safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
Wand'ring from the fold of God:  
He, to rescue me from danger,  
Interposed his precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be;  
Let that grace now, like a fetter,  
Bind my wand'ring heart to thee.  
Prone to wander – Lord, I feel it –  
Prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,  
Seal it for thy courts above.

## Confession of Sin:

### Need of Confession Psalm 130:1-3

*Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord! <sup>2</sup> O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! <sup>3</sup> If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?*

### Personal Confession of Sin

#### Corporate Confession of Sin (Unison)

**Almighty God, who does freely pardon all who repent and turn to Him, now fulfill in every contrite heart the promise of redeeming grace; forgiving all our sins, and cleansing us from an evil conscience; through the perfect sacrifice of Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen (*The Book of Common Worship, 1946*).**

#### Assurance of Pardon Psalm 130:4

*<sup>4</sup> But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.*

## Song of Praise

### *Lamb of God*

Your only Son, no sin to hide,  
But you have sent him from your side  
To walk upon this guilty sod,  
And to become the Lamb of God.

*(Chorus)*

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God;  
I love the holy Lamb of God.  
O wash me in his precious blood.  
My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Your gift of love they crucified,  
They laughed and scorned him as he died;  
The humble King they named a fraud,  
And sacrificed the Lamb of God.

*(Chorus)*

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God;  
I love the holy Lamb of God.  
O wash me in his precious blood.  
My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

I was so lost I should have died,  
But you have brought me to your side  
To be led by your staff and rod,  
And to be called a lamb of God.

*(Chorus)*

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God;

I love the holy Lamb of God.  
O wash me in his precious blood.  
Till I am just a lamb of God.

### **The Lord's Prayer & Pastoral Prayer**

**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.**

### **Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

### **Offertory**

*Indescribable with This Is My Father's World*

Arranged by Carol Tornquist

### **Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Sermon Text: 2 Corinthians 1:1-11 (ESV)***

***Sermon Title: Comfort in Suffering***

***Dr. Joe King***

*Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,*

*To the church of God that is at Corinth, with all the saints who are in the whole of Achaia:*

<sup>2</sup> *Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.*

<sup>3</sup> *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, <sup>4</sup> who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God. <sup>5</sup> For as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too. <sup>6</sup> If we are afflicted, it is for your comfort and salvation; and if we are comforted, it is for your comfort, which you experience when you patiently endure the same sufferings that we suffer. <sup>7</sup> Our hope for you is unshaken, for we know that as you share in our sufferings, you will also share in our comfort.*

<sup>8</sup> *For we do not want you to be unaware, brothers, of the affliction we experienced in Asia. For we were so utterly burdened beyond our strength that we despaired of life itself. <sup>9</sup> Indeed, we felt that we had received the sentence of death. But that was to make us rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead. <sup>10</sup> He delivered us from such a deadly peril, and he will deliver us. On*

him we have set our hope that he will deliver us again. <sup>11</sup> You also must help us by prayer, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many.

- I. The Source
- II. The Suffering
- III. The Spirit

## Hymn 691

### *It Is Well with My Soul*

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,  
When sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,  
"It is well, it is well with my soul."

*(Chorus)*

It is well with my soul;  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control,  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
And has shed his own blood for my soul. *(Chorus)*

My sin— O the bliss of this glorious thought!—  
My sin, not in part, but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more;  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! *(Chorus)*

O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll,  
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend;  
"Even so"— it is well with my soul. *(Chorus)*

## The Benediction

## Postlude