

THE LORD'S DAY

MORNING WORSHIP

JULY 14, 2024 • 11:00 AM

“Consider how I love your precepts! Give me life according to your steadfast love. The sum of your word is truth, and every one of your righteous rules endures forever.”

~ Psalm 119:159-160

▶ PRELUDE

▶ WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

▶ *CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 119:159-160



► *THE HYMN OF PRAISE *God Of Our Fathers* (Hymnal #710)

*Organ or trumpets
before each stanza*

1. God of our fa - thers, whose al - might - y
2. Thy love di - vine hath led us in the
3. From war's a - larms, from dead - ly pes - ti -
4. Re - fresh thy peo - ple on their toil - some

hand leads forth in beau - ty all the star - ry
past; in this free land by thee our lot is
lence, be thy strong arm our ev - er - sure de -
way, lead us from night to nev - er - end - ing

band of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the
cast; be thou our rul - er, guard - ian, guide, and
fense; thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in -
day; fill all our lives with love and grace di -

skies, our grate - ful songs be - fore thy throne a - rise.
stay; thy Word our law, thy paths our cho - sen way.
crease, thy boun - teous good - ness nour - ish us in peace.
vine, and glo - ry, laud, and praise be ev - er thine.



▶ *THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION

▶ *THE CONFESSION OF FAITH Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*catholic means universal

▶ *THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE..... *When I Survey The Wondrous Cross*
(Hymnal #252 Stanza 2)

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the death of Christ my God: all the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood.

▶ THE PASTORAL PRAYER

▶ THE LORD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS



► *THE HYMN OF PREPARATION..... *Abide With Me* (Hymnal #402)
 (Children Kindergarten-1st Grades are dismissed to Children's Church during last stanza.)

1. A - bide with me: fast falls the e - ven - tide; the dark - ness
 2. Swift to its close ebbs out life's lit - tle day; earth's joys grow
 3. I need thy pres - ence ev - ery pass - ing hour; what but thy
 4. I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless: ills have no
 5. Hold thou thy cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes; shine through the

deep - ens; Lord, with me a - bide: when oth - er help - ers fail, and
 dim, its glo - ries pass a - way; change and de - cay in all a -
 • grace can foil the tempt - er's pow'r? Who like thy - self my guide and
 weight, and tears no bit - ter - ness. Where is death's sting? where, grave, thy
 gloom, and point me to the skies: heav'n's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain

com - forts flee, help of the help - less, O a - bide with me.
 round I see; O thou who chang - est not, a - bide with me.
 • stay can be? Through cloud and sun - shine, O a - bide with me.
 vic - to - ry? I tri - umph still, if thou a - bide with me.
 shad - ows flee: in life, in death, O Lord, a - bide with me.



▶ *THE SCRIPTURE READING..... Luke 16:14-18 (Pew Bible p. 875)

▶ THE SERMON Law And Gospel; Rev. Danny Myers

SERMON NOTES



► *THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING *You Never Change*



1. Fa-ther of lights, giv - er of gifts, _ there is no sha - dow in You..
 2. Fa ther of love, _ source of all good, tow - er of strength and my shield,



— Au - thor of life, _ foun - tain of grace, Each
 — when You gave Your Son _ for those who re - belled _ Your



mor - ning Your mer - cies are new. _ And You
 love for the world _ was re - vealed. _



nev - er change, and You nev - er lie, _ age to age You are _ the same. _ I will



trust in You _ all Your faith - ful - ness, _ for I know You nev - er change.



3. Fa-ther of peace, help of the weak, _ though moun-tains fall in - to the sea,



— though tem-pests may rage, _ the sun _ hide its face, _ Your



fa - vor will rest _ up - on me. _ And You





nev - er change, and You nev - er lie, age to age You are the same.

I will trust in You all Your faith - ful - ness, for I

know You nev - er change.

▶ *THE BENEDICTION

▶ *CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE.....*Now Thank We All Our God*
(Hymnal #98 Stanza 2)

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us, with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us; and keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed, and free us from all ills in this world and the next.

▶ POSTLUDE



THE LORD'S DAY

EVENING WORSHIP

JULY 14, 2024 • 5:30 PM

▶ PRELUDE

▶ WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

▶ CALL TO WORSHIP

▶ *THE HYMN OF PRAISE *How Great Thou Art* (Hymnal #44)



▶ PRAYER OF INVOCATION

▶ MEMORY VERSE 1 Peter 5:6-9

“Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world.”

▶ THE EVENING PRAYER

▶ *THE HYMN OF THE MONTH..... *I Will Glory In My Redeemer*

The musical score is written for a piano accompaniment in 3/4 time. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The second system also has a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The lyrics are written below the treble clef staves.

• 1. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, Whose price - less blood has ran - somed me.
• 2. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er; My life He bought, my love He owns.
• 3. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, Who car - ries me on ea - gle's wings.

Mine was the sin that drove the bit - ter nails and hung Him on that judg - ment tree.
I have no long - ings for an - oth - er; I'm sat - is - fied in Him a - lone.
He crowns my life with lov - ing - kind - ness; His tri - umph song I'll ev - er sing.

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I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, Who crushed the pow'r of sin and
 I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, His faith - ful - ness, my stand - ing
 I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, Who waits for me at gates of

death; My on - ly Sav - ior be - fore the Ho - ly Judge, The
 place. Though foes are might - y and rush up - on me, My
 gold. And when He calls me, it will be par - a - dise, His

Lamb who is my right - eous - ness, The Lamb who is my right - eous - ness.
 feet are firm, held by His grace, My feet are firm, held by His grace.
 face for - ev - er to be - hold, His face for - ev - er to be - hold.



▶ *THE SCRIPTURE READING..... Genesis 11:27-12:9

▶ THE SERMON Built An Altar For The Lord; Rev. James Li

▶ *THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING *Turn Your Eyes*

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face; and the things of earth will grow strangely dim, in the light of His glory and grace.

Turn your eyes to the hillside, where justice and mercy embrace; There the Son of God gave His life for us, and our measureless debt was erased.

{Chorus}

Jesus to You we lift our eyes, Jesus our glory and our prize. We adore You behold You our Savior ever true. Oh, Jesus we turn our eyes to You.

Turn your eyes to the morning; and see Christ the lion awake. What a glorious dawn fear of death is gone; for we carry His life in our veins.

{Chorus}

Turn your eyes to the heavens; our King will return for His own. Every knee will bow every tongue will shout; all glory to Jesus alone.

{Chorus}

▶ *THE BENEDICTION

▶ POSTLUDE





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SUNDAY, JULY 14

- ▶ ***Sunday School - 9:45 AM** in the Fellowship Hall
- ▶ ***Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 AM** in the Sanctuary
- ▶ ***Sunday Evening Worship - 5:30 PM** in the Sanctuary

TUESDAY, JULY 16

- ▶ **Women's Evening Out - 6:00 PM** at Marlow's Tavern. Please RSVP by scanning the News & Events QR code above.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

- ▶ **Fellowship Meal - 5:30 – 6:30 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up at smyrnapres.org/wednesdays by Tuesday, July 16 to be sure we have enough food for everyone.
- ▶ **Youth Group - 6:30 – 7:30 PM** in the Youth Room
- ▶ **King's Kids - 6:30 – 7:30 PM** Mini Golf Mania
- ▶ ***Devotion & Prayer - 6:45 – 7:30 PM** in Fellowship Hall/on Zoom

SATURDAY, JULY 20

- ▶ **Tacos and Trivia - 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. This is a Quarter-Lifers (formerly Young Professionals) event. Please RSVP by scanning the News & Events QR code above.

THURSDAY, JULY 25

- ▶ **Prayer Shawl Ministry - 10:00 AM** - in the SPC Library

SATURDAY, JULY 27

- ▶ **Antique Treasure Hunting - 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM** - Please RSVP by scanning the News & Events QR code above.

* Nursery is available for ages 3 and under

