# ORDER OF WORSHIP APRIL 21, 2024

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

1 Timothy 1:17; 6:15-16

- Leader: To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.
- People: He who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords.
- Leader: Who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see.
- People: To him be honor and eternal dominion.
- All: Amen!

#### **PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

#### **HYMN OF ADORATION**

Holy, Holy, Holy

1. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee; Holy, Holy, Holy, merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

2. Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee, Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

3. Holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee, Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see; Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

4. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy Name, in earth, and sky, and sea; Holy, Holy, Holy; merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

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#### **OLD TESTAMENT READING**

<sup>14</sup> The Lord God said to the serpent,

"Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field;

on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life.

<sup>15</sup> I will put enmity between you and the woman,

and between your offspring and her offspring;

he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel."

<sup>16</sup> To the woman he said,

"I will surely multiply your pain in childbearing;

in pain you shall bring forth children.

Your desire shall be contrary to your husband, but he shall rule over you."

<sup>17</sup> And to Adam he said,

"Because you have listened to the voice of your wife

and have eaten of the tree

of which I commanded you, 'You shall not eat of it,'

cursed is the ground because of you;

in pain you shall eat of it all the days of your life;

<sup>18</sup> thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you;

and you shall eat the plants of the field.

<sup>19</sup> By the sweat of your face you shall eat bread,

till you return to the ground, for out of it you were taken;

for you are dust, and to dust you shall return."

<sup>20</sup> The man called his wife's name Eve, because she was the mother of all living. <sup>21</sup> And the Lord God made for Adam and for his wife garments of skins and clothed them.

<sup>22</sup> Then the Lord God said, "Behold, the man has become like one of us in knowing good and evil. Now, lest he reach out his hand and take also of the tree of life and eat, and live forever—" <sup>23</sup> therefore the Lord God sent him out from the garden of Eden to work the ground from which he was taken. <sup>24</sup> He drove out the man, and at the east of the garden of Eden he placed the cherubim and a flaming sword that turned every way to guard the way to the tree of life.

# **HYMN OF PRAISE**

1. Oh Lord, My God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder; Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

## Refrain

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee: How great Thou art, how great Thou art. Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee: How great Thou art, how great Thou art.

2. And when I think that God, His Son not sparing, Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in; That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin! Refrain

## How Great Thou Art

3. When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation, And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart. Then I shall bow in humble adoration, And there proclaim, "my God, how great Thou art!" Refrain 2x

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#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

Leader: For your name's sake, O LORD, pardon my guilt, for it is great.

# People: Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

Leader: For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

# People: Against you, you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight.

Leader: So that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.

## All: Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!

# **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

### Psalm 32:5

I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

## **HYMN OF ASSURANCE**

1. Thy mercy, my God, is the theme of my song, The joy of my heart and the boast of my tongue; Thy free grace, alone, from the first to the last, Hath won my affections and bound my soul fast.

Without Thy sweet mercy I could not live here;
 Sin would reduce me to utter despair,
 But through Thy free goodness my spirits revive
 And He that first made me still keeps me alive.

3. Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart, Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart; Dissolved by Thy goodness, I fall to the ground And weep for the praise of the mercy I've found.

## **PRAYER OF INTERCESSION**

# Thy Mercy, My God

4. Great Father of mercies, Thy goodness I own And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son; All praise to the Spirit, whose whisper, divine, Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine. All praise to the Spirit, whose whisper, divine, Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine.

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## CONGREGATIONAL READING

# Romans 6:20-23

<sup>20</sup> For when you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. <sup>21</sup> But what fruit were you getting at that time from the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things is death. <sup>22</sup> But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the fruit you get leads to sanctification and its end, eternal life. <sup>23</sup> For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

## SCRIPTURE READING

## Romans 5:18-19

<sup>18</sup> Therefore, as one trespass led to condemnation for all men, so one act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all men. <sup>19</sup> For as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous.

#### SERMON "Death Through Adam, Life Through Christ" - Ruling Elder Wynn Shackleford

SERMON NOTES Sunday, April 21, 2024   Wynn Shackleford "Death Through Adam, Life Through Christ"   Romans 5:18-19
I. Imputation
II. Implications
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### **COLLECTION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS HYMN OF THANKSGIVING**

 There is a fountain filled with blood, Drawn from Immanuel's veins;
 And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains;
 Lose all their guilty stains;
 Lose all their guilty stains.
 And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains.

2. The dying thief rejoiced to seeThat fountain in his day;And there have I, though vile as he,Washed all my sins away;Washed all my sins away;Washed all my sins away.And there have I, though vile as he,Washed all my sins away.

3. Dear dying Lamb, Thy precious blood
Shall never lose its power
Till all the ransomed church of God
Be saved to sin no more;
Be saved to sin no more.
Till all the ransomed church of God
Be saved to sin no more.

#### There is a Fountain

4. E'er since by faith I saw the stream Thy flowing wounds supply, Redeeming love has been my theme And shall be till I die; And shall be till I die; And shall be till I die. Redeeming love has been my theme and shall be till I die.

5. When this poor lisping, stamm'ring tongue Lies silent in the grave,
Then in a nobler, sweeter song
I'll sing Thy pow'r to save;
I'll sing Thy pow'r to save;
I'll sing Thy pow'r to save.
Then in a nobler, sweeter song
I'll sing Thy pow'r to save.

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#### SONG OF RESPONSE

My God is slow to anger when I go astray.
 Bless the Lord, O my soul.
 For all of my betrayals, He will not repay.
 Bless the Lord, O my soul.
 Through mercy and compassion His great love is proved;
 He covers my transgressions like the snow.
 As far as east from west are all my sins removed.
 Bless the Lord, O my soul.

2. He saved me from the pit when I had lost all hope.Bless the Lord, O my soul.From endless springs of kindness all His blessings flow.Bless the Lord, O my soul.Our days will fade like flowers and are quickly spent,And like the wind our years will come and go.Everlasting favor is His covenant.Bless the Lord, O my soul.

3. Merciful and gracious is my God to me.
Bless the Lord, O my soul.
And I will tell His goodness through eternity.
Bless the Lord, O my soul.
And bless the Lord, you angels, all you heav'nly hosts
And every living creature here below.
Praise the Father, praise the Son, and Holy Ghost.
Bless the Lord, O my soul.

And bless the Lord, you angels, all you heav'nly hosts And every living creature here below. Praise the Father, praise the Son, and Holy Ghost. Bless the Lord, O my soul. Bless the Lord, O my soul.

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#### **BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL**

Minister: Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

#### **People: THANKS BE TO GOD!**

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