

HARMONY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 11, 2009

*Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near
Isaiah 55:6*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

*PSALM OF ADORATION Psalm 121 Trinity Psalter, p. 109
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*UNISON INVOCATION AND CONFESSION

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being; Whose face is hidden from us by our sins; And whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts; Cleanse us, we beseech Thee, from all our offenses; And deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires; That with lowliness and meekness we may draw near to Thee; Confessing our faults, confiding in Thy grace, and finding in Thee our refuge and our strength; Through Jesus Christ Thy Son. *Amen.*

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Like a River Glorious" No. 451

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S 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.

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*THE DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

*HYMN OF PREPARATION "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" No. 162

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 2:42-47; Philippians 4:2-9

SERMON

“So Now What? Part 4:
Devoting Ourselves to the Prayers”

Rev. Mark Blalack

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Come, We That Love the Lord”
(Tune: *I Love Thy Kingdom Lord*)

Come, we that love the Lord, And let our joys be known;
Join in a song with sweet accord, And thus surround the throne.

Let those refuse to sing That never knew our God;
But children of the heav'nly King May speak their joys abroad.

The men of grace have found Glory begun below;
Celestial fruits on earthly ground From faith and hope may grow.

The hill of Zion yields A thousand sacred sweets,
Before we reach the heav'nly fields, Or walk the golden streets.

Then let our songs abound, And ev'ry tear be dry;
We're marching through Immanuel's ground To fairer worlds on high.

*BENEDICTION

**Congregation stands as able.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all of our visitors and guests. We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us this Lord's Day. If you are in need of assistance please feel free to ask one of our members or our pastor who will be available in the narthex after the service.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH – Today after the service we will be joining together for our monthly fellowship lunch. If you are visiting, please know we always have an abundance and would be honored if you would join us.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER & BIBLE STUDY – Please join us at 7:00 PM as we pray for the advancement of the Kingdom and continue our study through the Westminster Shorter Catechism. This week we will be studying the Doctrine of Prayer from questions 101-103.

There will be no WIC meeting this month.

This morning we join Jerry and Becky Harr in praising God for the birth of their grandson, Jake Rhyne, born to Gordon and Jill Rhyne on October 7th.

Worship Guide: Making Sense of the Psalter

In Psalm 121, the Psalmist daunted by the inevitability of walking a difficult road, turns to the LORD in prayer (v. 1). For here he is reminded of the greatness of our God. That it is the LORD who has created and ordained all things (v. 2) and is ever watchful over His own (vv. 3-4). With this truth before him, the Psalmist praises God for His care and goes in faith knowing that he will not be utterly consumed by the dangers that lie ahead (vv. 5-6). Let us likewise take delight as we come to worship the living God today, remembering that in all our going out and coming in that we are kept and preserved only by our LORD through the finished work of Jesus Christ (vv. 7-8).

Sermon Notes & Quotes

Acts 2:42; Philippians 4:2-9

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