

Sunday, February 20, 2022

Join us live on our Facebook or YouTube page beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer

Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Words: Reginald Heber. Music: John B. Dykes

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!

Holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee, who were, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, 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 power, in love and purity.

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!

Hymn: "Never Cease to Praise"

Words and music: Jeff Bourque.

May we run this race, may we keep the faith, may our eyes be fixed on Jesus, that we'll not lose heart in our struggle with sin, and through suffering know endurance.

May we arm ourselves with the mind of Christ to rejoice in trials and be not surprised.

May our hearts be so consumed by You that we never cease to praise.

May our company be the saints You've called, may we all stand firm in one spirit, that the gospel's truth may resound on earth, that all living things may hear it.

May the fruits of faith mark the path we trod through the life of Christ to the glory of God. May our hearts be so consumed by You that we never cease to praise.

May the words we share be Your grace and peace. May our tongues speak Your proclamations that the many parts of the body of Christ be affirmed in their right relation.

As we long and wait for the groom to come, may we learn to love, and spur each other on.

May our hearts be so consumed by You that we never cease to praise.

When that day arrives, and our race is won, when our griefs give way to deliverance, we will fully know, as we're fully known, all our groans will end as new songs begin.

And a multitude from every tribe and tongue, wearing robes of white, will stand before Your throne, And our hearts will be so consumed by You that we'll never cease to praise!

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Hymn: "My Hope Is in the Lord"

Words and music: Norman J. Clayton.

My hope is in the Lord Who gave Himself for me, and paid the price of all my sin at Calvary.

For me He died, for me He lives, and everlasting life and light He freely gives.

No merit of my own His anger to suppress, my only hope is found in Jesus' righteousness.

For me He died, for me He lives, and everlasting life and light He freely gives.

And now for me He stands before the Father's throne. He shows His wounded hands and names me as His own.

For me He died, for me He lives, and everlasting life and light He freely gives.

His grace has planned it all, 'tis mine but to believe, and recognize His work of love and Christ receive.

For me He died, for me He lives, and everlasting life and light He freely gives.

Time of Prayer

Sermon: "The LORD Judges the Peoples" Psalm 7 (ESV)

A SHIGGAION OF DAVID, WHICH HE SANG TO THE LORD CONCERNING THE WORDS OF CUSH, A BENJAMINITE.

- O LORD my God, in you do I take refuge; save me from all my pursuers and deliver me,
- lest like a lion they tear my soul apart, rending it in pieces, with none to deliver.
- ³ O LORD my God, if I have done this, if there is wrong in my hands,
- ⁴ if I have repaid my friend with evil or plundered my enemy without cause,
- let the enemy pursue my soul and overtake it, and let him trample my life to the ground and lay my glory in the dust. Selah
- ⁶ Arise, O LORD, in your anger; lift yourself up against the fury of my enemies; awake for me; you have appointed a judgment.
- Let the assembly of the peoples be gathered about you; over it return on high.

- The LORD judges the peoples; judge me, O LORD, according to my righteousness and according to the integrity that is in me.
- Oh, let the evil of the wicked come to an end, and may you establish the righteous—you who test the minds and hearts,
 O righteous God!
- My shield is with God, who saves the upright in heart.
- God is a righteous judge, and a God who feels indignation every day.
- 12 If a man does not repent, God will whet his sword; he has bent and readied his bow;
- he has prepared for him his deadly weapons, making his arrows fiery shafts.
- Behold, the wicked man conceives evil and is pregnant with mischief and gives birth to lies.
- He makes a pit, digging it out, and falls into the hole that he has made.
- His mischief returns upon his own head, and on his own skull his violence descends.
- I will give to the LORD the thanks due to his righteousness, and I will sing praise to the name of the LORD, the Most High.

Song: "Not in Me"

Word and music: Eric Schumacher and David L. Ward.

No list of sins I have not done, no list of virtues I pursue, no list of those I am not like, can earn myself a place with You. O God! Be merciful to me; I am a sinner through and through. My only hope of righteousness is not in me, but only You.

No humble dress, no fervent prayer, no lifted hands, no tearful song, no recitation of the truth can justify a single wrong.

My righteousness is Jesus' life; my debt was paid by Jesus' death.

My weary load was borne by Him and He alone can give me rest.

No separation from the world, no work I do, no gift I give, can cleanse my conscience, cleanse my hands; I cannot cause my soul to live. But Jesus died and rose again; the pow'r of death is overthrown! My God is merciful to me and merciful in Christ alone.

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Benediction

2 Thessalonians 2:16–17 (ESV)

¹⁶Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, ¹⁷ comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.