

9:30 am Worship Service February 13, 2022

We are so glad you are worshiping with us this morning!

Reformed Presbyterian Church exists to be a stream of God's refreshing grace for people from all walks of life.

Today's Speaker: Rev. Thomas E. Nicholas, Sr. Pastor Worship Leader: Rev. Kevin Sheahan, Associate Pastor Organist: Courtney Abbott-Fogie

PRELUDE

Concertino/ G. Young I Lay My Sins on Jesus/ arr. T. Kendall

WORDS OF GREETING

WE APPROACH GOD

In Word	Psalm 68: 32-35 (NIV)
Leader:	Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth, sing praise to the Lord,
People:	To him who rides the ancient skies above, who thunders with mighty voice.
Leader:	Proclaim the power of God, whose majesty is over Israel, whose power is in the skies.
<u>People</u> :	You are awesome, O God, in your sanctuary; the God of Israel gives power and strength to his people. Praise be to God!

IN PRAYER

***WE PRAISE OUR GOD**

HYMN OF PRAISE **296** (vss. 1, & 3-5) All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

- WE CONFESS OUR FAITH Heidelberg Catechism Q. 1 Leader: What is your only comfort in life and in death?
 - **<u>People</u>:** That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.

He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.

Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

***WE EXALT OUR LORD**

WORSHIP SONGS

Great Things My Hope Is in You

Leader: But the eyes of the LORD are on those who fear him, on those whose hope is in his unfailing love, to deliver them from death and keep them alive in famine. We wait in hope for the LORD; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name. May your unfailing love rest upon us, O LORD, even as we put our hope in you. Psalm 33:18-22 (NIV)

Speak, O Lord

WELCOME TO ALL

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN TO CHILDREN'S WORSHIP (4 years old to 1st grade)

WE SEEK GOD'S FACE

Prayers of God's People

WE OFFER OUR GIFTS Offering/ Offertory

Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me/ J. Robinson, R. Thompson, M. Farren Aviendha Fogie, vocals

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Sermon

Luke 4:31-43 (NIV)

Powerful series in Luke: Who Is This Man? Rev. Thomas E. Nicholas

***WE GO FORTH TO SERVE**

HYMN OF RESPONSE **691** *WORDS OF PEACE DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN TO MUSIC ROOM AND SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR (4 years through 5th grade) ANNOUNCEMENTS POSTLUDE

Song Lyrics

296 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all. Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, ye ransomed of the fall, Hail Him Who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all. Hail Him Who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall, Go spread your trophies at His feet, and crown Him Lord of all. Go spread your trophies at His feet, and crown Him Lord of all.

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe, on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all; to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!, Words by John Rippon, Music by Oliver Holden, ©Public Domain CCLI License # 79597

Great Things

Come let us worship our King Come let us bow at His feet He has done great things See what our Savior has done See how His love overcomes He has done great things He has done great things

Oh, hero of Heaven, You conquered the grave You free every captive and break every chain Oh God, You have done great things We dance in Your freedom, awake and alive Oh Jesus, our Savior, Your name lifted high Oh God, You have done great things

You've been faithful through every storm You'll be faithful forevermore You have done great things And I know You will do it again For Your promise is "Yes and amen" You will do great things God, You do great things

Oh, hero of Heaven, You conquered the grave You free every captive and break every chain Oh God, You have done great things We dance in Your freedom, awake and alive Oh Jesus, our Savior, Your name lifted high Oh God, You have done great things

Hallelujah God, above it all Hallelujah God, unshakable Hallelujah, You have done great things Hallelujah God, above it all Hallelujah God, unshakable Hallelujah, You have done great things You've done great things

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My Hope Is in You

I meet with You and my soul sings out As Your word throws doubt far away I sing to You and my heart cries, "Holy!" Hallelujah, Father, You're near

My hope is in You, Lord all the day long I won't be shaken by drought or storm A peace that passes understanding is my song And I sing, My hope is in You, Lord

I wait for You and my soul finds rest In my selfishness You show me grace I worship You and my heart cries "Glory!" Hallelujah, Father, You're here

My hope is in You, Lord all the day long I won't be shaken by drought or storm A peace that passes understanding is my song And I sing, My hope is in You, Lord

I will wait on You, You are my refuge I will wait on You, You are my refuge

My hope is in You, Lord all the day long I won't be shaken by drought or storm My hope is in You, Lord all the day long I won't be shaken by drought or storm The peace that passes understanding is my song And I sing, My hope is in You, Lord My hope is in You, Lord My hope is in You, Lord

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Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You To receive the food of Your Holy Word Take Your truth, plant it deep in us Shape and fashion us in Your likeness That the light of Christ might be seen today In our acts of love and our deeds of faith Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us All Your purposes for Your glory

Teach us, Lord, full obedience Holy reverence, true humility Test our thoughts and our attitudes In the radiance of Your purity Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority Words of pow'r that can never fail Let their truth prevail over unbelief

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us Truths unchanged from the dawn of time That will echo down through eternity And by grace we'll stand on Your promises And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built And the earth is filled with Your glory

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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.

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.

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

My sin—oh, 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!

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

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.

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

It Is Well with My Soul, Words by Horatio G. Spafford, Music by Philip P. Bliss ©Public Domain CCLI License #79597

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 4:31-43 (NIV)

³¹ Then he went down to Capernaum, a town in Galilee, and on the Sabbath began to teach the people.³² They were amazed at his teaching, because his message had authority.

³³ In the synagogue there was a man possessed by a demon, an evil spirit. He cried out at the top of his voice,³⁴ "Ha! What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!"

³⁵ "Be quiet!" Jesus said sternly. "Come out of him!" Then the demon threw the man down before them all and came out without injuring him.

³⁶ All the people were amazed and said to each other, "What is this teaching? With authority and power he gives orders to evil spirits and they come out!"³⁷ And the news about him spread throughout the surrounding area.

³⁸ Jesus left the synagogue and went to the home of Simon. Now Simon's mother-in-law was suffering from a high fever, and they asked Jesus to help her.³⁹ So he bent over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her. She got up at once and began to wait on them.

⁴⁰ When the sun was setting, the people brought to Jesus all who had various kinds of sickness, and laying his hands on each one, he healed them.⁴¹ Moreover, demons came out of many people, shouting, "You are the Son of God!" But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew he was the Christ.

⁴² At daybreak Jesus went out to a solitary place. The people were looking for him and when they came to where he was, they tried to keep him from leaving them.⁴³ But he said, "I must preach the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns also, because that is why I was sent."