

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH November 3, 2024 9:30 am Worship Service

Reformed Presbyterian Church exists to be a stream of God's

refreshing grace for people from all walks of life. **Today's Speaker:** Dr. David Kieffer, Senior Pastor **Worship Leader:** Josiah Weaver, Ruling Elder

Guest Organist: Jonathan Humbert

PRELUDEBrethren, We Have Met to Worship (Hymn 381)/ arr. D. Wood

♦ A time of quiet preparation

Trumpet Voluntary/ H. Heron
Worship (Hymn 381)/ arr. D. Wood

Jonathan Humbert, guest organist

WORDS OF GREETING

WE APPROACH GOD

In Word Psalm 128 (ESV)

Leader: Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord, who walks in his ways! You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your hands. You shall be blessed, and it shall be well with you. Your wife will be like a fruitful vine

within your house. Your children will be like olive

shoots around your table. Behold, thus shall the man be blessed who fears the Lord. The Lord bless you from Zion! May you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life! May you see your children's children! Peace be upon Israel!

IN PRAYER

*WE PRAISE OUR GOD

HYMN OF PRAISE 32

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

*WE CONFESS OUR FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

<u>Leader</u>: Christian, what do you believe?

People: 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

*WE EXALT OUR LORD

WORSHIP SONGS

May the Peoples Praise You Build My Life My Jesus, I Love Thee

WELCOME TO ALL

CONGREGATIONAL GREETING WELCOME TO VISITORS

MISSION MOMENT

Jake & Sara Grasser

WE SEEK GOD'S FACE

Prayers of God's People

WE OFFER OUR GIFTS

OFFERING/ OFFERTORY

This is My Father's World (Hymn 111)/ arr. H. DeCou

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 5:21-33 (ESV)

²¹ submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.

²² Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. ²³ For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. ²⁴ Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands.

²⁵ Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, ²⁶ that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, ²⁷ so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. ²⁸ In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. ²⁹ For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, ³⁰ because we are members of his body. ³¹ "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." ³² This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. ³³ However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.

SERMON

The Church in Daily Life: Marriage

(11 of 14 in the series)

Ephesians: Seeing The Church Through God's Eyes

Dr. David Kieffer

WE COME TO THE LORD'S TABLE

Preparation
The Invitation

THE BREAD AND THE CUP

There is a Redeemer

Please Note: An elder is available in the rear of the sanctuary during communion to pray with you regarding any needs or issues in your life.

WE REMEMBER THOSE IN NEED

The Love Offering/Closing Hymn 307 (vss.1-4)

Nothing but the Blood

*Words of Peace

Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)

The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you;

the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN TO MUSIC ROOM AND SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR (4 years through 5th grade)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Postlude

Psalm of Glory/ D. Wells

Hymn Lyrics

32 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father, There is no shadow of turning with thee; Thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not; As thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

Great is thy faithfulness!
Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed thy hand hath provided Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

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Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed thy hand hath provided Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

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Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed thy hand hath provided Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

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May the Peoples Praise You

You have called us out of darkest night Into Your glorious light That we may sing the wonders of The risen Christ

May our every breath retell the grace That broke into our strife With boundless love and deepest joy With endless life

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad All Your blessing comes That we may praise May praise the Name of Jesus

All the earth is Yours and all within Each harvest is Your own And from Your hand we give to You To make Christ known

May the seeds of mercy grow in us For those who have not heard May songs of praise build lives of grace To spread Your Word

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad All Your blessing comes That we may praise May praise the Name of Jesus

This our holy privilege to declare Your praises and Your name To every nation, tribe and tongue, Your church proclaims

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad All Your blessing comes That we may praise May praise the Name of Jesus

Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty Worthy, worthy is the Lamb Who was slain Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty All creation praise Your glorious Name

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad All Your blessing comes That we may praise May praise the Name of Jesus

Build My Life

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe, We live for You

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name Jesus the only one who could ever save Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe We live for You, We live for You

Holy there is no one like You, There is none beside You Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are And fill me with Your heart, And lead me in Your love to those around me

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Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
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Holy, there is no one like You, There is none beside You Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are And fill me with Your heart, And lead me in Your love to those around me

I will build my life upon Your love, It is a firm foundation I will put my trust in You alone, And I will not be shaken I will build my life upon Your love, It is a firm foundation I will put my trust in You alone, And I will not be shaken

Holy there is no one like You, There is none beside You Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are And fill me with Your heart, And lead me in Your love to those around me

My Jesus I Love Thee

My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine; For thee all the follies of sin I resign. My gracious Redeemer, my Saviour art thou; If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love thee because thou hast first loved me, And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree. I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow; If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love thee in life, I will love thee in death; And praise thee as long as thou lendest me breath; And say, when the death-dew lies cold on my brow: If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow: If ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

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There is a Redeemer

There Is a Redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son
Precious Lamb of God,
Messiah, Ho--ly One.
Thank You, oh my Father
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit
'til the work on earth is done.

Jesus, my Redeemer, Name above all names Precious Lamb of God, Messiah O for sinners slain. Thank You, oh my Father For giving us Your Son, And leaving Your Spirit 'til the work on earth is done.

When I stand in glory,
I will see His face
There I'll serve my King forever
In that Holy place.
Thank You, oh my Father
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit
'til the work on earth is done.

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307 Nothing but the Blood

1What can wash away my sin? nothing but the blood of Jesus; what can make me whole again? nothing but the blood of Jesus. O precious is the flow that makes me white as snow; no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

2For my cleansing this I see — nothing but the blood of Jesus; for my pardon this my plea — nothing but the blood of Jesus. O precious is the flow that makes me white as snow; no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

3Nothing can for sin atone — nothing but the blood of Jesus; naught of good that I have done — nothing but the blood of Jesus. O precious is the flow that makes me white as snow; no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

4This is all my hope and peace — nothing but the blood of Jesus; this is all my righteousness — nothing but the blood of Jesus. O precious is the flow that makes me white as snow; no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.