

Worship Guide for the week of July 25, 2021 Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM

Call to Worship

Worship Leader: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

"Come Now is the Time to Worship"

[Hymn of Adoration]

Chorus:

Come now is the time to worship Come now is the time To give your heart Come just as you are to worship Come just as you are Before your God Come Verse 1: One day every tongue Will confess You are God One day every knee will bow Still the greatest treasure remains For those who gladly Choose You now Verse 2: Willingly we choose To surrender our lives Willingly our knees will bow With all our heart Soul mind and strength We gladly choose You now

GOD GRACIOUSLY RENEWS US IN CHRIST

Confession of Sin

Worship Leader: "Ah, stubborn children," declares the Lord, "who carry out a plan, but not mine, and who make an alliance, but not of my Spirit, that they may add sin to sin." For they are a rebellious people, lying children, children unwilling to hear the instruction of the Lord. Therefore, thus says the Holy One of Israel, "Because you despise this word and trust in oppression and perverseness and rely on them, therefore this iniquity shall be to you like a breach in a high wall, bulging out, and about to collapse, whose breaking comes suddenly, in an instant." For thus said the Lord God, the Holy One of Israel, "In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and in trust shall be your strength." But you were unwilling.

[Isaiah 30:1, 9, 12–13, 15]

Forgiveness of Sin

Worship Leader: We are poor and needy.

Congregation: But the Lord takes thought for us. You are our help and our deliverer.

[Psalm 40:17]

"His Mercy Is More"

[Hymn of Assurance]

Verse 1: What love could remember No wrongs we have done Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea Without bottom or shore Our sins they are many His mercy is more Verse 2: What patience would wait As we constantly roam What Father so tender Is calling us home He welcomes the weakest The vilest the poor Our sins they are many His mercy is more Verse 3: What riches of kindness He lavished on us His blood was the payment His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt We could never afford Our sins they are many His mercy is more Chorus: Praise the Lord His mercy is more Stronger than darkness New every morn Our sins they are many His mercy is more

THANKING GOD FOR WHAT HE HAS DONE

Worship Leader: O Lord our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the world! Out of the mouths of babes and children Your majesty is praised above the heavens. O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the world!

[Psalm 8:1-2, 10]

Giving Our Offerings

"O God of Our Salvation"

[Hymn of Thanksgiving]

Verse 1:

O God of our salvation Who reigns upon the throne The sov'reign Father great is He From whom all blessings flow Chorus: O God of our salvation From whom redemption comes O Father Son and Spirit The blessed Three in One Verse 2: Behold the Son our Savior Who for our sin was slain The Christ who purchased With His blood The wretched souls of men Verse 3: O God the Holy Spirit Revealing deity The fount of life and love divine Throughout eternity Bridge: Yeah ascribe O church the greatness And the glory due His name One God one King one Essence Our triune God proclaimed

Scripture Reading

Worship Leader: O Lord, show Your mercy to us.

<u>**Congregation:</u>** And grant us Your salvation.</u>

Worship Leader: Give Your preacher Your righteousness.

<u>Congregation</u>: And make Your people joyful.

Worship Leader: Give peace, O Lord, in all the world.

Women: For only in You can we live in safety.

Worship Leader: Lord, keep this nation under Your care.

Men: And guide us in the way of justice and truth.

Worship Leader: Let Your way be known on the earth.

Women: Your salvation among all nations.

Worship Leader: Do not let the needy, O Lord, be forgotten.

Men: Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

Worship Leader: Create in us clean hearts, O God.

<u>Congregation</u>: And sustain us with Your Holy Spirit. [from *The Book of Common Prayer*]

GOD INSTRUCTS US THROUGH HIS WORD

Scripture: Psalm 96

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon: "All Creatures of Our God and King"

Brian Albert

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Private and Family Worship

For use during the week of July 25

Read this passage: Psalm 96

Reflect on these applications and discuss them with your family:

1. Consider how many weeks you were at church to hear the sermon. Make a note of the different reasons why you were not in attendance. Take steps to make sure you are in attendance regularly to hear the sermon and fellowship with the family of God.

2. Be aware of others in your church as you listen to the sermon, and use the message to minister to them. One practical suggestion is to take a fellow believer out to lunch immediately after the worship service and ask how we should respond to the message individually and how the message should shape us as a church.

3. Pray often for the work of God's spirit to shape both you as an individual and your church as a body of Christians together.

Sing this Hymn: "O God of Our Salvation"

You can find the music here: bit.ly/ogodofoursalvation

Pray

O God, the protector of all who trust in You, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us Your mercy; that, with You as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

[from The Book of Common Prayer]

GOD FEEDS US THROUGH HIS SUPPER

Breaking the Bread

Worship Leader: The Lord's Supper is a visible, holy sign and seal instituted by God in order that by its use He may the more fully disclose and seal to us the promise of the gospel, namely, that because of the one sacrifice of Christ accomplished on the cross He graciously grants us the forgiveness of sins and eternal life.

Taking the Cup

Worship Leader: By the Lord's Supper the Holy Spirit teaches in the gospel and confirms that our whole salvation is rooted in the one sacrifice of Christ offered for us on the cross. ["On the Lord's Supper" from *The Heidelberg Catechism*]

GOD BLESSES US AND SENDS US OUT

Encourage One Another

Can We Pray for You?

If you would like to send any prayer requests to our prayer team, you can call **(913) 888–5168** or email

prayer.calvarybaptist@gmail.com.

Why We Do What We Do in Worship

Call to Worship – Throughout the Scriptures we are called to worship God as the holy and good Creator of all things. Our worship service begins with a call to worship, which turns our attention from our everyday cares and concerns to the glory, love, and mercy of our God.

Confession of Sin – When we acknowledge the goodness, glory, and holiness of God, we are immediately confronted by our own sin and rebellion, which has separated us from Him. Confession should reflect our sorrow over our sins and our desire to be reconciled to God. We confess our sins to God trusting in his faithfulness to forgive us and cleanse us.

Forgiveness of Sin – When we trust in Jesus' death for us and we come to God with genuine sorrow for our sin, God graciously and lovingly forgives us for all our sin. And so we announce God's forgiveness to all who repent of their sin and trust in Jesus.

Thanking God for What He Has Done – Our natural response to the grace and kindness that God shows us in forgiving us is to thank Him. We thank God for forgiving us, blessing us, protecting us, and providing for us, and we express our thankfulness to God through prayers, singing, and giving.

God Instructs Us through His Word – God speaks to His people through the Scriptures. God's Word reveals to us who God is, what God is like, and what His will for us is. Each component of Calvary's worship service is guided by Scripture. We read Scripture, pray Scripture, and sing Scripture, but we also set aside time during the service to be taught how Scripture personally applies to our own lives.

God Feeds Us through His Supper – Each week we celebrate the Lord's Supper as the capstone of our worship service. The Lord's Supper is a tangible reminder of the Gospel and of the promise that God has made to us—the promise that He has forgiven us and cleansed us and put His Spirit within us. The bread and the cup remind us of Jesus' life and death presented as an offering to God for our sakes. When we all share this Supper together, we remember that we are all part of one family—children of God and brothers and sisters of one another.

God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out – Our worship service closes with a blessing from God through which He sends us out into the world to share His love and mercy with others and to live out the truths that we have learned and celebrated during the worship service.

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