

# HERITAGE

Presbyterian Church



*He is like a tree planted by water, that sends out its roots by the stream  
Jeremiah 17:8*

## **LORD'S DAY WORSHIP**

### **April 16, 2023**

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**WELCOME!**  
**TO**  
**HERITAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**T**o all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire victory;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness,  
and to whomsoever will —  
we open wide our arms  
and welcome you  
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

## **SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE**

Prayer 9:15 a.m. in Pastor's Office  
Children at church 9:25 a.m. in the Library  
Youth & Adults Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship 10:40 a.m.

# **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **PREPARATION**

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

### **From Psalm 95:1–5**

*LEADER:*

*Oh come, let us sing to the Lord;  
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!*

*RESPONSE:*

*Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;  
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of  
praise!*

*LEADER:*

*For the Lord is a great God,  
and a great King above all gods.*

*RESPONSE:*

*In his hand are the depths of the earth;  
the heights of the mountains are his also.*

*TOGETHER:*

*The sea is his, for he made it,  
and his hands formed the dry land.*

# WE ACKNOWLEDGE GOD'S PRESENCE IN OUR MIDST

## WE SING A SONG OF PRAISE

### Pass The Promise

I will pray rejoicing from my heart  
(Pray rejoicing from my heart)  
For in Him my victory's lifted high  
(His salvation is my cry)  
He has overcome my enemy  
(Our praises scorn the enemy)  
I delight in His deliverance  
(The Lord is our deliverance)

#### Chorus

Pass the promise to our sons and daughters  
God most high, God our Father, we bear  
witness

There is no one holy like the Lord  
(Holy holy is the Lord)  
Our Rock and Refuge is our God  
(All the earth belongs to God)  
Do not speak with pride of noble deed  
(For the Lord will weigh our every deed)  
See the strong have lost, the weak have gained  
(And from the dust my life He raised)

#### Chorus

He will guard the feet of faithful ones  
(He will hold His faithful ones)  
But the wicked they will not prevail  
(Not by might will man prevail)  
He is coming soon to judge the earth  
(He is coming soon to judge the earth)  
For the Lord gives power to His King  
(All strength to His anointed King)

#### Chorus 2x

# WE SING A SONG OF ASCENT

## Promises

God of Abraham You're the God of covenant  
And of faithful promises  
Time and time again You have proven  
You do just what You say

## Chorus

Though the storms may come  
And the winds may blow  
I'll remain steadfast  
And let my heart learn when You speak a word  
It will come to pass  
Great is Your faithfulness to me  
Great is Your faithfulness to me  
From the rising sun to the setting same  
I will praise Your name  
Great is Your faithfulness to me

God from age to age  
Though the earth may pass away  
Your word remains the same yeah  
Your history can prove  
There's nothing You can't do  
You're faithful and true

## Chorus

I put my faith in Jesus  
My anchor to the ground  
My hope and firm foundation  
He'll never let me down  
(REPEAT)

## Chorus

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# PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND OFFERING

## SHEPHERDING PRAYER

### SCRIPTURE READING

#### **Romans 3:9–12, 23–26**

*What then? Are we Jews any better off? No, not at all. For we have already charged that all, both Jews and Greeks, are under sin,<sup>10</sup> as it is written:*

*“None is righteous, no, not one;*

*<sup>11</sup> no one understands;*

*no one seeks for God.*

*<sup>12</sup> All have turned aside; together they have become worthless;*

*no one does good,*

*not even one.”*

*<sup>23</sup> ...for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,  
<sup>24</sup> and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus,<sup>25</sup> whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins.<sup>26</sup> It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.*

## **WE CONFESS OUR SIN AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

**O gracious and gentle and condescending God,  
God of peace, Father of mercy, God of all comfort:  
we confess before you the evil of our hearts;  
we acknowledge that we are too inclined  
toward anger, jealousy, and revenge,  
to ambition and pride,  
which often give rise to discord and bitter feelings  
between others and us.  
Too often have we thus both offended and grieved you,  
O long-suffering Father.**

(We will take a few moments for silent reflection and confession.)

**Forgive us this sin and permit us to partake of the  
blessing  
you have promised the peacemakers,  
who shall be called the children of God.  
Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

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## **WE ARE ASSURED OF OUR PARDON IN CHRIST Psalm 103:8–12**

*The Lord is merciful and gracious,  
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.  
9 He will not always chide,  
nor will he keep his anger forever.  
10 He does not deal with us according to our sins,  
nor repay us according to our iniquities.  
11 For as high as the heavens are above the earth,  
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear  
him;  
12 as far as the east is from the west,  
so far does he remove our transgressions from us..*

# WE SING A SONG OF ASSURANCE

## Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Savior like a shepherd lead us much we need Thy tender care  
In Thy pleasant pastures feed us for our use Thy folds prepare

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Thou hast bought us Thine we are  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Thou hast bought us Thine we are

We are Thine do thou befriend us be the guardian of our way  
Keep Thy flock from sin defend us seek us when we go astray

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Hear O hear us when we pray  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Hear O hear us when we pray

Thou hast promised to receive us poor and sinful though we be

Thou hast mercy to relieve us  
Grace to cleanse and pow'r to free  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Early let us turn to Thee  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Early let us turn to Thee

Early let us seek Thy favor early let us do Thy will  
Blessed Lord and only Savior with Thy love our bosoms fill

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Thou hast loved us love us still  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
Thou hast loved us love us still



## PREACHING OF THE WORD

### **“And He Shall Be Blessed” Genesis 27:1–29**

*When Isaac was old and his eyes were dim so that he could not see, he called Esau his older son and said to him, “My son”; and he answered, “Here I am.”<sup>2</sup> He said, “Behold, I am old; I do not know the day of my death.<sup>3</sup> Now then, take your weapons, your quiver and your bow, and go out to the field and hunt game for me,<sup>4</sup> and prepare for me delicious food, such as I love, and bring it to me so that I may eat, that my soul may bless you before I die.”*

*<sup>5</sup> Now Rebekah was listening when Isaac spoke to his son Esau. So when Esau went to the field to hunt for game and bring it,<sup>6</sup> Rebekah said to her son Jacob, “I heard your father speak to your brother Esau,<sup>7</sup> ‘Bring me game and prepare for me delicious food, that I may eat it and bless you before the Lord before I die.’<sup>8</sup> Now therefore, my son, obey my voice as I command you.<sup>9</sup> Go to the flock and bring me two good young goats, so that I may prepare from them delicious food for your father, such as he loves.<sup>10</sup> And you shall bring it to your father to eat, so that he may bless you before he dies.”<sup>11</sup> But Jacob said to Rebekah his mother, “Behold, my brother Esau is a hairy man, and I am a smooth man.<sup>12</sup> Perhaps my father will feel me, and I shall seem to be mocking him and bring a curse upon myself and not a blessing.”<sup>13</sup> His mother said to him, “Let your curse be on me, my son; only obey my voice, and go, bring them to me.”*

*<sup>14</sup> So he went and took them and brought them to his mother, and his mother prepared delicious food, such as his father loved.<sup>15</sup> Then Rebekah took the best garments of Esau her older son, which were with her in the house, and put them on Jacob her younger son.<sup>16</sup> And the skins of the young goats she put on his hands and on the*

smooth part of his neck. <sup>17</sup> And she put the delicious food and the bread, which she had prepared, into the hand of her son Jacob.

<sup>18</sup> So he went in to his father and said, "My father." And he said, "Here I am. Who are you, my son?" <sup>19</sup> Jacob said to his father, "I am Esau your firstborn. I have done as you told me; now sit up and eat of my game, that your soul may bless me." <sup>20</sup> But Isaac said to his son, "How is it that you have found it so quickly, my son?" He answered, "Because the Lord your God granted me success." <sup>21</sup> Then Isaac said to Jacob, "Please come near, that I may feel you, my son, to know whether you are really my son Esau or not." <sup>22</sup> So Jacob went near to Isaac his father, who felt him and said, "The voice is Jacob's voice, but the hands are the hands of Esau." <sup>23</sup> And he did not recognize him, because his hands were hairy like his brother Esau's hands. So he blessed him. <sup>24</sup> He said, "Are you really my son Esau?" He answered, "I am." <sup>25</sup> Then he said, "Bring it near to me, that I may eat of my son's game and bless you." So he brought it near to him, and he ate; and he brought him wine, and he drank.

<sup>26</sup> Then his father Isaac said to him, "Come near and kiss me, my son." <sup>27</sup> So he came near and kissed him. And Isaac smelled the smell of his garments and blessed him and said,

"See, the smell of my son  
is as the smell of a field that the Lord has blessed!

<sup>28</sup> May God give you of the dew of heaven  
and of the fatness of the earth  
and plenty of grain and wine.

<sup>29</sup> Let peoples serve you,  
and nations bow down to you.

Be lord over your brothers,  
and may your mother's sons bow down to you.

Cursed be everyone who curses you,  
and blessed be everyone who blesses you!"

# SERMON NOTES

# WE SING A SONG OF RESPONSE

## The Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you  
Make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you  
The Lord turn His face toward you  
And give you peace

### Chorus

Amen  
Amen  
Amen  
(Repeat)

May His favor be upon you  
And a thousand generations and your family  
And your children and their children  
And their children

May His presence go before you  
And behind you and beside you  
All around you and within you  
He is with you, He is with you

In the morning in the evening  
In your coming and your going  
In your weeping and rejoicing  
He is for you  
He is for you

### Chorus

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## BENEDICTION

### Numbers 6:24–26

*The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his  
face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord  
lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.*

# GUIDE TO FAMILY WORSHIP THIS WEEK

**Scriptures: Genesis 27:1–29**

**Song: Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us**

**Missions Prayer:** Ross Dixon, Midtown Presbyterian/  
Columbia, MO

## **PRAISE & PRAYER:**

- \* Pray that we will daily prepare for the coming of our Lord Jesus as King!
- \* Pray for those who are recuperating from surgery, from chronic ailments and for our mothers-in-waiting!
- \* Pray for the Persecuted Church around the world.
- \* Pray that Community Groups cultivate close relationships that will encourage our walk with Christ.
- \* Pray that the Lord will continue to bring new people to our church family to join us in worshiping the Lord and learning of His love and mercy to us.
- \* Pray for our Session who leads Heritage PCA in the direction that God has planned for us. Teaching Elder: Rev. Jesse York; Ruling Elders: Rich Albert, Ken Leslie, Steve McVey, Mark Saeger, Larry Valentine.
- \* Pray for Rev. Jesse York as he preaches God's Word to us as our Senior Pastor and encourage our walk as the redeemed of God.