

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

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WELCOME!
TO
HERITAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

To 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 100:1–5

*LEADER: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!
Serve the Lord with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing!*

***RESPONSE: Know that the Lord, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.***

*LEADER: Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!*

***RESPONSE: For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.***

WE ACKNOWLEDGE GOD'S PRESENCE IN OUR MIDST

WE SING A SONG OF PRAISE

You Are Holy (Prince Of Peace)

You are holy (You are holy)
You are mighty (You are mighty)
You are worthy (You are worthy)
Worthy of praise (worthy of praise)
I will follow (I will follow)
I will listen (I will listen)
I will love You (I will love You)
All of my days (all of my days)

Chorus

I will sing to and worship
(You are Lord of lords You are King of kings)
The King who is worthy
(You are mighty God Lord of ev'rything)
And I will love and adore Him
(You're Emmanuel You're the Great I Am)
And I will bow down before Him
(You're the Prince of Peace who is the Lamb)
And I will sing to and worship
(You're the living God You're my saving grace)
The King who is worthy
(You will reign forever You are Ancient of Days)
And I will love and adore Him
(You are Alpha Omega Beginning and End)
And I will bow down before Him
(You're my Savior Messiah Redeemer and Friend)

Together

You are my Prince of Peace
And I will live my life for You.

WE CONFESS OUR FAITH AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD

The Apostles' Creed

**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.**

SING A SONG OF ASCENT

Love Still Bids You Welcome

Oh God of grace, how often have I grieved Thee
How seldom have I sung Thy praise
And little do I know how much I need Thee
And time again I turn away

For how my heart is hard and unbelieving
For all I've done and left undone
Your love is not reluctant to receive me
My soul draws back but Love says "come"

Chorus

He will not cast you out, He will not cast you out
Whoever enters in, will forever dwell with Him
Draw near, faint heart, draw near
Love still bids you welcome here

Oh Father when I sin against my neighbor
I turn away Your very Son
Who died to call us friends when we were strangers
And says to ev'ry sinner "come"

Chorus

Oh Lord of light You call us out of darkness
To turn aside from sin and live
And prodigals, we come to You for pardon
Oh Abba Father take us in
He will not cast you out, He will not cast you out
Whoever enters in, will forever dwell with Him

Chorus

Love still bids you welcome here.

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SHEPHERDING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 41:8–13

*But you, Israel, my servant,
Jacob, whom I have chosen,
the offspring of Abraham, my friend;
9 you whom I took from the ends of the earth,
and called from its farthest corners,
saying to you, "You are my servant,
I have chosen you and not cast you off";
10 fear not, for I am with you;
be not dismayed, for I am your God;
I will strengthen you, I will help you,
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.
11 Behold, all who are incensed against you
shall be put to shame and confounded;
those who strive against you
shall be as nothing and shall perish.
12 You shall seek those who contend with you,
but you shall not find them;
those who war against you
shall be as nothing at all.
13 For I, the Lord your God,
hold your right hand;
it is I who say to you, "Fear not,
I am the one who helps you."*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND OFFERING

WE CONFESS OUR SIN AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD

O great God, we confess that we are far too comfortable in your presence, we think far too much of ourselves and far too little of your holiness. We have lived as if you don't see, or you don't care. We are puffed up with pride in our performance, as if you actually owe us something. Father, forgive us for such hubris. It is foolish and desperately wrong.

We confess our sin now, and humbly acknowledge that truly we bring nothing in our hands; we come naked, helpless and foul. To the cross of Christ our Savior we cling. Clothe us with his righteousness, empower us with his Spirit, and wash us with his blood. In his name we pray, amen.

WE ARE ASSURED OF OUR PARDON IN CHRIST

1 PETER 5:6–11

Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, ⁷ casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. ⁸ Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. ⁹ Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. ¹⁰ And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. ¹¹ To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

WE SING A SONG OF ASSURANCE

Christ Arose

(Up From the Grave He Arose)
Trinity Hymnal #276

Low in the grave He lay—
Jesus, my Savior,
Waiting the coming day—
Jesus, my Lord.

Chorus

Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes.
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose!
Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Vainly they watch His bed—
Jesus, my Savior;
Vainly they seal the dead—
Jesus, my Lord.

Chorus

Death cannot keep His prey—
Jesus, my Savior;
He tore the bars away—
Jesus, my Lord.

Chorus

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PREACHING OF THE WORD

Meeting Esau (Part I) Genesis 32:1–21

Jacob went on his way, and the angels of God met him. ² And when Jacob saw them he said, "This is God's camp!" So he called the name of that place Mahanaim. ³ And Jacob sent messengers before him to Esau his brother in the land of Seir, the country of Edom, ⁴ instructing them, "Thus you shall say to my lord Esau: Thus says your servant Jacob, 'I have sojourned with Laban and stayed until now. ⁵ I have oxen, donkeys, flocks, male servants, and female servants. I have sent to tell my lord, in order that I may find favor in your sight.'" ⁶ And the messengers returned to Jacob, saying, "We came to your brother Esau, and he is coming to meet you, and there are four hundred men with him." ⁷ Then Jacob was greatly afraid and distressed. He divided the people who were with him, and the flocks and herds and camels, into two camps, ⁸ thinking, "If Esau comes to the one camp and attacks it, then the camp that is left will escape."

⁹ And Jacob said, "O God of my father Abraham and God of my father Isaac, O Lord who said to me, 'Return to your country and to your kindred, that I may do you good,' ¹⁰ I am not worthy of the least of all the deeds of steadfast love and all the faithfulness that you have shown to your servant, for with only my staff I crossed this Jordan, and now I have become two camps. ¹¹ Please deliver me from the hand of my brother, from the hand of Esau, for I fear him, that he may come and attack me, the mothers with the children. ¹² But you said, 'I will surely do you good, and make your offspring as the sand of the sea, which cannot be numbered for multitude.'"

¹³ So he stayed there that night, and from what he had with him he took a present for his brother Esau, ¹⁴ two hundred female goats and twenty male goats, two hundred ewes and twenty rams, ¹⁵ thirty milking camels and their calves, forty cows and ten bulls, twenty female donkeys and ten male donkeys. ¹⁶ These he handed over to his servants, every drove by itself, and said to his servants, "Pass on ahead of me and put a space between drove and drove." ¹⁷ He instructed the first, "When Esau my brother meets you and asks you, 'To whom do you belong? Where are you going? And whose are these ahead of you?' ¹⁸ then you shall say, 'They belong to your servant Jacob. They are a present sent to my lord Esau. And moreover, he is behind us.'" ¹⁹ He likewise instructed the second and the third and all who followed the droves, "You shall say the same thing to Esau when you find him, ²⁰ and you shall say, 'Moreover, your servant Jacob is behind us.'" For he thought, "I may appease him with the present that goes ahead of me, and afterward I shall see his face. Perhaps he will accept me." ²¹ So the present passed on ahead of him, and he himself stayed that night in the camp.

SERMON NOTES

WE SING A SONG OF RESPONSE

My Worth Is Not in What I Own

My worth is not in what I own,
Not in the strength of flesh and bone;
But in the costly wounds of love at the cross.
My worth is not in skill or name,
In win or lose in pride or shame;
But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the cross.

Chorus

I rejoice in my Redeemer,
Greatest treasure, Wellspring of my soul.
I will trust in Him, no other,
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.

As summer flowers we fade and die,
Fame youth and beauty hurry by;
But life eternal calls to us at the cross.
I will not boast in wealth or might,
Or human wisdom's fleeting light;
But I will boast in knowing Christ at the cross.

Chorus

Two wonders here that I confess:
My worth, and my unworthiness.
My value fixed, my ransom paid, at the cross

Chorus 2x

BENEDICTION

2 Thessalonians 3:16

Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.

GUIDE TO FAMILY WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Scriptures: Genesis 32:1–21

Song: My Worth Is Not in What I Own

Missions Prayer: Dan & Becky Young/
Texas-Mexico Border

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.