

# Order of Worship

## August 7, 2022

### Prelude

### Welcome & Announcements

### Preparation for Worship

*Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.*

*(Matthew 6:10 ESV)*

### Call to Worship

Pastor: May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations.

**People: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!**

Pastor: Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon the earth.

**People: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!**

Pastor: The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, shall bless us.

**People: God shall bless us; let all the ends of the earth fear him!**

**ALL: Praise the Lord!** *(Psalm 67 ESV)*

### Invocation

### Praise and Adoration

#### Crown Him With Many Crowns

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne.  
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own.  
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,  
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave,  
And rose victorious in the strife for those He came to save.  
His glories now we sing, who died, and rose on high,  
Who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of love, behold His hands and side,  
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified.  
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,  
But downward bends each burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown Him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time  
Creator of the rolling spheres ineffably sublime  
All hail Redeemer hail, for Thou hast died for me  
Thy praise shall never, never fail, throughout eternity

*"Crown Him With Many Crowns"  
George Job Elvey | Godfrey Thring | Matthew Bridge Scripture Reading*

#### Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Let us love and sing and wonder  
Let us praise the Savior's name.  
He has hushed the law's loud thunder  
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame.  
He has washed us with His blood (x3)  
He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us love the Lord Who bought us  
Pitied us when enemies.  
Called us by His grace and taught us  
Gave us ears and gave us eyes.  
He has washed us with His blood (x3)  
He presents our souls to God.

Let us wonder grace and justice  
Join and point to mercy's store.  
When through grace in Christ our trust is,  
Justice smiles and asks no more.  
He Who washed us with His blood (x3)  
Has secured our way to God.

Let us praise and join the chorus  
Of the saints enthroned on high.  
Here they trusted Him before us  
Now their praises fill the sky.  
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood (x3)  
Thou art worthy Lamb of God.

*"Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder" | Text: John Newton |  
Music: Laura Taylor©2001 Laura Taylor Music*

### Scripture Reading

*The end of the matter; all has been heard. Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. For God will bring every deed into judgment, with every secret thing, whether good or evil.*  
*(Ecclesiastes 12:13–14 ESV)*

*Mankind will say, "Surely there is a reward for the righteous; surely there is a God who judges on earth."*  
*(Psalm 58:11 ESV)*

*Being then God's offspring, we ought not to think that the divine being is like gold or silver or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of man. The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent, because he has fixed a day on which he will judge the world in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed; and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.*

*(Acts 17:29–31 ESV)*

Pastor: This is the Word of the LORD.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

#### From Depths of Woe (Psalm 130)

From the depths of woe I raise to Thee / The voice of lamentation;  
Lord, turn a gracious ear to me / And hear my supplication;  
If Thou iniquities dost mark / Our secret sins and misdeeds dark,  
O who shall stand before Thee? (Who shall stand before Thee?)  
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To wash away the crimson stain / Grace, grace alone availeth;  
Our works, alas! Are all in vain / In much the best life faileth;  
No man can glory in Thy sight / All must alike confess Thy might  
And live alone by mercy (Live alone by mercy)  
And live alone by mercy (Live alone by mercy)

Therefore my trust is in the Lord / And not in mine own merit;  
On Him my soul shall rest, His word / Upholds my fainting spirit;  
His promised mercy is my fort / My comfort and my sweet support;  
I wait for it with patience (Wait for it with patience)  
I wait for it with patience (Wait for it with patience)

Though great our sins and sore our woes  
His grace much more aboundeth;  
His helping love no limit knows / Our upmost need it soundeth.  
Our Shepherd good and true is He / Who will at last His Israel free  
From all their sin and sorrow (All their sin and sorrow)  
From all their sin and sorrow (All their sin and sorrow)

*"Psalm 130 (From Depths of Woe)"  
Words: Martin Luther. Music: Christopher Miner*

### Corporate Profession of Faith

#### Heidelberg Catechism on the Lord's Prayer

Pastor: What does the first petition mean? (Q. 122)

**People: "Hallowed be your name" means: Help us to truly know you, to honor, glorify, and praise you for all your works and for all that shines forth from them: your almighty power, wisdom, kindness, justice, mercy, and truth. And it means, Help us to direct all our living—what we think, say, and do—so that your name will never be blasphemed because of us but always honored and praised.**

Pastor: What does the second petition mean? (Q. 123)

**People: "Your kingdom come" means: Rule us by your Word and Spirit in such a way that more and more we submit to you. Preserve your church and make it grow. Destroy the devil's work; destroy every force which revolts against you and every conspiracy against your holy Word. Do this until your kingdom fully comes, when you will be all in all.**

## Pastoral Prayer

## Offertory

*“Rock of Ages”*

## Preaching of the Word

*Rev. Wilson A. Shirley, Senior Pastor*

*“An Imprecatory Psalm*

*Psalm 58*

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## Song of Response

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly host.

Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost.

*“Doxology”*

*Louis Bourgeois/Thomas Ken Words: Public Domain*

## Benediction

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Guest** - Welcome to Cornerstone Presbyterian Church. We are glad you are here! If you would like more information about our church and its ministries, please fill out the “Connect Card” and visit our website. Another great way to connect is through Sunday School. There are classes for all ages at 9:45am.

**Connect Cards** - Please take a “Connect Card” from the chair pocket in front of you, fill out one per family and place in the collection plate.

**Communicant’s Class** - A communicant’s class for children interested in joining Cornerstone will be offered this fall during foundations. Email [brian@cornerstonehuntsville.org](mailto:brian@cornerstonehuntsville.org) if you are interested in your child taking this class.

**Communion** - We will observe communion next Sunday, August 14th.

**Promotion Sunday** - Promotion Sunday is next week.

**Youth Families Conference** - Westminster and Cornerstone are hosting a conference on September 17th entitled “Navigating Sex and Gender in a Changing World: A Conference for Teens (high school and up), Parents, Grandparents, and Student Leaders.” Dr. Walt Mueller will speak about navigating the current cultural moment from a biblical perspective. Tickets are \$10 per person. For more details and to sign up see the newsletter or go to [wpc-hsv.org](http://wpc-hsv.org).

**FOUNDATIONS** - Foundations returns Wednesday, September 7th.

**Women’s Ministry** - Women’s Fall Bible Study will begin Tuesday, September 6th. More details to follow.

**New Members Class** - A new members class will begin on Sunday, September 11th during Sunday School.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Pray for church members caring for family** - Jen Kauffman, Lora Abernathy, Diana Akridge, Bryan Gassaway, Rick McCann, Randy Petcher, Mike Bayless, Bill and JoAnn Sneed, and Kyle Mosier.

**Pray for healing** - April DeJong, Mary Allen Junen, Matthew Lawrence, Berin Wendorf, Phil Freeze, and Gayle Ricks.

**Pray for our nursing home resident** - Ruby Petcher

**Pray for our expectant mothers** - Sage Hundscheid (August), Hillary Hornor (November), and Kawell (adoption).

**Praise** for the birth of Carter Benjamin Nunley, son of Ben and Rebecca Nunley, and grandson of David and Gail Kimrey.

**Pray** for the flood victims in Kentucky.

**Pray** for students and teachers as they return to school.

**Pray for our Missional Partnerships** - Dr. John Perritt with Reformed Youth Ministries and Westminster Presbyterian Church, Huntsville, AL (Pastor Joe Steele).

## Rock of Ages

*Rock of Ages cleft for me / Let me hide myself in thee.*

*Let the water and the blood / From thy wounded side which flowed*

*Be of sin the double cure / Save from wrath and make me pure.*

*Not the labors of my hands / Can fulfill thy law’s demands.*

*Could my zeal no respite know / Could my tears forever flow*

*All for sin could not atone / Thou must save and thou alone.*

*Nothing in my hand I bring / Simply to the cross I cling.*

*Naked, come to thee for dress / Helpless look to thee for grace.*

*Foul, I to the fountain fly / Wash me, Savior, or I die.*

*While I draw this fleeting breath / When my eyes shall close in death*

*When I soar to worlds unknown / See Thee on Thy judgment throne*

*Rock of ages cleft for me / Let me hide myself in thee.*

*“Rock of Ages”*

*Augustus Monague Toplady*

**The Lord’s Day  
August 7, 2022**