

# Order of Worship

## October 16, 2022

### Prelude

### Welcome & Announcements

### Preparation for Worship

*One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.* (Psalm 145:4 ESV)

### Call to Worship

Pastor: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

**People: Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever.**

Pastor: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable.

**People: One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.**

Pastor: On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.

**People: They shall speak of the might of your awesome deeds, and I will declare your greatness.**

Pastor: They shall pour forth the fame of your abundant goodness and shall sing aloud of your righteousness.

**ALL: Praise the LORD!** (Psalm 145:1-7 ESV)

### Invocation

### Praise and Adoration

#### Come Christians Join to Sing

Come, Christians, join to sing/ Alleluia! Amen!

Loud praise to Christ our King/ Alleluia! Amen!

Let all, with heart and voice/ Before His throne rejoice;

Praise is His gracious choice/ Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high/ Alleluia! Amen!

Let praises fill the sky/ Alleluia! Amen!

He is our Guide and Friend/ To us He'll condescend;

His love shall never end/ Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again/ Alleluia! Amen!

Life shall not end the strain/ Alleluia! Amen!

On heaven's blissful shore/ His goodness we'll adore,

Singing forevermore/ Alleluia! Amen!

*"Come Christians Join To Sing"*  
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### Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Praise to the Lord The Almighty, the King of creation!

O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!

All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near

Praise Him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord! Who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth

Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth

Hast thou not seen, how thy desires e'er have been

Granted in what He ordaineth.

Praise to the Lord! Who doth prosper thy work and defend thee

Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee

Ponder anew, what the Almighty can do

If with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!

All that hath life and breath come now with praises before Him!

Let the Amen, sound from His people again;

Gladly for all we adore Him.

*"Praise To The Lord, The Almighty"*  
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### Scripture Reading

*"Be glad, O children of Zion, and rejoice in the Lord your God, for he has given the early rain for your vindication; he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the latter rain, as before. "The threshing floors shall be full of grain; the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will restore to you the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent among you. "You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I am the Lord your God and there is none else. And my people shall never again be put to shame. "And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit. "And I will show wonders in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and awesome day of the Lord comes. And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved. For in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls." (Joel 2:23-32 ESV)*

Pastor: This is the Word of the LORD.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

### 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

*(Chorus) Bless the Lord O my soul, O my soul/Worship His holy name;  
Sing like never before, O my soul/I'll worship Your holy name.*

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning;

It's time to sing Your song again.

Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me,

Let me be singing when the evening comes. *(Chorus)*

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger;

Your name is great and Your heart is kind.

For all Your goodness I will keep on singing,

Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find. *(Chorus)*

And on that day when my strength is failing,

The end draws near and my time has come,

Still my soul will sing Your praise unending

Ten thousand years and then forevermore! *(Chorus)*

*"10,000 Reasons" \ Jonas Myrin  
Matt Redman \ 2011 \ Thankyou Music*

### Missions Moment

*Rev. Adam Venable,  
Southside Presbyterian Church Mission*

### Pastoral Prayer

*Shep Park, Elder*

### Offertory

*"Come Thou Almighty King"*

### Preaching of the Word

*Rev. Adam Venable*

*"Repentance for our Neighborhood"*

*Acts 2:36-41*

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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"*  
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### Benediction

**Sermon Notes:**

**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.

**Preaching** - We are thankful to have Rev. Adam Venable here with us to preach God's Word today. Adam is the church planter for Southside Presbyterian Mission Church in South Huntsville. He and his wife Lisa have three children (Eli, Lucy, and Jacob). You can find out more about the church plant at southsidepres.com

**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.

**Book Resources** - *Disciplines of a Godly Man* (current men's small group study) are available in the lobby for \$10. *Age of Opportunity* is a great resource for parents of teenagers and is available in the lobby for \$15.

**FOUNDATIONS** - Join us on Wednesdays for a meal at 5:30pm. Discipleship opportunities for all ages are from 6:15 to 7:15pm. A nursery is provided. RSVP at [cornerstonehuntsville.org/foundations](http://cornerstonehuntsville.org/foundations) or scan the QR code below to register.

**Youth Downtown Open - TODAY** from 4:30-6:30pm. We will meet at Jimmy John's downtown on the square and have dinner downtown afterwards. See Pastor Brian for more information.

**Women's Prayer Time** - Thursday, October 20th, at 10am, at the church. Email Elena Lewis at [bruce.lewis.family@juno.com](mailto:bruce.lewis.family@juno.com) with prayer requests.

**Ordination and Installation Service** - Join us next Sunday, October 23rd, during the first worship service, as we ordain and install the newly elected church officers. Reception to follow, during the Sunday school hour, in the Family Life Center.

**Sunday School October 30** - Elders will be leading focused discussions and answering questions regarding the recent letter detailing the Abounding campaign and future plans for Cornerstone. Please make plans to attend.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Pray for church members caring for family** - 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, Gayle Ricks, Lauren Davenport, Sharon Ibsen, Brian Russ, Farris Powell, and Sam Trotter.

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

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

**Pray** for those affected by Hurricane Ian and for MNA disaster response teams.

**Pray** that the Lord would raise up an assistant pastor to serve at Cornerstone.

**Pray** for our newly elected church officers and their families

**Pray for our Missional Partnerships** - Lincoln Village Ministry and Redeemer Church of the Shoals, Florence, AL (Pastor Scott Barber).

**Come Thou Almighty King**

Come, thou Almighty King/Help us thy name to sing,  
Help us to praise/Father, all glorious,  
O'er all victorious/Come, and reign over us, Ancient of days.

Come, thou Incarnate Word/Gird on thy mighty sword,  
Our prayer attend/Come and thy people bless,  
And give thy Word success/Spirit of holiness, on us descend.

Come, Holy Comforter/Thy sacred witness bear  
In this glad hour/Thou who almighty art,  
Now rule in every heart/And ne'er from us depart, spirit of power.

To the great One in Three/Eternal praises be  
Hence evermore/Thy sovereign majesty  
May we in glory see/And to eternity, love and adore.

*"Come Thou Almighty King" | Words: Anonymous |  
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**The Lord's Day  
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