



Sunday Night Worship

Second Presbyterian Church · January 1, 2017 · 6:00 p.m.

✦ Call to Worship Tim Johnson

“Ancient of Days”

**Blessing and honor, glory and power
Be unto the Ancient of Days.
From ev’ry nation, all of creation
Bow before the Ancient of Days.**

**Ev’ry tongue in heaven and earth shall declare Your glory.
Ev’ry knee shall bow at Your throne – in worship.
You will be exalted, O God,
And Your kingdom shall not pass away,
O Ancient of Days.**

**Your kingdom shall reign over all the earth:
Sing unto the Ancient of Days!
For none can compare to Your matchless worth:
Sing unto the Ancient of Days!**

“Rejoice in the Lord Always”

**Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say,
Again I say rejoice in the Lord always,
And again I say, and again I say, rejoice!**

**Come bless the Lord, come bless the Lord,
Draw near to worship Christ the Lord.
And bless His name, His holy name,
Declaring He is good!**

**O that men would praise Him,
O that men would praise Him.**

**O that men would praise His name,
Praise His name to the ends of the earth.**

✦ Prayer of Adoration Michael Parsons

Worship of God with the Gifts of God

“As the Deer”

**As the deer panteth for the water so my soul longeth after Thee.
You alone are my heart’s desire, and I long to worship Thee.**

**You alone are my strength my shield – to You alone may my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart’s desire, and I long to worship Thee.**

**You’re my friend and You are my brother, even though You are a King
I love You more than any other, so much more than anything.**

**I want You more than gold or silver – only You can satisfy
You alone are the real joygiver, and the apple of my eye.**

✦Prayer of Thanksgiving

Greetings and Announcements Todd Erickson

Scripture Reading: Matthew 5:17-20 Yuna Jhang
(page 810 in the pew Bible)

Sermon: “*The Righteous Life: Jesus and The Law*” Dick Cain

Invitation to the Table

All who have publicly professed their faith and joined a Christian church are welcomed to receive communion tonight. We encourage children not to take communion until they have joined the church but do welcome them to come forward with their parents to receive a blessing. Gluten-free bread is offered in the center aisle.

Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Divine Pardon

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Songs for the Table

“Before the Throne of God Above”

**Before the throne of God above, I have a strong, a perfect plea,
A great High Priest whose name is “Love,” who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart;
I know that while in heav’n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart.
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When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look and see Him there who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free;
For God, the Just, is satisfied
To look on Him and pardon me.
To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, my perfect, spotless Righteousness,
The great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace!
One with Himself I cannot die, my soul is purchased by His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high,
With Christ, my Savior and my God.
With Christ, my Savior and my God.

“Come, Thou Fount”

Come Thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer; Hither by Thy help I'm come;
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let that grace now like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

“Lord, I Need You”

Lord, I come, I confess – bowing here I find my rest.
And without You, I fall apart – You're the one that guides my heart.

Lord, I need You, O I need You. Every hour I need You.
My one defense my righteousness – O God, how I need You.

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more.

Where grace is found is where You are.

And where You are, Lord, I am free – holiness is Christ in me

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So teach my song to rise to You, when temptation comes my way

And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You – Jesus, You're my hope and stay.

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“Jesus, with Thy Church Abide”

**Jesus, with Thy church abide, be her Savior, Lord, and Guide,
While on earth her faith is tried: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**Keep her life and doctrine pure; grant her patience to endure,
Trusting in Thy promise sure: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she one in doctrine be, one in truth and charity,
Winning all to faith in Thee: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she guide the poor and blind, seek the lost until she find,
And the broken-hearted bind: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she holy triumphs win, overthrow the hosts of sin,
Gather all the nations in: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

✦ Prayer of Thanksgiving

✦ Benediction

✦ *Indicates standing*

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