

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

JULY 5, 2009

A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD

1. A mighty Fortress is our God,
A bulwark never failing;
Our Helper He, amid the flood
Of mortal ills prevailing.
For still our ancient foe
Doth seek to work us woe;
His craft and power are great,
And armed with cruel hate,
On earth is not his equal.

2. Did we in our own strength confide,
Our striving would be losing,
Were not the right Man on our side,
The Man of God's own choosing.
Dost ask who that may be?
Christ Jesus, it is He;
Lord Sabaoth, His name,
From age to age the same,
And He must win the battle.

3. And though this world, with devils
filled,
Should threaten to undo us,
We will not fear, for God hath willed,
His will to triumph through us.
The prince of darkness grim,
We tremble not for him.
His rage we can endure,
For, lo, his doom is sure;
One little word shall fell him.

4. That word above all earthly powers,
No thanks to them, abideth;
The Spirit and the gifts are ours,
Through Him who with us sideth.
Let goods and kindred go,
This mortal life also.
The body they may kill;
God's truth abideth still.

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP: PSALM 46: 1-4

¹ God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.² Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea,³ though its waters roar and foam and the mountains quake with their surging.

⁴ There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy place where the Most High dwells.

JESUS IS KING

Jesus is King, let all the earth be glad
He sits enthroned, He is exalted on high.
Behold your God, Behold your God
He is surrounded with glory
He is surrounded with glory.

Jesus is King, let all the earth rejoice
He moves in power, He reigns in majesty
Behold your God, Behold your God
He is surrounded with glory
He is surrounded with glory.

As we draw near, we see His glory shine
We see the pain, yet we see triumph in His eyes
Behold your God, Behold your God
We are surrounded with glory
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CONFESSION OF FAITH: 1 PETER 3: 8-18

Leader: ⁸Finally, all of you, live in harmony with one another; be sympathetic, love as brothers, be compassionate and humble.

People: ⁹**Do not repay evil with evil or insult with insult, but with blessing, because to this you were called so that you may inherit a blessing.**

Leader: ¹⁰For, "Whoever would love life and see good days must keep his tongue from evil and his lips from deceitful speech.

People: ¹¹**He must turn from evil and do good; he must seek peace and pursue it.** ¹²**For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer, but the face of the Lord is against those who do evil."**

Leader: ¹³Who is going to harm you if you are eager to do good? ¹⁴But even if you should suffer for what is right, you are blessed. "Do not fear what they fear; do not be frightened."

People: ¹⁵**But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,** ¹⁶**keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.**

Leader: ¹⁷It is better, if it is God's will, to suffer for doing good than for doing evil.

All: ¹⁸**For Christ died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God. He was put to death in the body but made alive by the Spirit.**

JESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL

Jesus lover of my soul, let me to thy bosom fly
While the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high
Hide me, O my Savior hide, till the storm is past
Safe into the haven guide, receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none, I helpless hang on thee
Leave, ah! Leave, me not a lone, still support and comfort me
All my trust on thee is stayed, help from thee I bring
Covered my defenseless head, the shadow of Thy wing

Thou O Christ art all I want, more than all in thee I find
Raise the fallen cheer the faint, heal the sick and lead the blind
Just and holy is thy name, I am all unrighteousness
False and full of sin I am, thou full of truth and grace

Plenteous grace with thee is found, grace to cover all my sin
Let the healing streams a bound, make and keep me pure within
Thou of life the fountain art, let me take of thee
Spring thou up within my heart, to all eternity

Jesus lover of my soul....

WORSHIPPING GOD WITH OUR GIFTS

CHILDREN AGES 4-8 ARE DISMISSED TO CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE READING: MATTHEW 16: 13-28

¹³When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say the Son of Man is?" ¹⁴They replied, "Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah; and still others, Jeremiah or one of the prophets." ¹⁵"But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" ¹⁶Simon Peter answered, "You are the Christ the Son of the living God." ¹⁷Jesus replied, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah, for this was not revealed to you by man, but by my Father in heaven. ¹⁸And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it. ¹⁹I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." ²⁰Then he warned his disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Christ. ²¹From that time on Jesus began to explain to his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things at the hands of the elders, chief priests and teachers of the law, and that he must be killed and on the third day be raised to life. ²²Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. "Never, Lord!" he said. "This shall never happen to you!" ²³Jesus turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; you do not have in mind the things of God, but the things of men." ²⁴Then Jesus said to his disciples, "If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. ²⁵For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me will find it. ²⁶What good will it be for a man if he gains the whole world, yet forfeits his soul? Or what can a man give in exchange for his soul? ²⁷For the Son of Man is going to come in his Father's glory with his angels, and then he will reward each person according to what he has done. ²⁸I tell you the truth, some who are standing here will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom."

SERMON:

“CONSEQUENCES OF CONFESSION”

Rev. Chuck Garriott

SONG OF RESPONSE

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountains majesties
Above the fruited plain!
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea!

2. O beautiful for pilgrim feet,
Whose stern, impassioned stress
A thoroughfare for freedom beat
Across the wilderness!
America! America!
God mend thine ev'ry flaw.
Confirm thy soul in self control,
Thy liberty in law!

3. O beautiful for patriot dream
That sees beyond the years
Thine alabaster cities gleam,
Undimmed by human tears!
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brother-
hood
From sea to shining sea.

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPPORTUNITIES AND EVENTS

Today	8:30am 7am/5pm 9:30am 11:00am	Prayer class Spanish Church Worship Kids Summer program El Salvador Mission trip
7/5-12		Freefall Pool Party
7/6	7:00pm	
7/7	6:30am 7:00pm	Men's Discipleship Group Boy Scouts Quilting Group
7/8	9:30 am 6:30pm 7:00pm	Women's Bible study Women's Evening Bible study HS Pool Party
7/9	6:30pm 7:00pm	Spanish service PWT
7/10	6:00pm	Zagone Bible study

NEXT WEEK

7/12	8:30am 7am/5pm 9:30am 11:00am	Prayer class Spanish Church Worship Kids Summer program
7/13	7:00pm	Freefall Youth Group Faith with Feet meeting
7/14	6:30am 6:00pm 7:00pm	Men's Discipleship Group MOPs Steering team meeting Boy Scouts Session Meeting
7/15	9:30 am 7:00pm	Women's Bible study HS Small group
7/16	6:30pm 7:00pm	Spanish service PWT
7/17	9:00pm	Spanish Prayer service
7/18	10:00am	Quilting Group
7/18-25		<u>W. Virginia Mission Trip</u>

Attention Visitors: Thank you for worshipping with us today! We hope you feel welcome and are blessed by the Holy Spirit! You are invited to pick up a special gift at the visitors table.

You can still pick up an **annual fund-raising card**. For \$15.00 you get great deals at area restaurants for 1 year, all proceeds to youth mission, so please look for the table and purchase a card—proceeds go towards the mission teams.

Directory pictures are on hold for now, as Dave goes on the El Salvador trip. **Three additional dates in July are available for sign-up, and you will find them on the bulletin board in the narthex.**

Sunday Summer Kids Program is running! All kids ages kindergarten through 5th grade are welcome. Games, crafts, and fun teaching, and parents can attend SS.

Save the Dates: Annual Family picnic at Tuckahoe—Sunday, August 30th.

Family concert series featuring, “Beyond the Veil” - 8/9 at 7pm.

We will not be having power point for the next two weeks, as Christian is away. We are still looking for a “point person” to take over this ministry.

Middle school pool party tomorrow at the Pullen's home—7:30pm.

High school small group pool party at Nella Matthews home.

VBS Registration will start on July 19th in the narthex—watch for more info.

Role	July 5, 2009	July 12, 2009
Coordinating Deacons	Fred Koch, Jay Burns	Lin Outten, Mike Perticone Dave Rausch
Greeters	Jean & Dottie Gilman	Doug and Jane Tribull
Nursery Workers	9:30am:(inf) Cherie Vermont, Carlson Woodside, Carlie Stine 9:30 (3-4yr) Rick Mellinger, Amanda Rzepkowski	9:30am:(inf) Lizbeth Haarhoff, Dar- line Winegardner, Lauren Stine 9:30 (3-4yr) Will LaRose, Jonathan Williams
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PRAYER REQUESTS

Please continue to pray for our troops in the Middle East.

Please keep the LaRose family in prayers in the passing of Will's nephew's wife.

Please keep Karen's brother-in-law, Gilbert, in prayer, as he recovers from a stroke, and also for successful treatment of the tumor in his brain.

Please pray for Jean Gilman who was hospitalized Wednesday with viral meningitis.

Please pray for the Butler family and Vince's Uncle Rick as his wife Janet passed away recently after a more than 2 year battle with cancer.

Darcie Herron's father is in need of prayer after a mild heart attack. He has had angioplasty, but has had problems over the years. Pray for the doctors wisdom and strength for him.

Please pray for Larry French as he heals from a broken fibula and severe nerve damage in his leg. Pray for pain relief.

Update: Please keep Brenda Cormeny and her family in prayer at the passing of George., and the Outtens family for the passing of Lin's Mother.

Update: Please keep Al Moore in your prayers , the medications are working and his heart rate is better. Pray that he can develop the strength to withstand needed aneurysm surgery.

Update: Please keep Laura Ridgley, daughter-in-law of Bill and Janice Ridgley in your prayers who is recovering from a second surgery for breast cancer and starts a new chemo treatment.

Update: Kayla is doing well and having therapy 3x a week. Keep the prayers coming.

Please continue to pray for Tony Heaphy's mom whose cancer has now spread to her lower spine. She will begin radiation treatments this week followed by a new chemo. Pray also for his Dad as he cares for her.

Please continue to pray for Juli Butler's friend, Ann Massey and her 2 daughters, suffering from a genetic disorder, Ehlers-Danlos syndrome. Please pray for patience, wisdom and healing.

Please continue to pray for Anne Cerutti's cousin's son, Rick's continued recovery, along with his parents who are caring for him..

Please continue to pray for Mark Weist's sister Dana; Jan Zagone's sister, Barbara Bergmann; Jim Kelly's mom, Loren Vermont's mom , Nancy Campbell, friend of the Davis's, and Marie Hershman, Jim Kelly's first wife and the mother of his son Jimmy who all have breast cancer and going through treatments.

FINANCIAL NEWS

Annual Budget	\$614,431.00
Expected giving through June	\$307,208.00
Actual giving through June	\$299,950.00
Building fund giving May & June	\$22,343.00 (coin offering \$20.40)

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We are a church that glorifies God in worship and prayer as we nurture and equip our church family in love and reach outward in compassion to share the good news of Jesus Christ with others, providing a safe harbor for all.

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