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THE LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

Sunday, 11 December, 2022

✦ Indicates standing if able

WELCOME & GREETING

Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley



INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 116:18–19

"I will pay my vows to the LORD Now in the presence of all His people, In the courts of the LORD's house, In the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Praise the LORD!"

✦ HYMN

Nº 01

We Come, O Christ, to You

CONFESSION OF SIN

John 6:26–33

"Jesus answered them and said, "Most assuredly, I say to you, you seek Me, not because you saw the signs, but because you ate of the loaves and were filled. Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because God the Father has set His seal on Him." Then they said to Him, "What shall we do, that we may work the works of God?" Jesus answered and said to them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in Him whom He sent." Therefore they said to Him, "What sign will You perform then, that we may see it and believe You? What work will You do? Our fathers ate the manna in the desert; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.' " Then Jesus said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but My Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 3:16

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

✦ HYMN

Nº 02

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

THE WORD PREACHED

Reading of Scripture
"Two Banquets"

Proverbs 9
Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley

❖ HYMN

Blessed Are the Sons of God

Nº 03

BENEDICTION



Please join us for a time of prayer. No meal to follow.

❖ CLOSING PRAYER HYMN

Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

Nº 04

We Come, O Christ, to You

Text by Margaret Clarkson

DARWALL

1. We come, O Christ, to You,
 2. You are the Way to God,
 3. You are the liv - ing Truth!
 4. You on - ly are true Life,
 5. We wor - ship You, Lord Christ,

True Son of God and man,
 Your blood our ran - som paid;
 All wis - dom dwells in You,
 To know You is to live
 Our Sav - ior and our King,

By Whom all things con - sist,
 In You we face our Judge
 The Source of ev - ery skill,
 The more a - bun - dant life
 To You our youth and strength

In Whom all life be - gan:
 and Mak - er un - a - fraid.
 The One E - ter - nal True!
 That earth can nev - er give:
 A - dor - ing - ly we bring:

in You a - lone
 Be - fore the throne
 O great I AM!
 O ris - en Lord!
 So fill our hearts,

we live and move, and have our be - ing
 ab - solved we stand, Your love has met Your
 In You we rest, Sure an - swer to our
 We live in You, in us each day Your
 that all may view Your life in us, and

in Your love.
 law's de - mand.
 ev - ery quest.
 life re - new!
 turn to You! A - men.

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

1. Je - sus, lov - er of my soul,
 2. Oth - er ref - uge have I none,
 3. Thou, O Christ, art all I want;
 4. Plen - teous grace with Thee is found,

let me to Thy bo - som fly,
 hangs my help - less soul on Thee;
 more than all in Thee I find:
 grace to cov - er all my sin;

while the near - er wa - ters roll,
 leave, ah! leave me not a - lone,
 raise the fall - en, cheer the faint,
 let the heal - ing streams a - bound;

while the tem - pest still is high:
 still sup - port and com - fort me!
 heal the sick, and lead the blind.
 make and keep me pure with - in:

hide me, O my Sav - ior, hide,
All my trust on Thee is stayed,
Just and ho - ly is Thy name;
Thou of life the foun - tain art,

till the storm of life is past;
all my help from Thee I bring;
I am all un - righ - teous - ness;
free - ly let me take of Thee;

safe in - to the ha - ven guide,
cov - er my de - fense - less head
false and full of sin I am,
spring Thou up with - in my heart,

O re - ceive my soul at last!
with the shad - ow of Thy wing.
Thou art full of truth and grace.
rise to all e - ter - ni - ty.

Blessed Are the Sons of God

1. Bless - ed are the sons of God,
 2. They are jus - ti - fied by grace,
 3. They are lights up - on the earth,

they are bought with Christ's own blood;
 they en - joy the Sav - ior's peace;
 chil - dren of a heav'n - ly birth;

they are ran - somed from the grave,
 all their sins are washed a - way,
 one with God, with Je - sus one,

life e - ter - nal they shall have:
they shall stand in God's great day:
glo - ry is in them be - gun:

With them num - bered may we be,

here and in e - ter - ni - ty.

SERMON NOTES

"Two Banquets"

Proverbs 9

1 Wisdom has built her house, She has hewn out her seven pillars; 2 She has slaughtered her meat, She has mixed her wine, She has also furnished her table. 3 She has sent out her maidens, She cries out from the highest places of the city, 4 "Whoever is simple, let him turn in here!" As for him who lacks understanding, she says to him, 5 "Come, eat of my bread And drink of the wine I have mixed. 6 Forsake foolishness and live, And go in the way of understanding. 7 "He who corrects a scoffer gets shame for himself, And he who rebukes a wicked man only harms himself. 8 Do not correct a scoffer, lest he hate you; Rebuke a wise man, and he will love you. 9 Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be still wiser; Teach a just man, and he will increase in learning. 10 "The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, And the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding. 11 For by me your days will be multiplied, And years of life will be added to you. 12 If you are wise, you are wise for yourself, And if you scoff, you will bear it alone." 13 A foolish woman is clamorous; She is simple, and knows nothing. 14 For she sits at the door of her house, On a seat by the highest places of the city, 15 To call to those who pass by, Who go straight on their way: 16 "Whoever is simple, let him turn in here"; And as for him who lacks understanding, she says to him, 17 "Stolen water is sweet, And bread eaten in secret is pleasant." 18 But he does not know that the dead are there, That her guests are in the depths of hell.

Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

Latin hymn

Tr. and adapted by Theodore Baker, 1899

ADORE THEE

Théodore Dubois, *The Seven Last Words of Christ*, 1867

Christ, we do all a - dore Thee, and we do praise Thee for - ev - er;

Christ, we do all a - dore Thee, and we do praise Thee for - ev - er;

for on the ho - ly cross hast Thou the world from sin re - deem - ed.

Christ, we do all a - dore Thee, and we do praise Thee for - ev - er;

and we do praise Thee for - ev - er. Christ, we do all a - dore Thee.