PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP - June 11th, 2023—11:00 a.m.

Song of Ascent I Know Whom I Have Believed (#705)

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude Merciful God (Getty)

*Please stand if you are able.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 99:1-5

LEADER: The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble!

He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

PEOPLE: The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.

LEADER: Let them praise your great and awesome name!

ALL: Holy is he!

LEADER: The King in his might loves justice. You have established equity;

PEOPLE: you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

LEADER: Exalt the Lord our God; worship at his footstool!

ALL: Holy is he!

GOD INVITES US TO THE MEANS OF GRACE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism #105

Q. 105. What do we pray for in the fifth petition [of the Lord's Prayer]?

A. In the fifth petition, which is, "And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors," we pray that God, for Christ's sake, would freely pardon all our sins; which we are the rather encouraged to ask, because by his grace we are enabled from the heart to forgive others.

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

Colossians 3:12-13

"Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive."

^{*}INVOCATION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON 1 John 4:9-11

"In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another."

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 7:36-47

OFFERTORY Comfort, Comfort Ye My People (#197)

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Matthew 18:21-35 Rev. David Hina "Granting Forgiveness"

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*HYMN OF RESPONSEGod Be Merciful to Me (Psalm 51)

- 1. God, be merciful to me;
 On Thy grace I rest my plea
 Plenteous in compassion Thou,
 Blot out my transgressions now;
 Wash me, make me pure within;
 Cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.
- 2. My transgressions I confess; Grief and guilt my soul oppress. I have sinned against Thy grace, And provoked Thee to Thy face. I confess Thy judgement just; Speechless, I Thy mercy trust.
- 3. I am evil, born in sin;
 Thou desirest truth within.
 Thou alone my Savior art,
 Teach Thy wisdom to my heart;
 Make me pure, Thy grace bestow,
 Wash me whiter than the snow.

- 4. Broken, humbled to the dust
 By Thy wrath and judgment just,
 Let my contrite heart rejoice,
 And in gladness hear Thy voice;
 From my sins O hide Thy face,
 Blot them out in boundless grace.
- 5. Gracious God, my heart renew,
 Make my spirit right and true.
 Cast me not away from Thee,
 Let Thy Spirit dwell in me;
 Thy salvation's joy impart,
 Steadfast make my willing heart.
- 6. Sinners then shall learn from me, And return, O God, to Thee Savior all my guilt remove, And my tongue shall sing Thy love Touch my silent lips, O Lord, And my mouth shall praise accord

GOD BLESSES US & SENDS US OUT

*BENEDICTION Jude 24-25

"Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen."

Praise Him all creatures here below:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Postlude

Come People of the Risen King (Getty)

Come, People of the Risen King





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