



The Lord's Day ~ August 21, 2022

* God Calls Us to Worship & Welcomes Us

Romans 12:1

* Praising the Lord in Song

I Will Sing of My Redeemer

1. I will sing of my Re-deem-er and his won-drous love to me:
2. I will tell the won-drous sto-ry, how my lost es-tate to save,
3. I will praise my dear Re-deem-er, his tri-um-phant pow'r I'll tell,
4. I will sing of my Re-deem-er and his heav'n-ly love to me;

on the cru-el cross he suf-fered, from the curse to set me free.
in his bound-less love and mer-cy he the ran-som free-ly gave.
how the vic-to-ry he giv-eth o-ver sin and death and hell.
he from death to life has brought me, Son of God, with him to be.

Refrain

Sing, O sing of my Re-deem-er! With his blood he pur-chased me;

on the cross he sealed my par-don, paid the debt, and made me free.

Philip P. Bliss, 1878

MY REDEEMER 8.7.8.7.ref.
James McGranahan, 1840-1907; rev. 1956

* Seeking God's Blessing on Our Worship

* Continuing Our Praises

All I Have Is Christ

1. I once was lost in dark - est night, yet thought I
ran my hell - bound race, in - dif - frent
would be Yours a - lone, and live so

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knew the way. The sin that prom - ised joy and life had led me to the
to the cost, You looked up - on my help - less state and led me to the
all might see the strength to fol - low Your com - mands could ne - ver come from

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grave. I had no hope that You would own a reb - el to Your
cross. And I be - held God's love dis - played, You suf - fered in my
me. Oh, Fa - ther use my ran - somed life in an - y way You

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will. And if You had not loved me first, I would re - fuse You still.
place. You bore the wrath re - served for me, now all I know is
choose, and let my song for - ev - er be my on - ly trust is

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2. But as I grace. Hal - le - lu - jah! All I have is

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Christ! Hal - le - lu - jah! Je - sus is my life! 3. Now, Lord I

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3. You. Hal - le - lu - jah! All I have is Christ! Hal - le -

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lu - jah! Je - sus is my life!

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God Speaks through His Word

James 1:19-27

Taking Our Requests to God in Prayer

Presenting & Dedicating Our Offerings to the Lord

Voice

Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; praise him, all crea-tures
here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n-ly host; praise Fa-ther, Son, and
Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

* Preparing to Hear God's Word

#602 O God, My Faithful God

God Speaks through His Word

Psalm 141

A Psalm of David.

- ¹ O LORD, I call upon you; hasten to me!
Give ear to my voice when I call to you!
- ² Let my prayer be counted as incense before you,
and the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice!
- ³ Set a guard, O LORD, over my mouth;
keep watch over the door of my lips!
- ⁴ Do not let my heart incline to any evil,
to busy myself with wicked deeds
in company with men who work iniquity,
and let me not eat of their delicacies!
- ⁵ Let a righteous man strike me—it is a kindness;
let him rebuke me—it is oil for my head;
let my head not refuse it.
Yet my prayer is continually against their evil deeds.
- ⁶ When their judges are thrown over the cliff,
then they shall hear my words, for they are pleasant.
- ⁷ As when one plows and breaks up the earth,
so shall our bones be scattered at the mouth of Sheol.
- ⁸ But my eyes are toward you, O GOD, my Lord;
in you I seek refuge; leave me not defenseless!
- ⁹ Keep me from the trap that they have laid for me
and from the snares of evildoers!
- ¹⁰ Let the wicked fall into their own nets,
while I pass by safely.

“Desperate for Holiness”

August 21, 2022

The desperate prayer pleases God (141:1-2).

The desperate prayer petitions God (141:3-7).

The desperate prayer pursues God (141:8-10).

Announcements

- Sunday School will resume on September 11th. Tony Pisani will be teaching the **Adult Class on the Lord's Prayer** using a devotional guide by Kevin DeYoung. Please plan to join us in growing in our faith by studying God's Word together!
- A note about our opening hymn "I Will Sing of My Redeemer" from the website Hymnary.org: In December 1876, the great gospel hymn writer, Philip Bliss, and his wife boarded a train home to Pennsylvania after attending an evangelistic meeting in Chicago. As their train crossed over a river in Ashtabula, Ohio, the bridge collapsed, and the train fell into the icy river below. Bliss escaped, but when he realized his wife was still in the burning wreck, he went back into the melee to find her. Neither Bliss nor his wife survived. Some of Bliss' possessions, however, in the front carriages that made it across the bridge unharmed, were later retrieved. Inside one of his trunks, his friends found a new text Bliss had just written, entitled, "I Will Sing of My Redeemer." It's said that at the meeting in Chicago, he told the crowd, "I may not pass this way again." Did he have some inclination that he would soon be meeting his Redeemer? When he penned the words, "he from death to life has brought me, Son of God, with him to be," did he know he would be making that journey soon? This text is a beautiful parting gift from this well-loved hymn writer, to encourage us one last time to sing unto Him who makes us free.
- Please let Pastor Kisler know right away if you're interested in the **Men's Retreat** hosted by Armor Bible Church (PCA) on September 9 & 10.
- At our special congregational meeting in May, we approved hiring a part time administrative assistant. If you or a Christian friend is interested in this position, please contact Pastor Kisler or Elder van der Jagt. The job description is available at: <https://tinyurl.com/339bdkr8> or scan the QR code. We intend to begin interacting with candidates by the end of August.



- Helping with this morning's service are Cathy Beich (accompanist), Dan Lash & Rich Reem (ushers), Richard Backus (sound) and Tony Pisani (video).

Weekly Calendar

21	AUG, SUN	● 10 – 11am	In-person Morning Worship + YouTube
		● 11:15am – 12:15pm	Session Meeting
		● 6 – 6:45pm	In-person Evening Worship + Zoom
23	AUG, TUE	● 6:15 – 7:15pm	Support Group Meeting
24	AUG, WED	● 8:30 – 9:30am	Men's Prayer on Zoom
25	AUG, THU	● 7 – 8pm	Session Meeting
28	AUG, SUN	● 10 – 11am	In-person Morning Worship + YouTube
		● 11:15am – 12:15pm	Session Meeting
		● 6 – 6:45pm	In-person Evening Worship + Zoom

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