

\* **Call to Worship:** *based on Psalm 34:1-8*

We will bless the Lord at all times,

**God's praise is always on our lips;  
in the Lord our souls shall make their boast.**

The humble shall hear and be glad.

Glorify the Lord with us; together let us praise God's name.

**We sought the Lord and were heard,  
from all our terrors set free.**

Look toward God and be radiant;

let your faces not be ashamed.

When the poor cry out, the Lord hears them  
and rescues them from all their distress.

**Taste and see that the Lord is good.**

**They are blessed who seek refuge in God.**

\* **Opening Prayer**

\* **Rejoice, the Lord is King**

#408:1,2,3 (PH)

Rejoice, the Lord is King! Your Lord and King adore.

Rejoice, give thanks and sing and triumph evermore.

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice.

Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail; he rules o'er earth and heaven

The keys of death and hell to Christ the Lord are given,

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice.

Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

He sits at God's right hand till all his foes submit,

Bow down at his command, and fall beneath his feet.

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice.

Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

\* **O Give The Lord Wholehearted Praise**

#111:1,5,7 (PH)

O give the Lord wholehearted praise.

To him thanksgiving I will bring;

With all his people I will raise

My voice and of his glory sing.

His works are true and just indeed;

His precepts are forever sure.

In truth and righteousness decreed,

They shall forevermore endure.

In reverence and in godly fear

We find the key to wisdom's ways;

The wise his holy name revere.

Through endless ages sound his praise!

\* **Like a River Glorious**

#560:1,2 (PH)

Like a river glorious is God's perfect peace,

Over all victorious in its bright increase;

Perfect, yet still flowing fuller every day;

Perfect, yet still growing deeper all the way.

Trusting in the Father, hearts are fully blest,

Finding, as he promised, perfect peace and rest.

Hidden in the hollow of his mighty hand,

Where no harm can follow, in his strength we stand.

We may trust him fully all for us to do;

Those who trust him wholly find him wholly true.

Trusting in the Father, hearts are fully blest,

Finding, as he promised, perfect peace and rest.

**Profession of Faith:** *Psalm 1*

**<sup>1</sup>Blessed is the man**

***who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,***

***nor stands in the way of sinners,***

***nor sits in the seat of scoffers;***

**<sup>2</sup>but his delight is in the law of the LORD,**

***and on his law he meditates day and night.***

**<sup>3</sup>He is like a tree**

***planted by streams of water***

***that yields its fruit in its season,***

***and its leaf does not wither.***

***In all that he does, he prospers.***

**<sup>4</sup>The wicked are not so,**

***but are like chaff that the wind drives away.***

**<sup>5</sup>Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,**

***nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;***

**<sup>6</sup>for the LORD knows the way of the righteous,**

***but the way of the wicked will perish.***

**Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus**

#621:1 (HFG)

O soul, are you weary and troubled?

No light in the darkness you see?

There's light for a look at the Savior,

And life more abundant and free!

*Refrain:*

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,

Look full in His wonderful face,

And the things of earth will grow strangely dim

In the light of His glory and grace.

**Evening Prayer**

**Offering:** Building the Future Fund

\* **Seek Ye First**

#209:1,3 (PH)

Seek ye first the kingdom of God

And His righteousness,

And all these things shall be added unto you.

Allelu, alleluia.

We do not live by bread alone,

But by every word

That proceeds from the mouth of God.

Allelu, alleluia.

\* **Scripture:** *Proverbs 1:7 (ESV)*

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<sup>7</sup> *The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge;*

*fools despise wisdom and instruction.*

*Psalm 34:3-11 (ESV)*

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<sup>3</sup> *Oh, magnify the LORD with me,*

*and let us exalt his name together!*

<sup>4</sup> *I sought the LORD, and he answered me*

*and delivered me from all my fears.*

<sup>5</sup> *Those who look to him are radiant,*

*and their faces shall never be ashamed.*

<sup>6</sup> *This poor man cried, and the LORD heard him*

*and saved him out of all his troubles.*

<sup>7</sup> *The angel of the LORD encamps*

*around those who fear him, and delivers them.*

<sup>8</sup> *Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!*

*Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!*

<sup>9</sup> *Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints,*

*for those who fear him have no lack!*

<sup>10</sup> *The young lions suffer want and hunger;*

*but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.*

<sup>11</sup> *Come, O children, listen to me;*

*I will teach you the fear of the LORD.*

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Message:** *What Are You Afraid Of?*

**Prayer**

\* **Trust and Obey** #454:1,2,4 (HFG)

When we walk with the Lord in the light of His Word,  
What a glory He sheds on our way!  
While we do His good will, He abides with us still,  
And with all who will trust and obey.

*Refrain:* Trust and obey, for there's no other way  
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies,  
But His smile quickly drives it away;  
Not a doubt or a fear, not a sigh or a tear,  
Can remain when we trust and obey. *Refrain*

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at His feet,  
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;  
What He says we will do, where He sends we will go,  
Never fear, only trust and obey. *Refrain*

\* **God's Blessing**

\* **Grace Alone**

Every promise we can make,  
Every prayer and step of faith;  
Every difference we will make is only by His grace.  
Every mountain we will climb,  
Every ray of hope we shine;  
Every blessing left behind is only by His grace.

*Refrain:* Grace alone which God supplies;  
Strength unknown He will provide.  
Christ in us, our cornerstone,  
We will go forth in grace alone.

The sanctuary is equipped with an assistive listening system.  
Please switch hearing aids to "T" to use this system.

Pastor: Robert W

Music: Perlene H

Offering: Building the Future is in place to fund future building projects of our church. For more information, talk to a member of the Long-Range Ministry Team.

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**What Are You Afraid Of?**

*Proverbs 1:7; Psalm 34:3-11*



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